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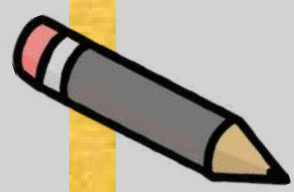
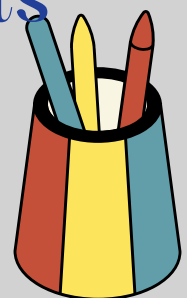
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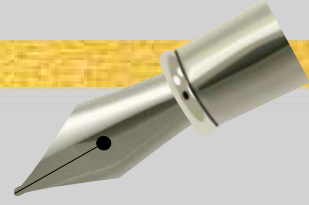
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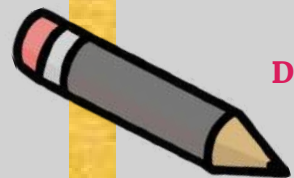
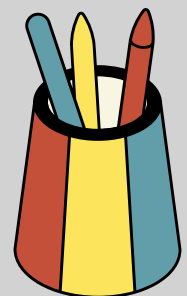
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DEAR READERS,

Warm greetings to you all.

Another fabulous academic session in the history of Centre Point draws to a close. A rather fascinating one which has seen the transition from the ubiquitous online mode to the offline model.

As an academic session ends it brings about the realisation of the changes that have come about in each of the children which stem from the numerous challenges that each of them has faced.

All the children deserve to be congratulated for thriving this year, especially the younger classes, including the 2 grades that have come to Centre Point for the first time this year. Their confidence is awe-inspiring indeed.

It takes great fortitude to maintain quality of work and clarity of purpose in times of upheaval. All have worked very hard and adapted wonderfully to changes in circumstances and for that heartfelt true appreciation is needed.

When the world came to a standstill during the pandemic, our Centre Pointers continued to strive hard and scale new heights. This was the first time the children were exposed to competitions on the online platform which allowed them to compete at national as well as international levels. This neither incited fear nor gave rise to any inhibitions. Instead, they took up the challenge with great enthusiasm and brought laurels to the school by winning accolades in several prestigious competitions.

With the resumption of physical school once again, proficiency is visible with the ability to adapt in every sphere and at every level-be it sports, academics, social service or international vistas.

I truly value the role that the parents have played in the students' learning, be it in the online or the offline mode. The grit and determination exhibited and invested by the teachers is also praiseworthy.

With such amazing students and the brilliant staff and faculty that supports and guides with firm, but gentle direction, I am looking forward to the coming year with anticipation, assured of success.

I look back at the Academic Session 2021-22 with satisfaction and hope for an equally fruitful academic year ahead of us all.

**MRS. PERVEEN CASSAD, PRINCIPAL
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Intellect and Interest



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GANIKA OF CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD DECLARED WINNER IN INTER SCHOOL SCIENCE QUIZ COMPETITION

Ganika Bhatt, a promising quiz kid of Centre Point School, Katol Road has a scientific temperament and loves quizzing. To mark the Centenary Celebration of the founder of The Swaminarayan School, Nagpur and celebrating their Silver Jubilee, the school had conducted an Inter School Science Quiz Competition on the occasion of National Science Day which was on 28th Feb'22. It was a Science quiz and the quizzing interface was a Google form.



Ganika with Shilpee ma'am

Ganika proved her mettle and was declared the winner in the 12-14 years category (Class 7 and 8). She received a Certificate of Achievement. The Quiz was conducted according to the age group of learners. Students of classes I to XII and students above 18 years could participate in the competition. Ganika was commended by the Principal, Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly and by the staff of CPSKR.

AADYANT OF CPS, KATOL ROAD EXCELS IN SCIENCE WIZARD QUIZ COMPETITION



Aadyant with Shilpee ma'am

To observe the National Science Day, G.H. Raisoni Vidya Niketan of Nagpur organized the Science Wizard Quiz Competition for students of classes VI-VIII. Centre Pointers from Katol Road participated in the preliminary round which was conducted on the 5th of March through a Google Form. The quiz was based on General Science, Inventions and Discoveries and Scientists. Aadyant Mane, a quiz kid of Class VII, Centre Point School, Katol Road was among the top five who qualified for the final round which was conducted on



12th March'22. The final round was conducted virtually using the Webex platform. The final quiz had four rounds: -Direct round, Fastest finger first where the participants were expected to write the answer in the chat box and the first correct answer was considered, Visual round and the Rapid fire round where the participant had to answer 15 questions within a time span of 1 minute.

An avid quizzer, Aadyant performed very well in most of the rounds and secured the 2nd runners up trophy. He received a certificate and a trophy for his excellent performance.

AEROMODELLERS OF CENTRE POINT GROUP OF SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE IN AEROMODELLING SHOW



The trained Centre Pointers eagerly and enthusiastically participated and demonstrated their skill in the Aeromodelling Show held in the Divisional Sports Complex, Nagpur. The spectacular show held on Sunday, 27th March at the initiative of the Maharashtra Minister of Sports and Youth Welfare-Mr. Sunil Kedar, was held with the objective to make students aware of a career in Aviation. Department of Sports, had organized this mega event as part of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. The event was inaugurated by Mr. Sunil Kedar in the presence of many luminaries from the city.

The Aeromodellers of Centre Point Schools, who had crafted their aircrafts in the Aeromodelling Workshop of CPS, Katol Road displayed expertise and ease as they flew their gliders. They worked under the able guidance of the Master Trainer Mr. Zubin Khambatta who has 33 years' experience of training the aeromodellers of Centre Point School and is also



Aeromodellers ready with their F-18



the Manager of CPSKR. Under the tutelage of Zubin sir and Mr. Neeraj Gupta, another aeromodelling enthusiast, the students flew their aircrafts and won applause from the milling spectators. These aeromodellers included Akshat Vishwakarma, Manav Kriplani and Mihir Anjankar who flew 3 models of F-18, Yashasvi Pal who flew a glider model and Hakimuddin Hirani, PSR Srihan, Husain Dawawala and Nikhil Sarna who gave back up.

Centre Point School has been a pioneer in the city in offering Aeromodelling as a Day Boarding activity. Many aeromodellers from the school have won accolades and cash awards in zonal and national level aeromodelling competitions held in the past years. The recent win by the Aeromodellers of Centre Point Group of Schools was a clean sweep that they made in the 7th Annual Boeing-IIT National Aeromodelling Competition-2021.



Zubin sir ready to launch the model



CPSKR Aeromodeller with his F-18



F-18 in flight



The vibrant F-18 soaring high





Centre Pointers Displaying their models as they pose with the Maharashtra Minister For Sports and Youth Welfare and others

HERITAGE CLUB OF CENTRE POINT SCHOOL KATOL ROAD CONDUCTS DANCE ACTIVITY FOR HERITAGE AWARENESS

The Heritage Club of Centre Point School, Katol Road organized a folk dance performance by students of classes 10 and 12 on 18th April 2022 to celebrate Indian Heritage and propound the grandeur of the country. The objective of the eye-catching performance was to make the students aware about our rich culture. The event was anchored by Shivansh Nigam and Eesha Kolte of class 12 who made the audience aware of the two dances that were performed. Kathak a classical dance, was performed



The Comperes



The singers

by Kathakars in the past and brought to the court by Nawab Wajid Ali Shah. Gondhal on the other hand is a folk dance of Maharashtra performed to appease Goddess Bhavani and is performed on all auspicious occasions including the Navratras.

The graceful dancers and the melodious singers who are members of the Heritage Club of CPS, Katol Road,



captivated the hearts of the audience which included students of class 9 and the teachers. The event started with a solo Kathak performance by Swara Deshmukh which earned her a lot of applause from the audience.

This was followed by the folk dance of Maharashtra 'Gondhal' performed by Swara Deshmukh, Batool Neemuchwala, Gamini Sai Varshini, Arya Hazirani, Anika Tarar, Riddhi Gopalani and Vedashree Valunjkar on live music and singing by the students of classes 10 and 12 including Sampada Vibhute, Atharva Jawanjaj, Vasudha Ranade, Shubhom Mukherjee,



Gondhal



Kathak

N. Ananya Raju, Esther Tirzah and Pratyush Jaiswal. Kannan Agrawal and Gaurang Agrawal played the drums.

The dancers were trained by Mrs. Maya Mukherjee and Mrs. Delnaaz Kapoor. The singers were ably guided by Mr. Kapil Deshmukh, Mr. Rajendra Doke and Mr. Pankaj Rangari of the Music department. The programme concluded with the Principal Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly's motivational speech encouraging the children to be a part of the Heritage Club and get enriching experience about the heritage of our motherland. She also applauded the Class 9 students for being a wonderful audience.

The programme was well coordinated by Mrs. Esther Daniel, Mrs. Maya Mukherjee, Mrs. Papiya Debroy, Mrs. Nupur Sircar, Mrs. Amita Yadav, Mrs. Pooja Gyanchandani and Mrs. Kavita Iyer.



CPSKR Principal, Shilpee Ma'am addressing the audience



Esther Daniel Ma'am -Teacher In-charge





The Performers with the behind - the scene mentors

SANJNA KAPOOR CONDUCTS 'THE ARTFUL TEACHER WORKSHOP' FOR TEACHERS OF CENTRE POINT GROUP OF SCHOOLS

Focused on its ethos of providing child centric and joyful education that encourages meaningful and natural learning and equipping its teachers with effective professional development tools, Centre Point Group of Schools, after having collaborated for the Junoon Workshop in the pre-pandemic period, collaborated for the Artful Teacher Workshop Programme, developed by Sanjna Kapoor, the daughter of legendary actors Shashi Kapoor and Jennifer Kendal. Sanjna passionately built Prithvi



Sanjna & Timira cheered up with the welcome performance by the students

Theatre into one of India's premier cultural hubs. With her vision, commitment and enthusiasm for the Arts she has been working towards spreading its richness in multiple ways. Having iterated her belief that, she would have worked in the field of education had she not worked in the field of theatre, she is personally involved in the Artful Teacher Programme as one of the



Sanjna in the Introductory session on Day 1



two immensely skilful workshop conductors.

Fifty of its teachers across Centre Point School Katol Road, Wardhaman Nagar and Amravati Bypass branches and Centre Point School International participated in this unique enriching experience based pathway, which is structured to span over a transformation- causing three years.



Timira gearing up for her session with the teachers

The workshop was co-conducted by Timira Gupta, a multi-talented educator and trained Arts-Based Therapy practitioner who has been working with children with different backgrounds and abilities creating a tremendous impact on the young lives for over a decade. She has been inspiring teachers through teacher training programmes on how to use arts effectively in the

classroom. She is an expert in designing Arts-based curriculum that approaches learning through Artful means and creating learning environments immersed in the arts processes.

The objective of the workshop was to unfold the infinite possibilities of artful teaching in teachers where creativity becomes a habit of the mind and subsequent action, for both students and teachers alike in classrooms and beyond.

The first eventful 32 hour workshop was conducted over 4 consecutive days from 20th April to 23rd April in Centre Point School, Katol Road branch. The commencement of the programme was marked by the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries and a Ganesh Vandana Kathak performance by students. In these 4 days, the teachers explored various artful elements and deduced the essence of artfulness by practical participation clearly eliminating misconceptions of Artfulness being confined to being artistic. Play, imagination, creation, laughter, visual presentations, acting, writing, discussions, wonder, reading about extraordinary thoughts of many extraordinary education thinkers and lots of reflection led to an enhanced understanding of the Artful Approach.

The workshop culminated with the teachers signing the Artful Teacher Pledge and a photo shoot and bidding adieu with a promise of meeting soon. The teachers expressed their gratitude to the Centre Point School management for giving them this



Sharing Happy Moments with Mukta Ma'am



opportunity for enhancing their teaching further. It was an unparalleled learning experience to the handpicked teachers which will further lead to transference of knowledge.

The second two - day workshop has been scheduled after a period of six months with the purpose of assessing shifts in classroom experiences and diving deeper into the realm of the Artful teacher. The programme intends to provide a strong and continuous support system by sharing extensive curated resources with the school for effective objective realization.



Timira doing an energising activity



Bonding with Artful Teachers of CPS



The Artful Gurus Sanjna and Timira Receiving works of Art from the Art Department



Forming a Plane for Our Aeromodelling Instructor Zubin sir





The team of Artful teachers with Sanjna and Timira on Day 4

CENSTARS SHINE AT ROTARY DEBATE

Centre Point School, Katol Road, Nagpur students participated in The Annual Rotary Debate Competition on 28th April 2022, organized by The Rotary Center, Civil Lines, Nagpur. The event was aptly titled, 'Bol Bachan' and the proposition was 'Parents Must Grow up Now'.

The CPSKR team comprised of Aadya Mishra, Ananya Vyas, M. Irene Chanu and P. S. R. Srihan, all from class 10. Aadya, Irene and Srihan chose to speak For the motion while Ananya chose to speak Against the topic. They impressed the house with their eloquence, thought and poise. The challenge in round 1 was to present their arguments as clearly and logically as they could in two minutes. Aadya, Ananya and Srihan sailed through this round to reach the finals where they did exceptionally well. We are proud of their achievement.

LEARNING THROUGH PROJECT WORK CLASS 1 - 2021-22

Class : 1A

Class Teacher : Chetna Mudliar

Project Topic : Games

The project topic for class 1A was Games. The children played various games and came to know about the advantages and basic techniques of various outdoor and indoor games. The instructors of the school Mr. Mangesh Pandit, Mr. Hemant Trivedi, Mr. Nitin Raut and Mr. Vilas Nerkar conducted expert talks on games including cricket, basketball, football, badminton and chess. Aarav Dharmik,



class 9 student of CPS KR, who is a part of the school chess team came to supervise and guide the students while they played chess. The children interviewed their grandparents about the games which they played as kids and spent some precious moments with them. The real fun was playing these traditional games under the supervision of Anil Lambat Sir and Ravi Medhe Sir. Making a Chess board and Snakes and Ladders board under the guidance of Sujata Giri ma'am was like a cherry on the cake for the students. Life skills like teamwork, sharing responsibilities, helping and motivating each other, strategy building and cooperating were developed throughout the project. The students also understood that winning and losing are part and parcel of playing.



Class : 1B

Class Teacher : Rashmeet Kaur

Project Topic : Colours



Many likely topics were discussed for project work and the topic that was narrowed down upon by the children was 'Colours.' It was a great journey and they could unfold many new concepts. The teachers Kirti Chincholkar and Shireen Baig gave a talk explaining to the children why the sky is blue and leaves are green. Students indulged in interesting activities including Tie



and Dye, Thread Painting, Colour mixing, Patterns with vegetable printing, Change of colour in liquids. It was a great learning experience for children.

Class : 1C

Class Teacher : Jasleen Kaur Chhatwal

Project Topic : Newspapers

The project topic for class 1C was 'Newspapers.' The topic selected had a great impact on children as now they are aware of the features in the newspaper. They learnt article writing, how to create a cartoon column, entertainment column, Sports column and advertisement column.



Detailed research work on the invention of newspaper was done by the children. Different surveys were done to find out the commonly used newspapers. Children also shown their creative side by making different craft objects using old newspapers. Expert talk was done by Mrs. Reena Surpam who is a meteorologist from the meteorological department. She helped students to understand that the weather details printed in the newspapers are first collected in the meteorological department and then through different modes of communications sent to the media and public. This project turned out to be a great learning experience for the children who are now taking great interest in reading the different articles printed in newspapers.

Class : 1D

Class Teacher : Dipanwita Kaur Alag

Project Topic : Coconut – Tree of life



The project topic for class 1D was 'Coconut- Tree of Life'. Children got to know about the different uses and benefits of Coconut. They also got to know that coconut tree is called the 'Tree of Life' as each and every part of coconut is useful. The children were given knowledge on the health and healing benefits of



coconut water through expert talk by dietician Chanchal Sahni. Teachers including Sujata Giri, Praveen Chandewar, J.P. Mishra guided the students on making craft objects using coconut shell, why coconut tree grows near the seashore, how does water get inside coconut and why coconut is used in Pooja as well as why it is called the 'Tree of heaven'. Children prepared some amazing daily use craft objects using coconut shell. Few children also worked amazingly on coconut model. Children also prepared coconut ladoos using only 2 ingredients grated coconut and milkmaid/mithai maid which was demonstrated in class by Dipanwita Ma'am. Later they prepared delicious coconut ladoos with their family members and shared the experience of making it through paragraph writing. They were very happy and excited while preparing it. Children also prepared bird feeder using coconut shell and coconut fiber rope. They also did touch and feel activity to know the texture of coconut husk. Children were also told about the uses and benefits of cocopeat. Plants grown using cocopeat, its texture. Children were able to differentiate between the texture of coconut husk and cocopeat. The project was concluded by making 'coconut bookmark' which was guided by Sujata ma'am. It was the most enjoyable and amazing learning experience for all the students. Parents were also very happy and appreciated the efforts of all the teachers who guided the students throughout the project.

Class : 1E

Class Teacher : Shweta Pohane

Project Topic : Clock - Time

The project topic for class 1E was Clock-Time. We started with a discussion about the prior knowledge and what can be done with this project topic. After the discussion we thought to start



from scratch and so initially we learnt about the history in that kids learned about how people used to tell time when there was no clock invented with the help of their shadow and then kids loved to explore different types of ancient clocks like sundial, water clock, and candle clock, hourglass. To throw light on the changes in day and night, an expert talk session was conducted by Archana Bhagchhi ma'am also we tried to make a model on rotation of the earth in our physical class. Then kids showed their team spirit by playing few timer games. They learnt about the mechanism of the clock, also they tried to make their own analog clock in the class. They learned about hours and



minutes, 24 hours clock and the world clock. Children really enjoyed their project a lot, not just because there was so much to learn from it but also as it was with full of fun and activities.

Class : 2 A

Class Teacher : Mahek Tahilramani

Project Topic : Cardboard Boxes.

Cardboard Boxes: The most extraordinary ordinary thing in the world. We use them in and out. We see the corrugated cardboard in the market, on fruit boxes, courier delivery trucks, when groceries come to our houses from Amazon, Big Basket, etc. We love getting chocolates, gifts in specially designed decorative boxes. Often, we reuse these boxes, sometimes we discard them, but there is a lot that can be done with this simple thing, and to explore that Class 2A chose Cardboard Boxes as their project. Children learned the different types of cardboard boxes available for different purposes. They explored the science behind using a variety of flutes in corrugated Boxes. They understood the importance of recycling cardboard boxes and saving Mother Earth. A number of hands-on activities were performed like folding and unfolding the boxes, stacking them, packing fragile items, writing addresses, sticking bills, etc. Their artistic skills came to the fore when they reused the boxes for Planting, making their own customized box, piggy banks, electric lanterns, puzzles, maze games, musical instruments, etc. The Expert talks;” Customized Boxes, Branding, and Packaging” were a wonderful experience for the children as along with solving the queries, the children also understood the difference between the normal grocery box and the decorative customized boxes and the difference between brands and products. The importance of three p’s. gave them the insight of presenting their work neatly in other fields too like writing, art, craft activities, etc. The project encouraged science inquiry skills and mathematical skills among children. It provided opportunities for children to explore design, plan construction, and use different online tools while working. The children did research, made PowerPoint presentations, and shared their findings with peers. This enhanced team building, leadership, vocabulary, creative thinking, logical and technical skills. All this was achieved by keeping the fun quotient and enthusiasm intact till the very end. To sum it up, it was truly a magical and mesmerizing experience for both the teacher & the students.





Class : 2B

Class Teacher : Poonam Chandak

Project Topic : Brooms



Class 2 B exhibited their class project 'Brooms' virtually in front of their parents. The learning outcomes were many. They learnt about its history, invention, uses, types, unknown facts etc. Expert talk by Mr. Chetan Singh helped them to gain more knowledge about handmade natural brooms. Expert talk by Prajakta Mistri helped them to understand the science behind working of a broom, which created a curiosity among the kids. Children enjoyed generating tables from the broomsticks. Broom painting, printing and making best out of waste were enthusiastic experiences for them. The project turned out to be a great outcome of teamwork and research work.





Class 2C

Class Teacher : Rita Bhattacharya

Project Topic – Leaves

Initially children of 2C explored many topics for their project, but finally they selected the topic 'Leaves'. With many learning outcomes, children enjoyed working together on the project in both online and offline classes. Children were excited to learn about different types of leaves, different parts of a leaf and their functions. To observe stomata under microscope was an insightful experience for them. Children had hands-on experience on making compost and they also enjoyed preparing



sanitizer using Aloe vera gel. Children have learnt different uses of leaves and the nutritional benefits of different edible leaves. During Expert Talks by Mousomee Goon ma'am, Shilpa Sule ma'am and Kirti Chincholkar ma'am children learnt about medicinal qualities of Tulsi, Neem and Mint, uses of Aloe vera, the method to prepare face mask using Aloe vera gel and the process of photosynthesis. This has further strengthened their knowledge about the topic. Children made their parents amazed by their skillful and

knowledgeable presentation on the day of the display.



Class : 2D

Class Teacher : Aditi Padmawar

Project Topic – Cotton

Class 2D, exhibited their class project cotton virtually in front of their parents. The learning outcomes were many. The students got to know a lot about cotton, the different properties of cotton, how, why and also in what ways cotton can be used. For expert talk Mr. Nilesh Bhambhawani came and spoke to the children about the textile industry and Yamini ma'am spoke about how cotton can be germinated. Children enjoyed performing the different activities in class. These included fabric printing activity, colour absorption activity, cotton toy making activity, etc. The project was a huge success because of teamwork.



Class : 3 A

Class Teacher : Khairunissa Dhamani

Project Topic - Fire and Its Safety Measures

To develop the awareness for safe handling of fire and to inculcate such safety measures in the regular habits, children of class 3A chose “Fire and it’s Safety Measures” as their project topic. The learning outcomes were many. Through different activities during the project, children learnt about its invention, causes, uses, signs, safety measures, different classes of fire etc. Expert Talk by Mr. Rajat Talukdar sir, the Marketing Executive of Fire Concepts and Kirti Chincholkar Ma'am, helped children to know about the fire safety, pyro technique (fire breathing), fire panipuri, fire paan, fire walking etc. The tour of the school gave them an added effect to what they learnt. Save Life and Property was the motto achieved as they shared their views with their parents during the Project Display. The project turned out to be a great outcome of teamwork and research work.





Class : 3B

Class Teacher : Riddhika Devdhar

Project Topic - Different Dance Forms Of India



The topic taken by class 3B was “Different Dance Forms of India”. The immense hard work and thorough research on the topic bore good result as the topic was very well presented by the children of class 3B. With many learning outcomes, children enjoyed working together in both online and offline modes. They learned about different dance forms of each state of India, difference between classical and folk dances, costumes, jewelry, accessories and props used in different dances. They also did a lot of research on the history, origin and significance of each dance form. Expert talk by Miss Nandini Mitthe and Mrs Swati Bhalerao further strengthen their interest and

knowledge about the topic. Children also mesmerized the parents by their graceful moves and steps as they performed few Indian dance forms during our project display.

Class : 3C

Class Teacher : Rozina Damani

Project Topic – Pulses

Class 3C showcased their class project on topic pulses to their parents with great enthusiasm and zeal. Being at home with their parents, children wanted to take the topic related to eating and finally choose pulses as the topic for further exploration. Children enjoyed doing various activities and live demonstrations related to the topic. The learning outcomes for the project undertaken were that they could easily recognize different pulses and name them in Hindi and English.



They were very curious to know about the difference between cereals and pulses and were surprised to demonstrate that pulses after soaking were easily broken into two equal parts. After listening to the dietician and understanding the health benefits of different pulses, they were motivated to eat pulses every day in their diet. Through mapping skills, they learnt about production of pulses nationally and internationally and India being at the peak for production of pulses. The Google meet gave them the opportunity to see and ask questions on processing of pulses in a factory. It was the first project which was partially done in online and offline mode.

Class : 3D

Class Teacher : Reema Vaswani

Project Topic - Medicinal Plants

Initially, students explored many topics and they have been seeing the present situation of Covid-19. With the help of many medicinal plants and concoctions the lives of many people were saved. So the topic was decided for project work. Children wholeheartedly participated and did live



demonstrations from home. They also helped their friends to do the same e.g.- They made aloe vera face mask, aloe vera sanitizer, stevia smoothie, mint sauces and much more. Many resource persons enlightened the students on the project topic. These included Gauri Ghatate who has a huge nursery of medicinal plants. Children could do a virtual tour of the nursery. Finally, it was full of fun as children came to know about the amazing facts about medicinal plants and started growing some medicinal plants at home. In this way, they did many hands-on activities at home as well as in school. It was the first project which was partially done in online mode and then in offline mode.



Class : 4A

Class Teacher : Jilpa Pasad

Project Topic - Non-Verbal Communication



Non-Verbal Communication [NVC] was the project topic for class 4A. They learnt about its types, expressions in nature, facial expressions, postures, body movements, etc. They explored NVC in context with animals, dance, sports and differently able too. Students were divided in groups and



they made interesting PPTs and videos to explain their topics. Though most of the project was online, activities like comic strips, illustrations, advertisements, skits, mime, dumb charade, National Anthem in sign language which were conducted offline, gave the students an opportunity to showcase their understanding and enhance their creative skills. The learning outcomes were – developing empathy for the differently able, better understanding of self and others around them, collaborative working with peers, enhancing problem solving techniques, questioning and critical thinking skills. The students and parents were very happy with the project based learning and this was evident from the feedback shared by them.



Class : 4B

Class Teacher : Deepika Chakraborty

Project Topic : Salt



We all use salt on a daily basis for various purposes. Yes, it's the common salt and this was the topic chosen for project work by children of grade 4B. Children learnt how salt is extracted, they learnt about various types of salt, various brands of salt present in India. They also

learnt about the uses of salt and yes, a very important historic event i.e. Salt Satyagraha. Archana Bagchi ma'am gave an expert talk to solve queries by sharing her knowledge on where we find salt in India and how it is extracted. Sunita Patel ma'am, gave a demonstration of an activity to share her



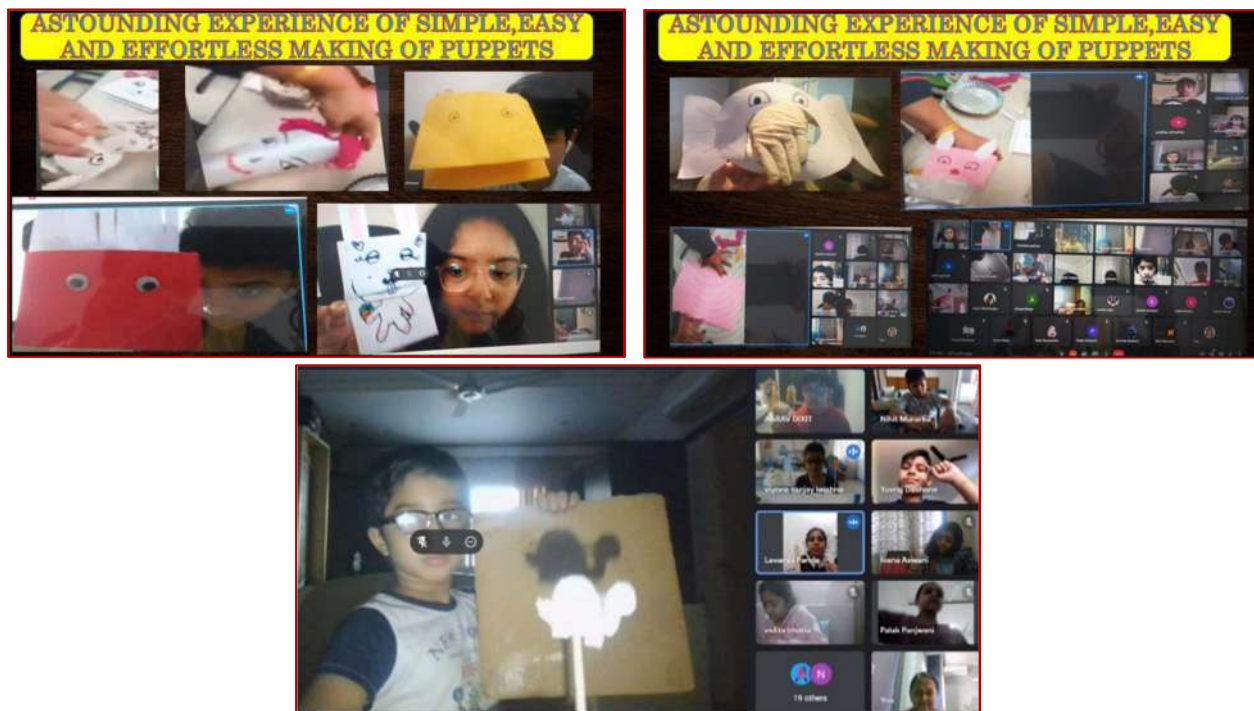
knowledge about solute, solvent and solution. Children did various activities to learn about density. They also made group wise ppts where they had jotted down their research work which was shared by them with the entire class.

Class 4C

Class Teacher : Arpita Bag

Project Topic - Puppets

Puppets contribute greatly to the developments of a child's learning by providing the child with opportunities to assemble, discover and comprehend a wide range of concepts, knowledge, skills and situations. The purpose of choosing the topic as puppets was to give the students an absorbing experience covering as many aspects of the world of puppetry as possible. They started from scratch – by learning about the different definitions and meanings puppetry holds across different regions of the globe. The students enjoyed attending the various live workshops held as part of the learning process. By attempting different ways to showcase stories via this beautiful artform, the students helped sharpen their creativity skills. They explored a unique way of putting forth dialogues and scenes. They helped improve their digital skills by making power point presentations, and by engaging themselves in intense research on the world of puppetry. Thus, not only did they learn about this ancient form of art but also understood the benefits of coordination with other members of the team – helping them realize the potential of teamwork.



Class : 4D

Class Teacher : Shireen Baig

Project Topic : Aeroplane



After a lot of interaction, the children of class 4D zeroed down on the topic “Aeroplane” for their project. They racked their brains and conceived different activities like making working models, using waste to make Aeroplane Models and many more. The class was filled with enthusiasm while watching different types of aeroplanes. They were taken to the world on airplanes by the Pilot guest Ms. Nasleen who made the children aware about the different areas in the planes, their ways of working and management of flights. Zubin Khambatta sir explained to the children the pressures acting upon the Plane to take off its flight and balancing it in

the air. It was a great learning experience for them. Throughout the journey the class was flooded with friendliness, team work and cooperation.



Class : 4E

Class Teacher : Vrinda Sharma

Project Topic : Musical Instruments

The project topic for class 4 E was ‘Musical Instruments’ for the session 2021-22. The young investigators were eager, excited and full of zeal to carry out this project. The students investigated about Organology (Study of musical instruments) and its classification, various usage, oldest instruments, difference between western and Indian instruments, famous instrumentalists and benefits of learning musical instruments and much more. As it was another pandemic year, most of the activities were conducted online. However, some of the activities were taken offline when the



school resumed. For activities like individual research work, slide shows, collage work, show and tell, comprehension, etc, online platforms like Padlet, Google Slide, Canva, Mentimeter, Quizziz, Google Form etc all were used. Mr. Chaitanya Kanoria took an interesting online session with the students to educate them more about the



chosen topic. The children not only enjoyed their research but also learnt a great deal as they were constantly involved and evolved with each and every activity that was planned for them. The final presentation was icing on the cake as most of the parents were elated to see the progress their children had made.



Class : 4 F

Class Teacher : Kavtha Iyer

Project Topic - E-Waste

The pandemic rendered us incapable of working offline and there was a huge surge in digitalization of education, making field research difficult, thus resulting in the selection of our topic: E-waste! The journey with E-waste was a memorable one. The children knew about E-waste and its sources and they came up with endless questions which



made their journey very smooth. Prior knowledge web, query web and anticipatory web was



created to research on this topic. Students came up with a variety of ideas which were quite innovative and interesting. They made various domestic items and working models with enthusiasm. Students used latest technologies like Canva and ppt to express their views. They performed a small skit to create an awareness and took a pledge to reduce E-waste. Various suggestions were put forward by the children for

the Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Repair, Refurbish and rejection of E-waste. They came up with an innovative idea of disposing the E-waste in a separate bin which will help to reduce damages to the environment and the living health.

Class 5 A

Class Teacher : Shirley Caleb

Project Topic : Indigenous Tribes of India



As the project started online, I had planned many activities for children on the original tribes of India. They had map activity, making tribal dolls and headgears, drawing tribal art, making book creator using technology and finally presenting a skit on tribals living in India. The evaluation of the project was done on Google Form and the feedback of students as well as parents was taken on Padlet. On the final day the students conducted a special programme and the parents were very happy seeing their wards speaking so well on their project topic.

Class : 5 B

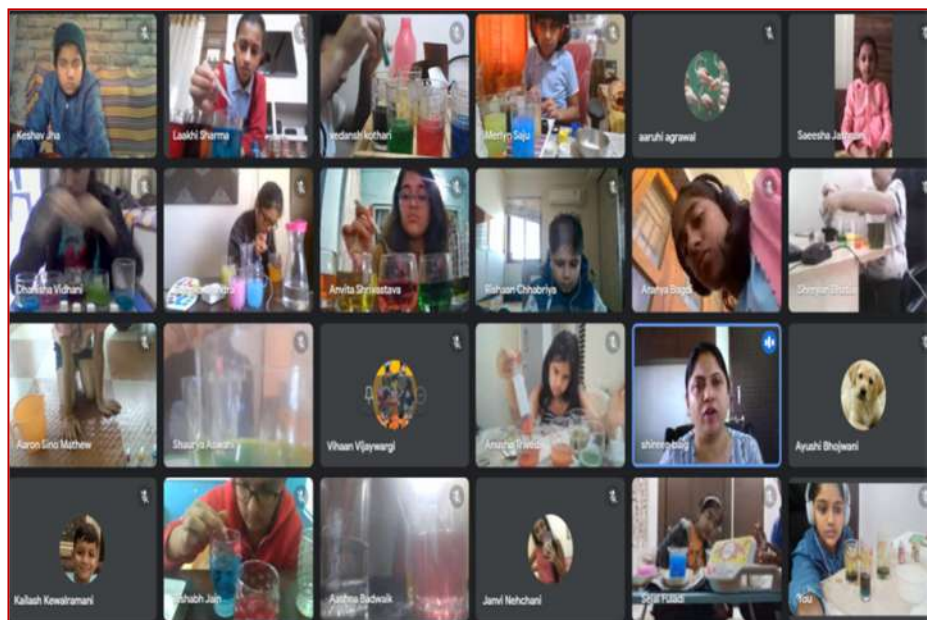
Class Teacher : Rubina Parvez

Project Topic : Sugar

This was the first online project for the children. The whole project was filled with many experiments and activities. The children started their hands- on activities by doing an experiment to



find out how sugar increases the density of water followed by making of a rainbow with sugar water of different densities, using sugar to make a décor item and making bubbles. It was also



discovered by the children that sugar has many other uses other than culinary. They made some home made facial scrubs with sugar. They also found out about the sugar producing states of India and did the mapping activity by plotting these states on the map.

At the end of the project the students were able to

1. List the different types of sugar.
2. Summarize the disadvantages of eating sugar.
3. Know how sugar is produced and processed.
4. Differentiate between added sugar and naturally occurring sugar.
5. Understand the maximum daily intake of sugar.
6. Be self- reflective about their sugar intake.

Class : 5C

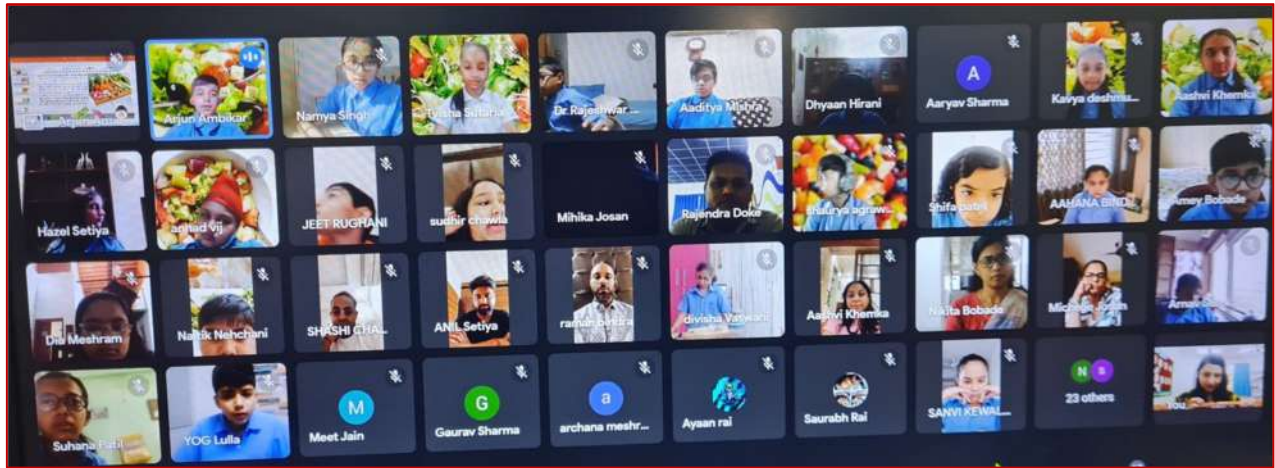
Class Teacher : Asha Jha

Project Topic: Salads

Children developed amazing traits and opened up while doing the project on Salads. Poems, PPTs, Art and Craft Decorations, Demonstrations and so much more made the student understand the importance of healthy eating. Not only did they make new friends, they developed their relationships with their parents by working with them. This developed their social skills. They



started asking questions and gained a lot of knowledge. Students came forward with many ideas. It was very exciting and students had a lot of fun while carrying out the activities.



Class 5 D

Class teacher : Sushma Mankar

Project Topic : Turmeric

It was a complete new experience to do the project online. They planned activities that can be taken in the new normal. Exploring Turmeric beyond a spice was really an enriching experience. They explored some new online platforms like “Book Creator” to compile amazing turmeric recipes. They explored about the Indian Variants of turmeric and plotted the states to which these belong on



India's Map. Using the natural dye property of Turmeric they did tie and dye activity and created beautiful dyed napkins. Learning about simple test for checking the purity of turmeric at home was fun. Making upatan from turmeric was also among the list of activities where children gave their best. The support from parents for the project is worth a mention.



Class : 5 E

Class Teacher : Saiema Ali

Project Topic : Ink

A Project topic that came up from the students as they wanted to know and explore about something that they use in their everyday life- INK. The students learnt many things starting from the reason behind the invention of ink, the evolution of writing to working of different pens and even the consequences of consumption of ink. The students also learnt that a ball point pen works just like a roll on bottle with the same kind of parts in it. They showed a lot of enthusiasm in participation in all activities and even brought forward their information about the topic.



Class : 5 F

Class Teacher : Deepali Gyanchandani

Topic : Newspapers

The children of class 5 F, began the online project with an enthusiastic but noisy discussion, a blend of rustic, vintage and new topics. Post polling they zeroed down on the topic- 'Newspapers'. Initiating from researching about history of Newspapers to carrying out the various activities, it was fun and edutainment. Renaming captions, sequencing paragraphs and jumbled headlines, news finding, finding the parts of speech, creating captions, posters, advertisements, illustrations, comic strips, letter and article writing were few of the activities conducted.

Expert Talk by Mr. Abhishek Chaudhary, from the 'The Times of India' group to the children about how reporters work and answering their queries broadened their horizons.

Throughout the journey the Children learnt about socializing, communicating, teamwork, problem solving, research gathering, time management, information synthesizing. Importantly they also learnt how to utilize high tech ICT tools and technology in a productive way as major part of



the project was online. With this combination of skills, students became directors and managers of their learning process, guided and mentored by different teachers of the class. In the current era of gadgets, there was a bond created between them and this primitive but important medium of abundant knowledge – Newspapers.

SUPERB WIN FOR CPSWN QUIZZER IN NATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITION

An accomplished quizzer from Centre Point School, Wardhaman Nagar stole the limelight when he participated in a National Level Quiz organized by Centre for Innovative Education and Research to mark the country's Republic Day on 26 Jan '22.

A Class 10 student, Sukrit Agrawal locked horns with other contestants in the Senior Category and laid claim to the 3rd Prize at the end of the competition.

Earning laurels for his school, a jubilant Sukrit became the proud recipient of a trophy, a medal and a certificate. Along with the Quiz Club teachers, he was heartily applauded by the school management and staff for his superlative feat.



Sukrit Agrawal

CPSWN YOUNGSTERS WIN ACCOLADES IN 'EXPRESSIONS'

Two very talented Centre Pointers from Wardhaman Nagar stole the limelight when they participated in an interesting online competition named 'Expressions 2021-22' organized by Universal High School, Aurangabad on 12 Feb '22.



Winners of Expressions 2022

A Class 3 grader, Abeer Deshpande pocketed the 2nd Prize in an innovative competition entitled 'My Speaking Picture', charming his audience with his endearing personality and talk on how the pandemic affected his education.

Atharva Agrawal, hailing from Class 9, also bagged the 2nd Prize in the 'Flyer Making' Competition when his thought-provoking poster on 'Atmanirbhar Bharat', as part of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' series, won him appreciation and the coveted prize.

Receiving Certificates of Appreciation, both the elated



winners as well as their mentor Mrs. Pallavi Punekar were heartily applauded by the school management and staff for their praiseworthy feat.

CPSWN ORATOR SHINES IN ELOCUTION COMPETITION

A young and promising Centre Pointer from Wardhaman Nagar left her impressionable stamp when she participated in an Inter-school English Elocution Competition organized by Euro School, Thane under the banner 'Euro Eloquence 2022 – The Talking Titans' on 15 Feb '22. Held on a virtual platform, the event aimed at opening up avenues for upcoming orators to showcase their skills in this creative genre and groom them in the art of skilled oration.



Zahra Kothawala

Competing in category 1 for Classes 1-3, Zahra Kothawala, a Class 3 grader left the judges impressed by her peppy rendition of the poem 'Poor Cinderella' by Kenn Nesbitt and bagged the Second Runners-up Prize in her category from among 18 other participants. She was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation for her success.

All smiles, Zahra along with her mentors Mrs. Ruchi Tyagi, Mrs. Bindia Agrawal and Mrs. Sonal Chhabria was congratulated by the school management and staff for her wonderful achievement.

CPSWN CROONER WINS HEARTS AND MINDS

Cornering glory came easily for a talented and smart Centre Pointer from Wardhaman Nagar when she participated in an Interschool Virtual Science Fest titled 'Infinity' organized by Delhi Public School, Kamptee on 28 Feb '22 to commemorate National Science Day.



Infinity' winner - Manya Mundra

An 8th grader, Manya Mundra breezed through the first round of the competition to qualify for the finale in which participants were asked to compose an 8-line song using maximum number of appropriate scientific terminologies related to the given topic. Aptly named 'Melodies-Tune the topic', the event also had the participants clearly singing their song without any accompanying music. With marks being awarded for originality and melody, Manya ticked all the right boxes and clinched the First Prize in this event.



On cloud nine, young Manya along with her mentors Mrs Preeti Shete, Mrs. Uma Purohit, Mrs Aparna Dalvi and Mr Alvin Gaikwad was lauded by the school management and staff for her superb win.

DESERVING WIN FOR CPSWN QUIZZER IN SCIENCE QUIZ CONTEST

Registering another amazing win for Centre Point School, Wardhaman Nagar on the occasion of National Science Day, an accomplished quizzier brought laurels to the school when he participated in the National Annual Science Quiz Contest jointly organized by the Ministry of Culture and Nehru Science Centre, Mumbai on 28 Feb '22.



Tejas Pugalía

Competing in an online quiz, Tejas Pugalía of Class 9 performed commendably and clinched the 2nd Prize with an incredible score of 90 points. He was awarded a whopping cash prize of Rs.7500/- for his achievement together with an invitation to the inauguration of the Air Force Station in Mumbai.

An elated Tejas received a deserving pat on his back from the school management and staff for his superb accomplishment. The Quiz Club team was also congratulated for their valuable inputs and efforts in working with Tejas.

CPSWN YOUNGSTERS SHINE ON SCIENCE DAY

Budding quizzers from Centre Point School, Wardhaman Nagar gave a glittering performance when they participated in a special quiz organized by Swaminarayan School as part of their Silver Jubilee celebrations which coincided with National Science Day on 28th Feb '22.



The quiz saw youngsters from Classes 6 to 8 participating in the event and the scores, tabulated out of 20 spoke volumes for the fantastic performance given by the quizzers from the school in all the rounds.

Poorva Zode, Kavya Agrawal, Devkant Rath and Venisha Jivarajani romped home with a score of 18/20 while Shreya Zode followed at their heels with a score of 17/20.

OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY CPSWN QUIZZER IN SCIENCE DAY QUIZ



Adya Girhe

An accomplished quizzist in her own right with many victories under her belt, this young lady from Centre Point School, Wardhaman Nagar is no stranger to the quizzing world. Participating in an astronomy themed quiz organized by the Indian Institute of Astrophysics on National Science Day falling on 28 Feb '22, she came up with an outstanding performance and added one more feather in her cap of success.

A Class 10 senior, Adya Girhe finished at the pole position, bagging the 1st Prize and was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation for her success.

Along with the Quiz Club team, she was heartily congratulated by the school management and staff for her fabulous achievement and wished many more wins in the future.

CPSWN'S VERY OWN SCIENCE WIZARD!

A young Centre Pointer from Wardhaman Nagar proudly laid claim to being a Science Wizard when he participated in the prestigious Science Wizard Quiz organized by GH Raisonni Group of Schools on 12 March '22.

Organized as part of the ongoing National Science Day celebrations, the event had enthusiastic participants battling it out for the top positions. A Class 7 grader, Kavya Sarawgi romped home with the 2nd Prize and was awarded a Certificate of Merit for his achievement.

Along with his mentors Mrs. Bijilata Pillai, Mrs. Vani Jog and Mrs. Suvarna Gulkari who worked hard with him, a smiling Kavya received a big pat on his back from the school management and staff for his great performance.





Kavya Sarawgi

A SPREE OF INTER-HOUSE ACTIVITIES AT CPSWN

Being on a digital platform was no deterrent for Centre Pointers from WN taking zealous



Tricolour Floral Bouquets

part in interesting Inter-House Activities specially designed for the virtual mode throughout February. Right from Class 1 to Class 6, students donned their creative caps and came up with wonderful creations winning appreciation from their teachers as well as valuable points for their Houses!

While Class 1 and 2 youngsters keenly participated in a Tricolour Fan Activity, ready with all the craft material that they would require to make

their colourful fans ready for all to see, the Class 3 and 4 children engaged themselves in creating Tricolour Rockets. They couldn't wait to see if they would really take off! Designing and creating beautiful floral bouquets proved to be an engaging activity for Classes 5 and 6 children as they became engrossed in making vibrant flowers and arranging them in attractive ways.

The children enjoyed every minute of the two periods given to them to complete their creations and later showcased them with pride! They gave their teachers a tough time selecting the best ones from all the four Houses.



Hat's off to all the talented young artists who gave wonderful expression to their ideas and to the House Activities in-charge teachers for the interesting competitions line up for them.



Tricolour fans



Tricolour Rockets

SHINING MOMENT FOR YOUNG CPSWN QUIZZER

A young and promising quizzer from Centre Point School, WN earned a big round of applause for her wonderful performance when she participated in an Inter-school Quiz Competition organized by The Swaminarayan School on 28th Feb '22 as part of the Silver Jubilee Celebration of the school and Science Day celebrations.

Pakhi Agrawal battled her way through every round of the quiz with enthusiasm and finally emerged the winner, bagging the 1st Prize in the Classes 1 and 2 Group. The elated winner was awarded a certificate of achievement for her success.

She was all smiles when she was congratulated by the school management and staff for her super performance.



Pakhi Agrawal

JUNIOR CLASSES PRESENT CLASS PROJECTS AT CPSWN

From brainstorming on topics to researching, experimentation, activities and expert talks, the Class 1 to 5 youngsters at Centre Point School, WN exhibited as much zeal and enthusiasm for working on their class projects on the digital platform as they did in regular school. With 100%



participation of children, the teachers designed activities and projects aimed at involving each and every child and the results were amazing!

Here's a look at all the wonderful projects which were well executed in every class to enrich the teaching-learning process:

Class: 1A

Class Teacher: Shilpa Sabnis

Project Topic: Seeds

Activities: The children performed soaking and sprouting of seeds, germination, healthy seed recipes, discovering common seeds used in our diet and importance of medicinal seeds.



Learning Outcomes: Students learnt about various types of seeds that are eaten in our daily diet. They came to know about health benefits of different seeds. They explored about different medicinal seeds and why we should consume them. They got acquainted with the germination process, sprouting and growing of seeds.

Expert Talk: Nutritionist- Mrs. Aarti Bhondekar.

Class: 1B

Class Teacher: Ms Preeti Moon

Project Topic: Plastic

Activities: Activities and experiments to highlight the characteristic qualities of plastic.

Learning Outcomes: Students came to know qualities of plastic. They understood how various types of plastic are manufactured and their uses. They learnt about the advantages and demerits of using plastic. They became aware of the impact of increased use of plastic on the environment. They explored how plastic products can be properly disposed.



Class: 1C

Class Teacher: Mrs Shweta Agrawal

Project Topic: Plants



Activities: The children engaged in germination, uses of different parts of a plant, experiments, listened to an expert talk by an agronomist, compost making, fertilizer making, taking care of plants and spreading social awareness for preserving them.

Learning Outcomes: Students imbibed a love for nature. They developed awareness regarding the importance of plants. They came to know about various parts of plants and common processes linked to them. They understood the importance of preserving plants and how to take care of them.

Expert Talk: Agronomist- Mr Prateek Rathi

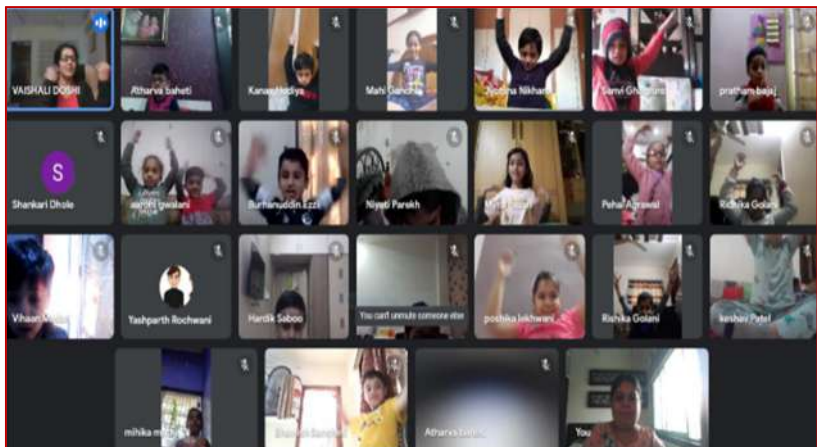
Class: 1D

Class Teacher: Mrs Krupa Shah

Project Topic: Games

Activities: Children took up experiments, research work, clay modelling, group discussion, blocks and puzzles activity.

Learning Outcomes: Students improved their logical and reasoning skills. They enhanced their knowledge of gaming activities and their types. They understood the importance of individual and team games and the qualities they inculcate. They learnt how some games are played i.e. their rules.



Class: 1E

Class Teacher: Mrs Rashmi Rathi

Project Topic: Shelters

Activities: Children participated in making of bricks ,miniature houses, concrete making, collection of materials used to make houses, different types of houses all around the world.

Learning Outcomes: Students started taking care of their own houses. They became sensitive towards the living beings who doesn't have shelters. They understood the need for having shelters.

They learnt how different types of materials are used to create shelters.

Field Visit: Brick factory and construction site visits by children and parents.

Expert Talk: Architect- Mr. Shashank Chimurkar



Class: 2A

Class Teacher: Mrs Tara Ali

Project Topic: Lime and Lemon

Activities: Children engaged in germination, exploring lime products, cleaning with lime activity, making dishwashing soap, experiment to know if lime has most concentrated citric acid, balloon experiment, cottage cheese and lemon cheese cake activity, lemon dish party.

Learning Outcomes: Students learnt that a lime plant grows from seed and not from stem. They understood that a lime is different from a lemon. Mostly lemon products are used for cleaning purposes. They came to know the characteristics of limes and how it improves our health and body. They learnt that a lime stays fresh for the longest in



a zip lock bag. They came to know about the places and climatic conditions for lemons to grow and how acidic they are amongst the citrus fruits.

Expert Talk: Dentist Smita Atara, Dr Chude.

Class: 2B

Class Teacher: Mrs Nadira Ibrahim

Project Topic: Bread

Activities: Children participated in exploring the ingredient of bread, Yeast Activity, Healthy Bread Fiesta, Difference between Atta and Maida Activity

Learning Outcomes: The children understood the various steps of bread making from kneading the dough to packing the bread. They learnt about the variety of breads available around the world. They learnt the various ingredients of bread as well as the nutrients present in it. They will now be able to tell the number of days they can store bread and what happens when it expires. They understood the importance of fibre and carbohydrates in the body. They came to know why brown breads are healthier than white breads. They also learnt a variety of healthy dishes that can be made out of different types of breads.



Field Trip: Zaika Cookery

Expert Talk: Dr Netra Thote on Nutritional Value of Bread

Class: 2C

Class Teacher: Mrs Bindia Agrawal

Project Topic: Oil

Activities: Children took up crushing various types of seeds, oil used as a preservative activity, activity to show density of oil is less than water and removing oil stains from fabrics.

Learning Outcomes: The students learnt about the different types of oil



and their varied use. They also came to know about the extraction of oil from seeds. They learnt about the proper method of used oil disposal and crude oil filtration.

Expert Talk: Nutritionist Ms. Zoya Liva.

Class: 2D

Class Teacher : Mrs Vani Jog

Project Topic : Festivals

Activities : Children engaged in finding out about the various national, international, religious and harvest festivals and celebrated them as per their traditions.

Learning Outcomes:

The students enhanced their social, cultural and creative skills. They imbibed skills like being empathetic, taking responsibilities and having compassion for each other. They also learnt how to greet each other, appreciate each other and make friends



with people. This developed some essential social skills in the children.

Expert Talk: Mrs Sewak

Class: 2E

Class Teacher: Mrs Fehmida Yusuf

Project Topic: Air

Activities: Children took up experiments related to properties of Air like - Occupies space; exerts force (push and pull); required for all living beings; has weight, etc.

Learning Outcomes: Students understood the importance of not polluting air. They learnt about its properties - it moves things, lighter things move easily than heavier things. They came to know that it can be used to produce energy.



Class: 3A

Class Teacher : Mrs Kalpana Nerkar

Project Topic : Air

Activities : Children conducted experiments like - Air takes up space, burning needs air, air has weight, air exerts pressure, air in soil, to feel presence of air, breathing exercises, fan making, etc.

Learning Outcomes : Children understood

that air is present everywhere. They came to know that air has weight and occupies space. They learnt that we cannot see air but we can feel it. They understood that it is a mixture of gases and it is present in soil and water. They realized that all of us need air and it is needed for burning. They came to know that vehicles are the main source of air pollution.

Expert Talk: Mrs Archana Dhok.



Class: 3B

Class Teacher : Mrs Harshita Singh

Project Topic : Festivals

Activities: Children participated in Best out of waste Diwali activity, Diwali craft activity, Christmas craft activity, Map activity on harvest festival, Ganesha idol making out of clay and wheat flour dough, Festival confectionary and Song on festivals.

Learning Outcomes: The children know a lot about the traditions, background and the reason behind a lot of Indian festivals. They learnt that different categories of festivals celebrated in India

are Nation Festivals, harvest festivals and religious Festivals.

They understood that different states celebrate the festivals in their different and unique style.

They learnt that National Festivals are celebrated as a milestone of India's history. They came to know that Holi is one of the best



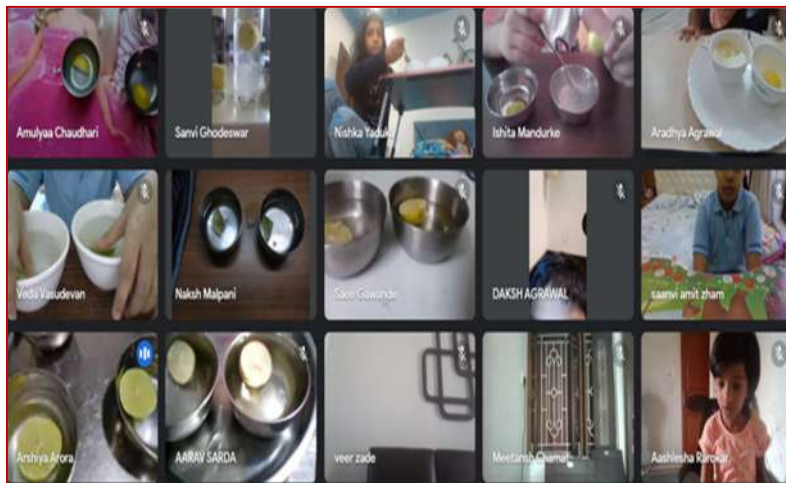
festivals of the world and on Makar Sankranti the sun leaves the Tropic of Cancer and travels to Tropic of Capricorn. They realized that we should use organic ways to celebrate festivals.

Expert Talk: Mrs Anu Joseph – Global Citizen

Class: 3C

Class Teacher: Mrs Anjali Bharti

Project Topic: Water



Activities: Children performed activities to observe if a lemon floats on salt water, which substances that dissolve in water, water and living things and relation of Water, Air and Heat.

Learning Outcomes: Children understood that the density of a liquid is a measure of how heavy it is for the amount measured.

They discovered the substances that can dissolve in water. They learnt how water is absorbed not only by the roots of plants but also by different parts of the plant. They experienced how water gets affected by the air and heat.

Field Visit: Virtual tour of water bodies.

Class: 3D

Class Teacher: Mrs Vaishali Doshi

Project Topic: Breakfast

Activities: Children took up Sprout making Activity, Sandwich making activity, Healthy week with healthy breakfast, Hazards of overeating by balloon activity, Non gas cooking, Making of different breakfast with different methods of cooking, Laying of table for breakfast according to menu, Making a menu for breakfast, Survey on Breakfast consumed in different states of our country, Interview with the Hotel manager, Collecting data on most liked/ preferred breakfast, Experiment to explain - eat Breakfast like a like a king, Experiment to check the presence of fats, Iodine test to check starch and Benefits of having breakfast.

Learning Outcomes: Children understood the meaning and importance of breakfast and were also inspired to include nutritious food in their morning meal. They came to know about the benefits of



non-gas cooking. They understood the ill-effects of eating junk food in breakfast. 'Dadi maa ke nuskhe' helped them know the reason for eating few healthy things as per season. They learnt about the breakfast eaten in different parts of India & the names of different types of breakfast eaten around the world. They understood terms like presentation, garnishing, measurements & its units, nutrients values and calories.

Field Trip: Virtual trips to ST. Reggies 5 star Hotel Mumbai and Tuli International, Nagpur

Expert Talk: Mrs Rupa Dutta



Class: 3E

Class Teacher: Mrs Pratima Nene

Project Topic: Soups and Beverages

Activities: Children engaged in chart making on beverages consumed in different seasons, soup-making activity and the benefits of the same, juice-making activity and the benefits of the same, brain-storming on the ill-effects of drinking cold-drinks, benefits and types of milk and milk intolerance, PPT presentation by students and class Padlet activity, types and benefits of tea, experiment on why aerated drinks fizz by students, how to recycle plastic containers and cartons of fruit juices and cold drinks, activity best out of waste and benefits of sugarcane juice and coconut water, survey method, visit to the vendor.



Learning Outcomes: Students enhanced listening, speaking and comprehension skills. They learnt about culinary skills, cold cooking and table manners. They developed a sensitivity towards their own food/beverage consumption choices. They came to know about the nutritional value of simple foods and complex foods. They understood and appreciated dignity of work.

Field Trip: Visit to the nearby shop/supermarket and visit to the sugarcane juice/coconut water vendor.

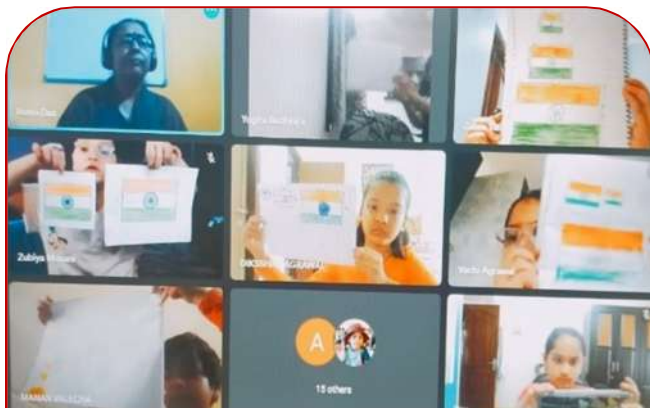
Expert Talk: Mrs Agrawal (Akash Agrawal's mother)

Class: 3F

Class Teacher: Ruma Das

Project Topic: Flags

Activities: Children made National Flag of India of different sizes with ration 3:2, designed their own flag, made flags of few countries, observed waves created in flags due to wind at different heights from the ground.



Learning Outcomes: Children learnt that a National Flag is a flag that represents and symbolizes a given nation. They came to know that National Flags of countries have different width to length ratio, colours and symbols. They learnt to make flags of different sizes using the ratio 3:2 for National Flag of India, 3:5 for National Flag of Germany etc. They understood that to design a Flag one needs to think of colour, shape and symbols.

Expert Talk: Mrs. Arpita Sharma.

Class: 4A

Class Teacher: Sonal Chhabria

Project Topic: Honey

Activities: Students conducted activities based on uses and benefits of honey, testing of pure and impure honey, an experiment on finding out the density of honey, different types of bees found in different countries and production of honey by bees.



Learning Outcomes: Students explored about the various types of bees in different countries. They demonstrated the activities where honey is used as a beauty product. They learnt about a new word



'Density' and could confidently define it. They came to know about the different uses and benefits of honey. They understood that honey never expires if stored properly.

Expert Talk: Dr Sweta Lohiya on Benefits and Uses of Honey

Class: 4B

Class Teacher: Priti Dave

Project Topic: Lemon

Activities: Students engaged in discovering the difference between lime and lemon, colourful volcano activity, blowing the balloon activity, apple does not turn brown when cut and exposed to air when coated with lemon juice and tarnished copper vessels sparkle and shine when cleaned with salt and lemon juice.



Learning Outcomes: Children differentiated between a lime and a lemon. They understood that when baking soda reacts with lime juice, CO₂ is released. They learnt that lemon juice prevents oxidation. They came to know that lemon is acidic in nature.

Field Trip: Virtual field trip to a lemon farm

Expert Talk: Dr Megha Pasari (Ayurvedic), Navroz Daver (Agriculturist) and Dr Shabana Anwar.

Class: 4C

Class Teacher: Hasina Din

Project Topic: Coca Cola



Activities: Students participated in activities to discover ingredients present in Coca Cola, mixing Coca Cola with other liquids, formation of fizz in Coca Cola, reaction of Mentos (sugar) with Coke, Coca Cola as a cleaning agent, difference between Regular Coke and Diet Coke and a survey on consumption of Coke.

Learning Outcomes: Students understood the actual reason behind the fizz that comes out of any carbonated drinks. They came to know about the ingredients required to give the drink the colour and the taste. They understood the consequences of drinking Coca Cola with milk products. They learnt about the acids present in Coca Cola which can make it work as a cleaning agent. They learnt about the ill effects of Coca Cola. They understood why people on a weight loss program prefer Diet Coke. They learnt about the healthy alternatives to Coca Cola.



Expert Talk: Dr Afsana Badar on ill effects of Coca Cola.

Class: 4D

Class Teacher: Bijilata Pillai

Project Topic: Sugar

Activities: Students engaged in growing of sugarcane in the garden, physical and chemical changes in sugar, finding the presence of sugar in fruits and dairy products, preparing jaggery with sugarcane juice, making homemade cosmetics using sugar, caramelization of sugar, analysing and collecting data through making graphs on production of sugar in India and the World and finding out how sugar acts as a preservative.

Learning Outcomes: Students came to know about the factors required to grow sugarcane. (type of soil, water required, time duration to grow, season etc...) They learnt about physical and chemical changes related to sugar for example, on heating sugar melts (solid to liquid - physical change) and increase in temperature changes the nature of sugar. (caramelization, chemical change).

They came to know the amount of natural sugar present in fruits. They understood how sugar acts as a preservative while making 'amla murabba'.

Field Trip: Manas Agro Industries & Infrastructure Ltd.

Expert Talk: Dr. Sweta Lohiya (Importance of Sugar present in our body, what is diabetes)



Class: 4E

Class Teacher: Mrs Aneeta Arora

Project Topic: Milk

Activities: Students were involved in finding varieties of milk and price difference between them, finding benefit of lactic acid on skin, making a variety of milk shakes, how curd is obtained in a



sequential process called curdling, how to make butter, how is ghee made by heating butter, reaction of lemon or citric acid with milk resulting in getting cottage cheese and nutritious whey water, how to check purity of milk and preparing simple sweet dishes with the help of milk.



Learning Outcomes: The children came to know about the variety of milk available and difference in their price. They learnt how to pasteurize milk. They imbibed a love for animals. They understood what reaction takes place when lemon and citric acid are added to milk. They learnt how to make a variety of milkshakes and sweet dishes.

They came to know how a soap can break the surface tension of milk. They learnt how to find if the milk is pure or adulterated with water.

Field Trip: Goshala visit

Expert Talk: Mr Harish, Mrs Rawat on purity & pasteurization of milk, Mrs Malu (grandmother) on the importance of milk.

Class: 5A

Class Teacher: Gurmeet Kaur

Project Topic: Salt

Activities: Students were involved in discovering why lemon floats in salt water but sinks in normal water, making ORS solution to balance salt in body, performing a skit - Dandi March to learn about salt law, made paintings on salt spread sheet to learn that salt absorbs water colour very quickly and smudges rapidly on the salt poster painting.



Learning Outcomes: Children came to know how salt is produced. They learnt about the importance of salt in human body and what would happen if there was less salt in the body - balance of the electrolytes would be disturbed. They understood why sea water is not fit for drinking as it is very salty. They came to know about the salt producing places in the world and India. They understood how salt is used in edible things



to preserve them for a longer time. They came to know how to prepare ORS solution and about medicinal values of salt. They learnt how deficiency of iodine present in salt can lead to disease (Goitre)

Field Trip: Virtual trip to salt producing factory

Expert Talk: Mrs Veena Batra (mother)

Class: 5B

Class Teacher: Charu Gandhe

Project Topic: Sugar

Activities: Students worked on activities to discover what the physical properties of sugar are, how to make caramel, what happens when sugar is burnt and the chemical properties of sugar and making 'jolbhara Sandesh'.

Learning Outcomes: Students came to know about the importance of sugar and also that it's an important component of our body as it gives energy. They learnt about the process of making sugar at the factory. They came to know a lot of physical and chemical properties of sugar such as sugar is used in making of various sweet dishes. They learnt about the nutritive value of sugar and also its side effects. They learnt about the terms – Dissolve, Solution and Saturation. They learnt that the intake of sugar in some form or the other is important for our body to get energy.

They came to know about the preservative property of sugar, caramelization, i.e. burning of sugar. They realized that sugar has physical and chemical properties.

Field Trip: Virtual trip to a sugar factory.

Expert Talk: Mrs Shah on 'Myths on Sugar' (mother).



Class: 5C

Class Teacher: Mrs Roma Mundra

Project Topic: Pencil

Activities: Students explored using a quill as an ancient tool, explored graphite as a conductor through electrolysis, magic pencil activity, connecting maths and pencil through geometry, writing about my dream



pencil, locating graphite mines on the map of India, why children chew pencils, connecting life and pencil, Grip Activity and making of an eco-friendly pencil.

Learning Outcomes: Students came to know the varied uses of a pencil outside a classroom. They understood the grading of pencils. They learnt about the properties of the different materials used to make pencils.

Field Trip: Virtual trip to pencil making factory

Expert Talk: Mr Rajesh Telrande – Art teacher.

Class: 5D

Class Teacher: Bhagyashree R

Project Topic: Pets

Activities: Students took up a pet survey, introduction of own pets, visit to a pet shop, pet market, visit to a vet, model making of pet houses, drawings of pet animals, teaching tricks to pets.



Learning Outcomes: Children learnt valuable life lessons like responsibility, trust, respect and patience. They came to know how pets need to be looked after by their owners. They learnt about various organizations working for street animals. They understood that pets also need to be physically and mentally fit.

Field Trip: Virtual trip to pet market

Expert Talk: Shrikant Wadi – Dog trainer

Class: 5E

Class Teacher: Swati Kelkar

Project Topic: Plants

Activities: Students took up studying structure of leaves, extracting chlorophyll pigment and comparing colour & art integration by making patterns using pigment colour, making nutritious drinks with leaves, different ways of planting using budding, seeds, plants, finding which seeds germinate faster, finding germination points of potato, finding solution for pollution, making kitchen garden, making healthy and nutritious food involving all the parts of plants, ways of making soil fertile, making compost, finding whether salt makes soil fertile.



Learning Outcomes: Children discovered that no seed or plant is grown in soil with salt as with salt soil becomes very hard. They understood that different plants have different requirements. They learnt how to make nutritious food with the help of a kitchen garden. They learnt to plant without using chemicals. They came to know which plants give more oxygen.



Field Trip: Children's own gardens

Expert Talk: Mr Patel on different ways of planting.

Class: 5F

Class Teacher: Hutoxi Watchmaker

Project Topic: Colours

Activities: Students engaged in show & tell, PPT making, cooking with colours, Tie & Dye, Rainbow making, Festivals of the world-Fancy Dress & Collage making, Debate, Mandala making (Odisha)



Learning Outcomes: Students realized that colours add liveliness to our lives. They understood the difference between primary & secondary colours. They came to know that each colour has a meaning related to life skills. They understood the need to use eco-friendly colours for Holi.

Expert Talk: Mr Madan.

CPS, AB'S POORVI EMERGES AS THE CITY TOPPER IN THE READ 'N' GROW COMPETITION



City topper of Read 'N' Grow Competition, Poorvi Chhitarka with Perveen Ma'am and Bhakti Ma'am



The virtual Read 'N' Grow Inter-School Contest was organized by Sandipani School, Hazari Pahad, Nagpur on 9th Jan'22. It aimed to engage children through imaginative stories which had rich visual and contextual elements that brought forth visceral emotions, ignited their love for birds and animals, and gave students an enthralling reward to open a book. There were different stories for different groups; they all weaved a bridge to the child's unexplored world with the silken cords of knowledge and wisdom. The contest gave an opportunity once again to boost a child's imagination and to teach right from wrong. It developed their critical thinking skills and helped the children to deal with their emotions, and brought forth an experience termed 'the joy of reading'. The competition involved reading books and then taking part in an online assessment to win attractive prizes. The ardent readers were all prepared to outshine in the contest, and they did it by winning prizes in different categories. This year the top seven in each category were selected based on accuracy and the time required to complete the assessment. 37 students from Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass had participated in the competition. All of them performed very well. Poorvi Chittarka emerged as the winner at the City level in Group D, in which students of classes VIII, IX and X from schools around Nagpur had contested. Poorvi was awarded a certificate and book set.

Poorvi was commended for her achievement by the Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde and the staff.

CPS, AB'S GOOD SAMARITANS LEAD THE CHANGE



CPS, AB's aspiring changemakers, the participants of the Harper Collins SDG Chaupal Competition

The students of Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass had qualified to participate in the Harper Collins' Sustainable Development Goal 'Chaupal' competition by securing the 6th rank at the national level. They successfully entered the second stage of the competition. Every school had



been assigned a partner school and a sustainable development goal out of the 17 goals stated by the United Nations. Our school in partnership with Hadas High School, Nagpur worked towards designing activities based on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal number 4 which is 'Quality Education for all.' There were 20 teams selected from all over the country. Each team comprised a private school and a State Board school. In all 40 schools participated from different parts of India. Mr. Pratham Golcha was the mentor for the CPS, AB team.

The team designed a program for students living in rural India, where electricity and technology are not always available to make learning joyful. Since stories leave an everlasting effect on the young minds of students and also enhance their imagination and thinking capacity, the team designed Teaching Aids in the form of sample stories. These stories were based on the Science and Social Science concepts taught to classes 6 and 8 of the Maharashtra State Board and the CBSE schools. They figured out that the teachers could introduce the topics or concepts with a story that would ignite curiosity in the young minds and add to their joy of learning. This would increase their attendance, and ensure quality learning and retention. Stories could be told by teachers without any use of technology or monetary expenditure and could be translated into any language. This could be enhanced by puppets made from waste material. All the sample stories were written by the students and teachers of both schools in English, Hindi and Marathi with engaging illustrations.



The winners of the Harper Collins Sustainable development Goal Chaupal competition with Perveen Ma'am, Bhakti Ma'am, Prajakta Ma'am, and Gargi Ma'am

On 8th Dec.'21, the CPSAB team visited Surendragarh Hindi Madhyamic Shala, NMC, Nagpur, where Harshika Bajaj and Yukta Singh presented two demo stories to the children and teachers using puppets. The children enjoyed the stories immensely and the efforts put in by the two schools were appreciated by the Head Master Mr. Ballamwar and the staff. Team members Harshika and Yukta presented 'The Edutales Starting Kit' (two booklets containing 42 stories of Science and SST in Hindi) and two sets of puppets made from waste material to the Head Master. Hadas High school's students visited Gardener High school where students presented two demo stories to the children and teachers using puppets. They also presented 'The Edutales Starting Kit' to the school.



These stories were used by Surendragad Hindi Madyamic Shala, NMC, Nagpur for actual teaching in the class. Hands on experiment in Hadas High school and Surendragad Hindi Madyamic Shala showed that the stories created interest in the class and improved grasp and retention of the topic taught which was very encouraging.

The team also created a website where monthly competitions for original stories will be held. The best stories will be added to the collection. Anyone can use these stories as a teaching tool. The stories are available in English, Hindi and Marathi Languages.

The team faced many challenges due to the Covid situation and the Board and the school exams, but in the end, it was a learning experience of its kind to all involved. The entire collaboration work with the partner school was done online. The final presentation was in the form of a video which was submitted on 28 Feb.'22.

The team was overwhelmed to learn that they had secured the 7th All India rank in the prestigious competition.

Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs. Bhakti Bobde and the staff congratulated the children and their mentors on their remarkable feat.

CPS, AB'S COUNSELLORS CONDUCT WORKSHOP AHEAD OF BOARD EXAMS



The resource persons for the workshop
Mrs Aditi Chatterjee, Mrs Nandita Rambhia and
Mrs Sakina Master

more effective and fun too. Children were also shown how to stay motivated to study by taking simple, small steps.

Several tips were given to the students about developing a conducive study environment and maintaining a good balance between studies and time out. It was an interactive session taken in

The counsellors of Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass, Mrs Nandita Rambhia, Mrs Aditi Chatterjee and Mrs Sakina Master conducted a workshop for the class X students on 11th Feb'22 to demonstrate various Learning Strategies-methods, tips and techniques to study more effectively. Each person has his/her learning style. Keeping this in mind, the counsellors outlined and demonstrated various methods like the Swiss Cheese technique, FASTER, Pomodoro technique, Feynman technique and the Mind Mapping strategy, which can be practised by the children to make learning quicker,



two batches and Covid protocols were maintained. Active learning is always more effective than passive learning. Hence the workshop ended with a practical demonstration by teaching the students to learn a long answer in a short period, using the above mentioned technique. This had a huge motivating effect on the students.

A few days later, when the students were asked for feedback, many of them reported to have “tried the Pomodoro technique and it worked” and how the “Swiss Cheese Technique helped to study, even when not in the mood to study for too long”, “after the workshop I felt that studying is not as difficult as it seems” and “now I know how to learn better and smarter”.



Nandita Ma'am conducting a segment of the session



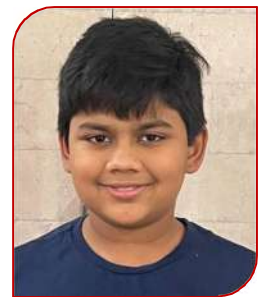
Sakina Ma'am interacts with the children

CPS, AB'S ELOCUTIONISTS SHINE AT EURO ELOQUENCE 2022

Euro School, Thane had organized a virtual elocution competition 'Euro Eloquence 2022 – The Talking Titans' on 15th February 2022 from 1:30 pm to 3:00 pm across all Lighthouse Learning schools for the primary sections. A creative genre, elocution is a spontaneous overflow of powerful feelings, moods and inspiration. Every speaker was given the liberty to



Zaahaa Rana



Shayan Jain

choose any piece of their choice, be it prose, a poem or an excerpt from a famous literary work. Category 1 included classes/grades 1, 2 & 3 and Category 2 comprised classes/grades 4 & 5. Each participant was allowed to speak for 2 minutes. Zaahaa Rana of Class I represented the school in Category 1. She put up a spectacular performance thereby exhibiting great confidence. Despite being a student of the junior-most class, she gave a tough competition to the other contestants who



were from classes II & III. In Category 2, Shayan Jain of Class 5 represented the school and showcased great articulation that highlighted his excellent oratory skills. His extraordinary presentation enabled him to successfully scoop the 1st position and grab the Best Speaker award. The participants were judged based on pronunciation, voice modulation, clarity/diction, choice of piece and overall impression. The judges, Ms Geena Mathew and Ms Jumana Gari were all praises our young contestants. Our Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal Mrs Bhakti Bobde, Zahaa and Shayan's mentors, Mrs Indrani Panti, Mrs Rachana Waswani, Mrs Ruchita Raut and Mrs Mahua Chopra, and the staff congratulated the children and wished them success in all their endeavours.

STUPENDOUS PERFORMANCE BY THE CREATIVE EINSTEINS OF CPS, AB

An Inter-School Virtual Science Fest 'INFINITY' was organized by Delhi Public School, Kamptee Road, Nagpur on the occasion of National Science Day on 28th Feb'22. The participants from Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass proved their mettle with their stupendous performance. They bagged prizes in various categories.



Ummehani Amin

In Event: 1 'Novelty'- Act like a Scientist, the contestants had to enact a Noble PRIZE winner in the field of Science. Ummehani Amin from 6-A secured the first prize in it as she gave a mindboggling performance by playing Marie Curie. She left the judges dumbstruck with her spontaneous answers when they asked her various questions related to her act and Marie Curie's life. The judges appreciated her acting, confidence and the detailed study that she had undergone for the final performance. She was trained by

Ms. Kshama Chaudhari and Ms. Ruchita Raut.



Divyansh Mathrani

In Event: 3 'Melodies' – Tune the Topic, the contestants had to compose a song of 8 lines on the topic given, using the maximum number of appropriate scientific terminologies related to the topic. Aditi Gautam from 8-B bagged the third prize as she composed the song on the topic- 'Natural Phenomenon'

and sang it, in an hour's duration. Her melodious voice and amazing composition won everyone's heart. She was trained by Mr Vibhakar Vaidya and Ms Rita Manke.



Aditi Gautam

In Event: 5 'Toon the Topic'- Comic Strip, the contestants had to make a comic strip on the theme- Accidental Discoveries in Science. Gifted with a creative bent of mind, Divyansh Mathrani



from 8-D grabbed the first prize in it by his flawless work. The content displayed on the Comic Strip was apt and crisp. He was trained by Ms Reshma Ravi Das and Ms Debasmita Ghosh.

The Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde and the staff congratulated the Creative Einsteins on their amazing achievement.

BON VOYAGE @CPS, AB

Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass conducted a Virtual Travel Guide Making Competition for the students of Class IX. All the Houses were assigned less popular but breath-taking places as any other famous tourist places. The House meeting was conducted on the virtual platform and the Houses were given 4 weeks to complete their travel guides.

The House meeting sessions challenged the limits of the children and gave them an opportunity to explore their creative side while they worked on the brochure. Although on the virtual platform, one could observe the children developing and honing communication skills and spatial skills, learning collaboration, decision making, teamwork and time management. It seemed like each participant was a winner in some way.

As the submission date approached, the students were ready with their incredible travel guides which could easily persuade anyone to visit these destinations. The virtual travel guides were no less than spectacular virtual tours of these places.

For the judges, Founder Principal, Mrs. Radhika Mehra Ma'am and alumni of Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass, Tanaya Bowade and Dr. Jyotimani, the task at hand was a truly challenging one.

The results were announced on 28th Feb'22 and the Yellow House was declared winner with 580 points. The Red House came second with 570 points, while the Green House and the Blue House tied for the third place with 520 points.

Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal, Mrs. Bhakti Bobde commended the winners and the participants of all the houses for outshining in the creative endeavour.

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CPS AB's QUIZ MASTERS OUTSHINE ONCE AGAIN!!!

Raman Science Centre, Nagpur conducted the National Science Week from 28th Feb to 7th Mar'22 commemorating National Science Day. During this grand occasion, they conducted various



online events like a drawing contest, poster making contest, open house quest, and many more. Many children across the nation participated enthusiastically in these events. Our brainy quiz masters from CPS, AB also participated in the event and made a remarkable place for themselves. The most talked-about events were the quizzes wherein our gems- Yukta Singh and Sauhardya Biswas under the guidance of Prajakta Gokhale Ma'am surpassed the other competitors to bag the 1st position and an Encouragement Prize respectively.



Sauhardya Biswas

The topics for the quizzes were CV Raman: His Life and Works and Science and Technology for Sustainable Development. Our spontaneous and quick participants solved the questions in a blink and scored the highest and were appreciated for their hard work and knowledge. Both the students were on cloud nine to be acknowledged for their performance and were awarded trophies, certificates and books on Science.



Yukta Singh

The Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal Mrs Bhakti Bobde and their mentor Mrs Prajakta Gokhale congratulated the children, and their parents for their support and wished them luck for the upcoming competitions.

CPS, AB'S YUKTA AND YASHIKA EXCEL IN THE SAEVUS ECO ACHIEVERS FAMILY EDITION QUIZ

The SAEVUS Eco Achievers Family Edition Online Quiz 2021-22 was organized by the Saevus Wildlife India and sponsored by Tigor Electric Cars. Over 200 schools had participated in this grand event in which approximately 5000 students enrolled to take a head-on challenge. The top-notch quizzee of CPS, AB, Yukta Singh of grade VIII teamed up with her mother and participated in the senior category. Her talented sister, Yashika Singh of grade IV paired up with her mom and enrolled for the junior category. They showcased immense zeal, confidence and spontaneity in the quizzes. Yukta successfully grabbed the 2nd Runners-up position in the senior category, and to top it all, Yashika along with her mother scooped the 1st prize of the Family Edition quiz in the junior category in the National Finale. They were awarded cash prizes, trophies and digital certificates.



The winners were commended on their success by the Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde and the staff.



The winning mother-daughter duo
Yashika and her mother



Yukta and her mother lift the 2nd
Runners-up trophy

PROJECTS@CPS, AB

After a long wait of almost 2 years, Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass is back with its extravagant hamper of projects. The transition from offline to online and then back again to offline was no less than a joy ride for all. The children happily welcomed this great change with open arms and surprisingly adapted themselves to this new normal so well. The seeds of the project that were sown online altogether took over to a new phase. In a short span of time, the chirping birds learnt various topics, showcased their incredible creative side in all the activities, and explored and researched their project topics vividly with their teachers at school. All set with vibrantly dressed classrooms, the children from classes 1 to 5 were ready to witness the most awaited display of their work for this session. Classes 1, 2 and 3 had their project display on 6th, 7th and 8th Apr' 22 respectively. For classes 4 and 5 the projects were put up for display on 23rd and 24th March respectively. The details of the projects are as under-

Class : 1 A

Class Teacher- Priya Gyanchandani

Project Topic- leaves

About the project- Experiential Learning, the process which engages the learners in hands-on experiences and reflection, helps students connect knowledge and theories learned in the classroom to real-world situations. This year, the students of class 1A enthusiastically selected the project topic 'LEAVES' and unfolded the wonderful secrets of nature. Throughout the project, the tiny tots explored many things like the different parts and types of leaves, the different colours in which leaves can be seen in nature, various medicinal values and other uses of leaves. The young



scientists, during the experiment of Photosynthesis, could see how leaves breathe and make food for the plant. The cute smiles on their faces were worth-watching during the Symmetry (a fundamental part of Geometry, nature and shapes) activity using Leaves. The integration of the project topic 'Leaves' with the other subjects enhanced their listening, speaking, reading, writing and language skills. The best gift received by the children during the project display from their parents was in the form of appreciation and praises that motivated them to the core.



Class : 1 B

Class Teacher : Maithili Sisodiya

Project Topic : Vegetables

About the project- Inquiry-based learning methodology encourages students to learn by applying knowledge and skills through an engaging experience and sparking their curiosity. It helps them demonstrate their skills independently and in a team. This year Class 1B racked their brains and came up with 'VEGETABLES' as their project topic. Children enthusiastically performed various activities in all the subjects which enhanced their cognitive skills. Their learning included various concepts like germination, exotic vegetables, organic kitchen farming, making Compost using vegetable peels and the most loved and innovative activity of Bandhej. They also came to appreciate the importance of eating vegetables. Mathematics was fun with counting vegetables and designing their vegetable printing patterns. This platform encouraged and motivated kids for social and emotional learning.



Children participated wholeheartedly (online and offline) and made this project a success. The efforts and hard work put in by the children and teachers were appreciated by all the parents.



Class : 1 C

Class Teacher : Geeta Shende

Project Topic : Chocolates

About the project- Project-Based Learning unleashes contagious, creative energy among students and teachers. As a result, students develop deep content knowledge as well as critical thinking, collaboration, creativity and communication skills. The students of class 1C collectively decided to do a project on 'CHOCOLATES', which was integrated with all subjects. They learnt about the different chocolate brands along with their logos, wrote a cinquain poem using the word chocolate,



had fun with fractions and found the perimeter of an object using chocolate. The children were elated with all the activities of the project but most of them were excited to watch the live demo of making homemade chocolates and baking a cake, designing their own customized hot chocolate stand and relating it to the Math operations and also advertising/marketing the same. Children were thrilled to use several online tools in their project. Parents found the

play and learn method of our project (online and offline mode) very interesting and innovative. They also appreciated the efforts of all the teachers and work of the children that was put up on display.

Class : 1 D

Class Teacher : Bhawna Sharma

Project topic- money

About the project -This year students of class 1D collectively opted for a project on the topic 'Money'. Under the guidance of their teachers, children undertook various activities and performed each task confidently. Their learning included concepts like international currencies along with their symbols, labelling of a rupee note on both sides along with the language panel, modes of payment, conversion of money and many more. The children were very enthusiastic about all the activities but they enjoyed shopping and making piggy banks and



paper wallets the most. Parents too were elated and surprised to see the wonderful work presented by the children. They were thrilled to see the integration of the project activities with our subjects. They even appreciated the new and innovative way of teaching and learning through various activities both online and offline.

Class : 2 A

Class Teacher : Shilpa Pande

Project Topic : Flowers

About the project - The thrilling part of school life for every student is the school fests, sports days, games, and competitions. For the Centre Pointers 'Project Display' is no less than a festival. After the reopening of the school, the students and the parents of Class 2A witnessed an exciting Project Display on the Topic - Flowers. The students got a chance to showcase their talents and interests during this project. The students did many activities related to the topic 'Flowers' in all the subjects which was truly a great joy. They gained a lot of knowledge, information and hands-on experience about Flowers. The parents were very happy to see the creativity of their wards. The parents admired the efforts taken by their kids and the teachers.

Class : 2 B

Class Teacher : Priyamvada Singh

Project Topic : Fruits

About the project - After a long wait of almost two years, the students and their parents witnessed



an enthralling project display on the topic-'Fruits'. The students did many interesting activities related to Fruits in all the subjects. They loved being involved in the activities and enjoyed doing them thoroughly. This project display allowed the students to demonstrate their personal abilities. It brought the

students together to complete tasks and they understood the related concepts in a better way. The students' creativity, collaboration and critical thinking left the parents awestruck. They admired the efforts taken by the teachers and the students to make this project display a fascinating experience.



Class : 2 C

Class Teacher : Indrani Panti

Project Topic : Wood

About the project- 'Project 2022' witnessed an endearing response not only from the students but from the parents as well. Through the project, the enthusiastic children learned various skills through various activities. The children showcased wonderful creativity through their art and



craftwork. They enjoyed watching their class dress up in colourful attire each day. They enjoyed making Thank You cards for their beloved parents the most. It was indeed an amazing experience for the children and the teachers. The parents wholeheartedly appreciated the efforts of the teachers and the students.

Class : 2 D

Class Teacher : Pallavi Tiwari

Project Topic : Clothes

About the project - At Centre Point School, we mark each and every milestone of a child's learning process. One such event taken up every year is the project display, where the children choose one topic and the learning commences

based on it. Different concepts are taught through various activities related to the project topic. Class 2 D witnessed one such landmark through the project topic - 'Clothes', where the children collaborated and researched the most amazing facts and details about it. Learning was carried out through the numerous activities in each subject. Children learnt the



history of making clothes to the latest attires worn around the world. They learnt symmetry,



adjectives, poems, autobiography and incredible inventions related to clothes. Through an array of their work, children portrayed their creativity, confidence and communication skills in front of their parents. They thoroughly enjoyed this memorable journey for the session.

Class : 2 E

Class Teacher : Vanita Khare

Project Topic : Vehicles

About the project- One happy morning as a part of the daily ritual my students and I indulged in a conversation and they collectively came with the decision of having 'VEHICLES' as the topic of their project. Later during the classes, different activities related to the topic were conducted. Children learned a lot during the process and had loads of fun. After the activities, all the photos were displayed on the photo wall in the form of a collage. All the parents were overjoyed to see the learning of their little ones as they patiently went about observing the project display.



Class : 3 A

Class Teacher : Risha Garg

Project Topic : Spices

About the Project- Project-based learning has always been the best approach for making the children understand the importance of team spirit. The creative minds made every activity of the project 'Spices' an enriching learning experience by adding their personal inputs as well as working in a group. They enjoyed doing the research on spices and making PowerPoint Presentations in different groups. Activities conducted on relevant topics in different subjects gave them an insight about spices and helped in a looped learning process. The efforts of both, the children and the teachers, were appreciated by the parents.



Class : 3 B

Class Teacher : Yasmeen Khan

Project Topic : Bicycle

About the project - The very thought of working on a project filled the children with boundless joy. As the unanimous decision, the topic- Bicycle was chosen. The children did numerous activities which were integrated with all the



subjects. They also learnt how to work democratically in a group and developed a sense of responsibility and appreciation. They enjoyed making models of bicycles using popsicles and other material. They were very creative in making a keychain for themselves. Indeed it was an enthralling experience for both, children and teachers. The parents too appreciated the efforts put in by the students and teachers.

Class : 3 C

Class Teacher : Nausheen Qureshi

Project Topic : Dry Fruits



About the project- The project method of learning was always liked by the children and was highly enjoyed by 3C students. Children were very enthusiastic to learn about dry fruits and enjoyed all the activities conducted in class. Making dry fruit laddoos was the most enjoyable activity. Nutritional values and the health benefits of dry fruits were discussed. Children showed their creative hands by making art and craftwork using the dry fruits. They worked in groups which



helped in development of team spirit in them. Activities conducted were integrated with all the subjects which gave overall information about the topic to the children.

Class : 3 D

Class Teacher : Jyoti Nair

Project Topic : Seeds



About the project-The dynamic students of class III-D selected the topic 'Seeds'. They actively participated in all the activities. They enhanced their creative writing skills. They also got acquainted with the knowledge that good quality soil is very important for a seed to grow into a healthy plant. The enthusiastic children uploaded their videos explaining the fraction of collections (seeds). The budding artists enjoyed making art and craft. It was a wonderful

experience for all. The parents too appreciated the efforts put in by all students and teachers.

Class : 3 E

Class Teacher : Dolly David

Project Topic : Beads

About the project - The zealous tiny tots of class III-E had a wonderful experience in the second term with the project 'Beads'. The project was a treat for all the children. The project wove all the subjects around the topic



making sure that all-round learning took place. They had a whale of a time doing various activities like creative-writing, creating PowerPoint presentations, making Ganit mala and making bracelets. The fun-filled activities in Maths like multiplication arrays, fraction beads and pattern beads enriched their logical thinking skills. On the whole, it was a great learning experience for everybody.



Class : 4 A

Class Teacher : Rebecca Marshall

Project Topic : 'Wheels'

About the project- The practical way to develop life skills is Project-based learning which facilitates both creativity and knowledge. The topic of the project of CLASS 4 A was 'WHEELS'. During the project, children researched various aspects of the wheel and learnt to apply their knowledge through activities such as working of Newton's Disc, Wheel of Angles, Symmetrical Wheels, model of the water wheel and facts of Konark sun temple sun dial wheel to name a few. Each child got an opportunity to hone the skills of creative writing & logical reasoning. Working in teams made them aware of the viewpoints of others and helped them voice their ideas.



Class : 4 B

Class Teacher- Charmine Lawrence

Project Topic : 'Seasons'



About the project - The innovative minds of class IV B selected 'Seasons' as their project topic. The project was taken up in collaboration with all subjects taught. They researched the 'reason for seasons' and learnt how the revolution of the earth and the tilt of its axis causes seasons. They enjoyed learning about different seasons and

the time of the year when they occur. A show and tell activity was conducted to learn about seasonal foods, fruits, clothes and festivals. They recorded temperatures of different cities of India on a bar graph and were overjoyed to understand the mystery behind the leap year. The children gave expression to their creativity through idioms and poem writing. The concepts were reinforced through songs, worksheets and craft activities. Apart from the knowledge and skills acquired in



various subjects, it incorporated values like sharing and working in coordination with their peer groups and performing tasks independently.

Class : 4 C

Class Teacher : Darshana Pali

Project Topic : 'Roots'

About the project- After a brief discussion, children of class- 4 C took up 'Roots' as the project topic. Children enjoyed the activity on 'Regrowing spring onions in water. This was taken forward and tried with other vegetables such as carrot, radish, garlic etc. Apart from the basic functions of roots, children were amazed to experiment and observe the role of roots in preventing soil erosion. Children were exhilarated to proceed further in the project when they explored living bridges which were made of roots of live trees. The research and experiments on roots not only enhanced their knowledge on the topic but also helped sensitize them towards the role of various factors that help sustain life on this planet.



Class : 4 D

Class Teacher : Rachna Waswani

Project Topic : Packets and Packages

About the project- Taking a clue from the wide array of packaged items, the children of Class IV-D unanimously decided to take up 'Packets and Packages' as their project topic. The project activities started in online mode and we were lucky to be in offline mode during the culmination of the project. It gave the students an opportunity for hands-on learning and collaborative learning. They learnt the importance of eco-friendly packaging and vowed to practice the three R's- Reduce, Reuse,



Recycle. The children participated enthusiastically in all the subject-related activities and were at their creative best. Their joy and pride reached the pinnacle when they presented their project to their parents.



Class : 5 A

Class Teacher : Kshama Chaudhari

Project Topic : Cells

About the project- The topic 'CELLS' was totally new for class-5 children, so the scope of research for children was more. They engrossed themselves in research work individually and in groups. They were very eager to see the actual cell structure, so when physical school commenced they



were taken to the Biology laboratory and plant cells and animal cells through a microscope were shown to them. The other types of cells like Cell phones, and battery cells were also explored and studied by them. They were very excited to use a multi-

meter to see the voltage of their cells in the classroom. They showed interest in studying the timeline of Cell Theory. They presented their work of all the subjects through posters, PowerPoint presentations, and even videos. They also showed their creativity by making the models of Plant Cell and Animal Cell. An actual honeycomb was shown to them to explore the various cells present



in it. Children were amazed to see the wonder of nature and the meticulous work done by the honeybees. On the display day, children explained their work to their parents in detail. The parents were enthralled to see the display in the classroom. It was a great learning experience for both children as well as teachers. Overall, the project 'Cells' was a great success.

Class : 5 B

Class Teacher : Kavitha Chordia

Project Topic : Beverages

About the project- It was great working with the class discovering beverages. The children were very enthusiastic and eager to perform the different activities as the project was interesting and fun. They brought information on



different types of beverages and displayed it in the class in the form of charts. They also shared their knowledge through PowerPoint presentations. The class project was appreciated by the parents. They acknowledged the hard work put in by the children and teachers for the project. They praised the innovative methods of teaching and the various facts picked up by the children while they were doing the project.

Class : 5 C

Class Teacher : Ranjini Nair

Project Topic : Tools

About the project - Children had a great time doing various activities related to 'Tools'. This project



helped the eager learners to see the transition of tools from prehistoric to modern-day ones. They did their research and shared their knowledge in the form of Posters, PowerPoint Presentations, models etc. They had fun experiencing the 'Stone Age' days by making their own

stone tools by collecting stones from the playground. Furthermore, the children had a gala time



during the 'Tool Exhibition' where they dressed up as professionals displaying and explaining the tools of their respective professions. Parents were amazed and thrilled to see the children excited and enthusiastic about their project display. They also praised the efforts taken by teachers to blend holistic development with academics.

Class : 5 D

Class Teacher : Mahua Chopra

Project Topic : Apples

About the project: The dynamic students of class V-D thoroughly enjoyed doing different activities related to different subjects. They did their own research and shared the same in the class. Under this project, they got to know about the different varieties of apples, the places they are mostly grown, the way they are



grown and taken care of, etc. They also learnt adjectives, idioms and proverbs related to 'apples'. They even did the research for the Apple company and also about the city which is called the BIG APPLE (New York City). To add to their joy quotient, an Apple Menu week was observed. Parents were awestruck by the way the different activities were displayed for them. They appreciated the hands-on learning, the holistic approach and the great efforts taken by the students and teachers.

The children thoroughly enjoyed each and every bit of the project. The twinkling eyes were eagerly waiting to welcome their parents, and with great pride and honour they took them through the wonderful journey from the start to the end. It was a great experience to have an overwhelming response from the parents. Their presence motivated and encouraged the children to do more creative things.





**Speed,
Stamina
and
Skill.**



SPEED, STAMINA & SKILL

YUNAY OF CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD WINS A GOLD AND SILVER IN SKATING

Yunay Manek, of Centre Point School, Katol Road is a promising skater who has won many accolades in skating. In the Vidarbha Roller Skating Association District matches conducted on 15th & 16th May'22 Yunay participated in the 7-9 yr age group category in In-Line Speed Skating events. He won a Gold medal in 250 metres in line speed skating and a Silver medal in 500 metres event. There were more than 250 participants from all over Vidarbha and Yunay's skill led him to this stupendous success in the face of tough competition from contenders for the coveted medals.

Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly, Principal, CPS Katol Road commended Yunay on his success.



Yunay with a Gold & a Silver medal



The medals won by Yunay in In Line Speed Skating



CPSWN SKATER GLIDES HER WAY TO VICTORY

A young and talented skater from Centre Point, WN carved a niche for herself when she competed in the Mini District Level Skating Competition which was held in the city in February.

A Class 3 student, Arohi Nademwar tasted twin victories, bagging the Silver and Bronze Medals in Speed Skating. She was selected for the state level skating tournament which was held in Mumbai from 24th to 28th March '22.

A smiling Arohi along with her coach, Mr Swapnil Samarth received a big pat on the back from the school management and staff for her laudable achievement.



Arohi Nademwar

INTER-HOUSE SPORTING BONANZA AT CPS, AB



The winning Blue House team with Perveen Ma'am and Bhakti Ma'am

Inter-house sporting events were conducted for the students of classes VIII, IX and X on 10th Feb'22. Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass' sports arena bubbled with energy as it became the venue for the Football matches and relay events.



The event commenced with the football tournament. The first match was played between Red House and Green House which initially tied at a score of 1-1. In the penalty shootouts, after an enthralling episode, Red house won against Green house with a score of 5-4. In the next match-Blue house vs Yellow house- the Yellow house won over the Blue house with a score of 2-1. In the third-place playoffs, Green house beat Blue house under the captaincy of Riddhim Chib by a score of 3-0. Before the final match, the team members were wished luck



The winning Yellow House team with Perveen Ma'am and Bhakti Ma'am

by the Principal, Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal Bhakti Bobde. The players of Yellow house and Red house put the best of their efforts and displayed their excellent skills and performance and at first tied at 1-1. Consequently, Yellow house, with Manan Kriplani as the captain of the team won the final match against Red house in a penalty shootout scoring 8-7.

The relay races followed suit. Each team in the relay event consisted of 4 members. The athletes ran with great speed and the Blue house emerged as the winner. Their team members were- Gunjan Mahajan, Manya Patel, Arnav Arya and Rhidham Gupta. The Yellow house team, comprising Ishan Kumar, Maitreyee Charpe, Gargi Koreti and Krishna Chaturvedi, secured the second position.

The winning teams were presented with trophies- the Yellow House was awarded the Rolling Trophy for their victory in the Football tournament, and the Blue House received the trophy to mark their victory in the Relay event.

Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad and Mrs. Bhakti Bobde congratulated the winners as well as the participants for their excellent display of skills and sportsmanship.

Reported by
Apala Shukla and Narayani Jodhpurkar,
X C, CPS, AB





The Inter-house sporting bonanza

CPS, AB'S FOOTBALLERS STRIKE VICTORY!



The U-14 footballers with their mentor Rahul Sir and Principal Perveen Ma'am

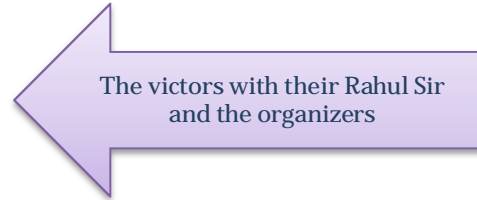
Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass' football team has won the U-14 Inter-School Football Tournament 2022 organised by Essence International School, Hingna as part of the Ankit Menon Memorial Sports Festival. It was on 26th Feb'22 that our team had contested the match after almost two years. Yet this gap brought forth by the restrictions of the pandemic deterred neither their spirit nor confidence. As soon as the team learnt about the tournament, with great sincerity and discipline

they underwent regular intensive training sessions with their coach Mr Rahul Neware. All their efforts transformed into success when they beat Nobel Sports Academy with a penalty shootout of 2-1 in the grand finale. The stars of the tournament were Arhan Ahmed, Aarush Shende, Ishan



Kumar, Akshat Aditya, Viranchi Babhulkar, Praneel Bhattacharjee, Akshat Meshram and Vinayak Devam.

Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde and the staff congratulated the footballers on their success.



CPS, AB'S SWIMMERS OF YELLOW HOUSE CELEBRATE VICTORY!

Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass conducted the Inter-house Swimming Kick



Board Race for the students of classes I, II and III on 13th Apr.'22. 45 skilled swimmers competed to bring glory to their respective houses.

Arhaan Doshi of the Blue House emerged as the winner of the Inter-House Boys' swimming event for classes I and II. Yuvaan Raipure of Yellow House stood

second and Hridhaan Jaiswal of Green House was the II Runner-up of the event.

The Inter-House Girls' swimming event for classes I and II was won by Batul Husain from the Green house. Kuhu Singrakhia from Green house secured the second position and Aashna Sachdeva of Blue house got the third prize.

In the Inter-House Swimming event for the Boys of class III, Vivaan Parikh of Yellow house swam to the first position. Kiaan Doshi of Red house emerged as the I Runner-up followed by Vihaan Pongde of Yellow House as the II Runner-up.



The Inter-House Swimming event for the Girls of class III saw Amaira Thakur of Blue house making it to the winner's position. Taniskha Rampuria of Yellow House secured the second position and Diyara Sangtani earned the third prize.



Their scores combined, the Yellow House stood first with 13 points, Blue and Green Houses tied up for the second position by scoring 12 points and Red house finished third with 3 points.

Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal, Principal Mrs. Bhakti Bobde applauded the winners and praised all the participants for their spirited performance.



The Inter-house Swimming Kick Board Race in progress





Festive Occasions



FESTIVE OCCASIONS

CLASS 12 CPSKR - STUDENTS ACCORDED WARM FAREWELL



Entertainment by Class 11 for Class 12

students and the teachers were ready to welcome them.

The class 11 students had put up a small entertainment programme for their seniors. It began with Sampada Vibhute of 11F invoking the blessings of the Almighty, followed by some electrifying dance performances. The singers regaled the audience with a medley of retro and present-day songs. Vinay Kriplani of 11D enthralled the audience with his spirited rap. The 1-

The outgoing batch of Class 12, Centre Point School, Katol Road, Nagpur, was accorded a warm farewell by the school on 7th April 2022. It was a glittering ceremony resplendent with the pretty girls in sarees and the suave gentlemen in tuxedos, an evening to remember. The Mukhtangan was all set to receive the



Class 12 Smartly clad boys playing a game



Enjoying the programme

minute game conducted by the teachers saw the students participating eagerly to win for their respective sections.

The class teachers read out meaningful citations for the students as the Vice Principals, Mrs. Renu Singh and Mrs. Delnaaz Kapoor presented the mementos to them. It was a heartwarming sight for the teachers to see the students mingle with each



other over refreshments and click pictures and selfies after two years of the pandemic. The programme was compered by Ms. Supriti Chaudhuri and Mrs. Rinku Chakraborty.



SO LONG! FAREWELL CLASS 10 !

The outgoing batch of Class 10, Centre Point School, Katol Road, Nagpur, was accorded a warm farewell by the school on 18th May 2022. It was a glittering ceremony, resplendent with the pretty girls in sarees and the handsome boys in tuxedos. It was an evening to remember.



Sanchit enthralling the audience with his stand up comedy

The class 9 students had put up an entertaining programme for their seniors. Vidhi Chandak and Siddharth Chawre ably compered the entertainment programme. Pratyush Jaiswal and V. Esther Tirza sang the invocation to God and also belted out some popular numbers along with Sohil Chouhan. This was followed by some electrifying dance performances by the spirited juniors. The proceedings of the

evening were further conducted by Ms. Supriti Choudhuri. Sanchit Shivliha enthralled the audience with his standup comedy while Virendra Kachave and Sanskar Vats reminisced their school life through their beautifully written pieces. The games, conducted by the teachers saw the students participating eagerly to add points for their respective sections to win. There was fun and banter as



the students with the funkiest hairstyle or the one with red socks or the one with the longest tresses scrambled to please the Queen of Sheeba.

The Vice Principals, Mrs. Renu Singh and Mrs. Delnaz Kapoor presented the mementos to the students. Yash Agrawala and Ms Kaveri Gadre were declared the Prince Debonair 2021 - 22 and Princess Soignee 2021-22 respectively of CPS, Katol Road after their responses won the hearts of the judges. They were crowned by the Principal, Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly.

The outgoing school captain, Ms. Gurbani Bhasin spoke about the school year and expressed gratitude to the teachers for their selfless service.

It was a heartwarming sight to see the students mingle with each other over refreshments and click pictures and selfies before dispersal.



Performing a dance to foot tapping music



Dancers of class 9 giving a well rehearsed performance



Class 10 as audience enjoying the entertainment programme.



FARE THEE WELL CLASS X AND XII AT CPSWN!!



Class X Batch Photograph

Poignant memories, fun and laughter, joy and happiness with a sprinkling of sadness – so many bittersweet moments for Class X and XII students as they were bid adieu by their alma mater on 1st and 12th April '22. Resplendent in their stunning traditional attires, graceful and handsome all rolled into one, they made the morning a really vibrant one!

Assembling eagerly for a memorable batch photograph in the school garden, the invitees set the ball rolling on an exciting note. The Multipurpose Hall later came alive as well-choreographed group dances set to peppy tunes as well as jazzy solos and duets had the audience cheering and clapping all the way! Sipping on a round of refreshingly cool drinks they also listened to touching speeches by the School Captain, Arwa Vali, Jai Gupta and a few super seniors. All of them walked down memory lane, talking about their school journey which had moulded them so well to face every challenge in the future.



The School Principal, Mrs Ukey addressing the students up, dancing to their hearts' content before the programme concluded.

Teachers compering the programme lightened the mood even more by giving Class X students a few April Fool shocks and reminding Class XIIs of all their lame excuses, jests, pranks and mischief. The super seniors' joy touched new heights when they rose up to join the mash



Complimenting them all, Mrs Kanchan Ukey, the Principal opined how lucky they were to learn so much more this year and this had been possible only because they had learnt to accommodate and adapt themselves so well. She also applauded the efforts invested by the teachers to make the programme a success.

Relishing their platefuls of an Indo-Chinese platter, everyone shared quality moments with their friends as cameras clicked away to create memories worth preserving. Be it selfies or group photos with friends and teachers, there were smiles all around!

After receiving their precious mementos came time for parting ways and saying adieu – but only till next time!



Dancing to a foot-tapping song



Jazzy dance performance



Presenting some classic English songs



A fusion dance with a difference



CPS, AB BIDS ADIEU TO YET ANOTHER BATCH OF PROMISING
FUTURE PROFESSIONALS



Founder Principal, Mrs Radhika Mehra Ma'am and Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad Ma'am light the traditional lamp in the presence of the Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde Ma'am

28th Mar'22 was a red-letter day for the students of classes X and XII at Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass as they bid adieu to their alma mater with mixed feelings and emotions. The inevitable day had come, the day when the school bid farewell to their children with a smile on their lips and a prayer in their hearts. Despite some hard tasks, sadness and grief that they had encountered in the course of their studies, at the end of it all, they completed this part of their journey with great achievements and carried back some beautiful memories. The event began with the lighting of the traditional

lamp by the Vice Principal and the class teachers of class X. Light and brightness have always been equated with positivity, motivation, the harbinger of good and are associated with auspicious beginnings. By lighting this lamp the Almighty's Divine Grace is spread all over.

Memory can change the shape of a room; it can change your perspective. To help the children relive the memories of their school days somewhere in the future, a memento, as a token of love was gifted to each one. These were given to the children by their teachers. Adding a little fun and frolic, a few games were organised. The children enjoyed themselves thoroughly singing songs and trying to do their best to outshine the others. A fashion show was organised and children did a catwalk dressed in their best attire. It was a chance to show off a particular aesthetic, a particular mood, a particular feel or point of view. The children were adjudicated and from each section, children were selected as Miss or Mr Popular, Miss Best Smile, Mr Handsome Hunk and Miss or Mr Charming. The sash for Miss CPS was taken by Nikita Ingley and Mr CPS was awarded to Arnav Arya. As the function concluded, the children were treated to some scrumptious snacks which they savoured in the company of their friends and teachers.





Farewell moments @ CPS, AB



Children perform a task during the games segment





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N.K.P SALVE MULTIPURPOSE HALL INAUGURATED IN CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD



Mrs. Radhika Rajwade & Dr. Jaisingh Rajwade
inaugurating the Multipurpose Hall



Mrs. Radhika Rajwade, Dr. Jaisingh Rajwade &
Anoushka Rajwade at the Inauguration
of the N K P Salve Multipurpose Hall

The NKP Salve multipurpose hall was inaugurated in the Centre Point School, Katol Road campus on 19th March '22. The inauguration was done at the hands of Mrs. Radhika Rajwade and Dr. Jaisingh Rajwade, Directors, Centre Point Group of Schools, in the presence of Mrs Shilpee Ganguly, Mrs. Perveen Cassad, Mrs Kanchan Ukey, Mrs B Anuradha-Principals of the three branches of Centre Point School and Centre Point International, Mrs. Radhika Mehra, Mrs Anita Sutaria, Vice Principals, Consultants and the staff and students of CPSKR. The hall was inaugurated a day after Mr. N.K P Salve's birth anniversary which was on 18th March '22. The inaugural event in the hall was a virtual interview of famous cricketer, Jonty Rhodes by selected students of Centre Point School. The one hour event was also streamed LIVE on Facebook. There couldn't have been a better inauguration-one a cricket legend [Jonty Rhodes]...the other a cricket administration legend [N.K.P Salve].

The eagerly awaited Multipurpose hall houses two Badminton courts and has the latest state-of-the art infrastructure giving it a grand look and the feel of a theatre. With a seating capacity of 850 people including the gallery seating, an impressive LED Wall and a robust light and sound system it is now ready for mega performances for which CPS is well known.



STUDENT VACCINATION DRIVE BY NMC CONDUCTED IN CPS, KATOL ROAD

Centre Point School, Katol Road organised the two days CORBEVAX Vaccination Drive in its campus for its students aged between 12 to 14 years. This Drive was conducted by Nagpur Municipal Corporation on the request of the school management. The event held on 13th & 16th April, was made possible with the support of the NMC Health Officer and his team and the Vaccine was administered under their expert supervision.



Students being vaccinated

12 to 14 year old students of classes 6, 7, 8 & 9 who wanted to be vaccinated availed of this facility in the safe, secure and hygienic environment of the Katol Road campus of the school. A thermal scan at the entry was done for all the persons entering the campus.



Students being vaccinated

and the observation room ensured the comfort of the students.

The vaccine was administered successfully to a total of 203 students. The drive received full support of the Sports department of the school and the school support staff.

The parents and their wards appreciated and thanked the management for this thoughtful gesture.

vaccination room



Waiting To Be Vaccinated

CPSWN CYBER CONGRESS CONDUCTS SESSION ON “CYBER LAWS”

With the rise in the number of online meet bombings, online harassment and abuse, the 'Cyber Congress' team at Centre Point School, Wardhaman Nagar decided to hold a session on the subject with the aim of educating students in Classes 8, 9 and 10 about the prevailing issue.



The Cyber Ambassadors kicked off this interactive session by asking a few general questions about students' current social and virtual lives.



Cyber Ambassadors explaining cyber laws with a PPT presentation

It was followed by an enthralling discussion about whether or not we should make online friends. The students shared their thoughts and opinions as well as some interesting points.

Following the discussion, Cyber Ambassadors showed a video created by talented cyber congress members based on a true-life incident in which a girl was emotionally blackmailed into sending explicit pictures of hers. The video's goal was to show how manipulative and dark social media can be.

Last but not the least, the students were familiarized with the Cyber Laws that apply under the IT Act.

Overall, the student participation was quite positive with many of them gaining extensive knowledge about netiquettes and the do's and don'ts of being online. Under the guidance of their mentor, Mrs. Smita Chakankar the team worked tirelessly to instil trust in the ambassadors among the students with the successful goal of enlightening all!



Debating whether to forge online friendships or not!

CPSWN DONATES TO THE SEVA WAY OF LIFE

With Centre Point School, WN being closely associated with a project called "Neki ka Pitara" since 2015, a lot of selfless work has been undertaken for the benefit of people deserving the service.



An initiative of a well-known social worker Mr Khushroo Poacha, the 'pitara' are basically commercial refrigerators which are placed in a few hospitals in the city for the patients to get nutritious food. These pitaras are regularly refilled with SOFIT/Amul milk and fruits.

Continuing the initiative, the school made a sizeable donation to Radhakrishna Hospital, WN on 9th April '22 benefitting the patients and their relatives in the hospital with these supplies. All they need to do is open this pitara of kindness and eat and drink whatever they desire.

This joy of giving is reflected amongst students as well when around the year they contribute to this 'pitara' on their birthdays. They understand their responsibilities towards contributing to the less fortunate and in turn counting their own blessings.

This continued initiative by the in-charge teachers was applauded by the school management and staff.



The 'neki ka pitara'

CLASS X AND XII SHOWERED WITH BLESSINGS AT CPSWN



Being blessed!!

Continuing the tradition of beginning a new academic session on an auspicious note, the students of Classes 10 and 12 invoked the blessings of Goddess Saraswati this year too in a special prayer gathering held at Centre Point School, WN on 5th April '22.

Venued in the spacious Multipurpose Hall of the school, this puja was organized for teachers and students alike to pray to the Goddess of Knowledge and Wisdom so that they begin their year on a positive note. Following the offering of prayers, the students joined their teachers in reciting hymns and received a sweet offering at their hands.

Addressing them with words of wisdom, Mrs Kanchan Ukey, the school Principal wished them the very best for the new session after she reiterated important rules and regulations of the school that the students needed to keep in mind for a successful year ahead.



As these years amount to landmark years in these students' lives, these blessings are always welcome!



Performing the Saraswati Puja



Praying to the Goddess of Knowledge



Students partaking of the blessings

SARASWATI PUJAN @ CPS, AB

Saraswati, the Goddess of all learning and art forms, is often worshipped by students, to gain academic strengths, wisdom and good health. Every year, before the students of classes X and XII appear for the board exams, the statue of Goddess Saraswati is venerated, seeking blessing to be able to prepare well for the exams. This year too, Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass organised the Saraswati Pooja for the students on 8th Apr'22. Students of classes X and XII of Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass gathered in the Audio-Visual room for the blessing ceremony. It began with a prayer song,



Saraswati Pujan @ CPS, AB



beseeking God's presence on this occasion. The children offered flowers while seeking the blessings of Goddess Saraswati. They also received blessing from their teachers who wished them good luck for their exams.

The Founder Principal, Mrs Radhika Mehra, Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde took this opportunity to give them the much-needed guidelines pertaining to the board exams. Armoured with the necessary information and blessings of Goddess Saraswati, the children moved ahead with smiles on their countenances.



Saraswati Pujan @ CPS, AB

CPS, AB'S INTERACT CLUB – THE HARBINGER OF GOOD TIMES

'We can't help everyone but everyone can help someone.' With this thought in mind, the Interact Club members went on with their new activity of distribution of watches and sanitary



napkins. The watches were found as lost property in the school and were unclaimed for the past three years.

The members had a thoughtful idea of distributing these watches to underprivileged students. All the wrist watches were repaired and restored to a working condition. On 9th Feb'22 the President of Interact Club, Jessica Francis along with her team comprising Aniket Shringarpure, Armaan Rawell, Purva Bhalme, Raghav Mehadia, Tushar Iyer and Yuvika Mukherjee went to Surendragadh Hindi Madhyamik Shala, one of the NMC schools and distributed the watches to the children. These were distributed to the class and the rest were handed over to the Principal of the school. The students were overjoyed to receive the watches. The Club also took the initiative of distributing sanitary napkins to the girls. The students of the NMC school thanked the members for the thoughtful initiative.



CPS, AB'S Interact team at the NMC school



The Interactors carrying out the watch distribution activity



The Interact Club President handing over a packet of sanitary napkins to a student of the NMC school



The Interactors carrying out the watch distribution activity



WIDENING HORIZONS @ CPS, AB

A career counselling session was held at Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass on 3rd Mar'22 for the students of class X. It aimed at making the students aware of the various career options which they could opt for through the Commerce stream. The session was conducted in the school's Audio-Visual Room in two batches.

Mr. Vipul Vora, a Chartered Accountant from the city was the resource person for the session. He was quick to get the attention of the children with his approach. He informed them about the various career choices available through the Science, Commerce and Humanities streams and why choosing the right stream was a crucial step in a student's life. He iterated that identifying one's strengths and interests is very important before choosing a career path. He also busted many myths about career choices. He gave the students an insight into visualising long term career progression.

He emphasised the need to streamline career options and briefed the students about the various courses other than the mainstream preferences like actuaries, statistics, and financial management to name a few. In the end, the floor was open to queries. The students were also given brochures that had additional helpful information.

It was an insightful session with a compelling takeaway-

One should choose the course and stream that one is genuinely interested in and not simply follow the common path since everyone has different abilities and everyone's career is unique.

Here's some feedback from the students-

The seminar for career counselling regarding careers in commerce was certainly interesting, and even entertaining. It was informative, and even provided a realistic idea of the corporate world. I had immense pleasure in learning about the various courses and jobs I could do in commerce.

Sana Wankhede, XC

I had assumed like most career counselling sessions, this too would also be a session where facts would be presented and people would try to change our minds and try to convince us to choose that particular subject but in this session, practicality was given more priority than facts. I never knew that commerce could open new doors to so many careers having several monetary as well as intellectual advantages.

Vanishaa Mohta, XC

The session by Mr. Vipul Vora was exhilaratingly informative, and as someone who is undecided about which stream to select for further studies, he opened numerous options that I wasn't



aware of. His way of explaining such a conventional topic was unprecedentedly unconventional, even though an age gap existed between him and the audience, his way of conversing made students and teachers alike relate to his past and present. His explanation of the different careers in the field of commerce occupied only a small part of his interaction with us, while a major part of it consisted of our lives, or rather the transition of our lives from 10th, societal pressure, parental thoughts, and every other thing that someone going through these things would relate with.

At the end of the session, each of us in that room had an absolutely new perspective not only of the Commerce stream but also on taking decisions in and after class 10.

Ananya Panchmatia, XE

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XC, CPS, AB

CPS, AB'S INTERACT CLUB IS COOL FOR THE SUMMER

Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass' Interact Club has been helping teachers and students to beat the Nagpur heat with a glass of good health. During the lunch break, they set up a



The Interactors procure the lassi packets from the vendor

stall that sells cool, healthy and refreshing drinks - lassi and buttermilk. Every morning, the Interact team procures the lassi and buttermilk packets from the vendor, sorts them and stores the same in various refrigerators around the school. Accounting and finances are managed by the team. Since day 1, the Interact Initiative has received an overwhelming response from the students and staff. This activity has given everybody in school respite from the summer heat. Also, it has equipped children with valuable



life skills like teamwork, cooperation, social skills, collaboration, communication, management and time management to mention a few.



The Interact lassi and buttermilk sale receives an overwhelming response from the students and staff



The Interactors procure the lassi packets from the vendor





International Vistas



INTERNATIONAL VISTAS

CENTRE POINTERS INTERACT LIVE WITH THE CRICKET LEGEND JONTY RHODES



The CPS Team of Students which Interacted with Jonty Rhodes

The management of Centre Point Group of Schools provided a lifetime opportunity to its students, staff and parents by facilitating an exclusive Facebook LIVE event with the legendary South African cricketer and coach, Jonty Rhodes. The NKP Salve multipurpose hall was inaugurated in the Centre Point School, Katol Road campus on 19th March '22 at the hands of Mrs. Radhika Rajwade and Dr. Jaisingh Rajwade,

Directors, Centre Point Group of Schools. The inaugural event in the hall was a virtual interview of the famous cricketer, Jonty Rhodes by selected students of Centre Point School and the one-hour session was also streamed LIVE on Facebook.

It was hosted completely by the students, who were in conversation with Jonty. The students including Ishwar Sarda of CPS, Katol Road, Abhyomi Tiwari of CPS, Wardhaman Nagar, Siddesh Badani of CPS, Amravati Road Bypass and Ridhiman Agrawal of Centre Point School International asked questions related to Jonty's passion, his skill, his experience and also sought his expert advice on fitness and how to be able bodied skilled sports persons. Sahil Daga, Avikam Agrawal, Jessica Francis and Punit Sarda had the opportunity to ask questions from among the audience.

The huge LED wall showed Jonty with great clarity and his answers were clearly audible to the audience seated in the hall. The event commenced with a brief introduction by Vice Principal, Mrs. Delnaaz Kapoor about the school, about Jonty and about the students who were to interact with him.



Jonty revealed that he had chosen cricket over hockey because he couldn't devote much time to the sport. He said that his father, who was a sports teacher, taught him that "Jonty it is only perfect practice that makes a person perfect." To a question from a student about what is the best time to start coaching for a sport, Jonty replied that a child should be allowed to play diverse sports and not be restricted to one sport only. He impressed upon the viewers that discipline, hard work and the Joy Quotient are important to be successful in any sport. He advised the viewers that for being fit, a healthy lifestyle is important. He clarified that he was not in favour of Hollywood/Bollywood fitness with bulging biceps. He believes in staying in good form and focusing on the process not the outcome. He observed that the door has been opened for Women's Cricket which will soon reach astronomical heights.



The Four Interviewers with Delnaaz Kapoor

It warmed every Centre Pointers heart when he expressed genuine praise that Centre Point School has a balanced schooling system and in this model of education, emphasis is on the Joy Quotient which is so important for the growth of the students.

To an audience question about his connect with India, he revealed that he is fond of the diversity in the country and he has named his daughter 'India' after the country that he loves to visit.

The programme ended with loud cheers from the audience and a request to him to visit the city and Centre Point School.



The audience and the interviewers listening intently to Jonty Rhodes



CENTRE POINT SCHOOL FEELS PROUD AT THE HONOUR BESTOWED ON ITS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

'A PERSON WHO KNOWS THE WAY, GOES THE WAY AND SHOWS THE WAY'

Centre Point Group of Schools takes pride to acknowledge and applaud the achievements of Mrs. Mukta Chatterjee, erstwhile Executive Director, Centre Point Group of Schools, who created



A beaming Mukta ma'am with the citation and the commemorative coin

history with her extraordinary feat of being awarded as an inspirational and dedicated volunteer for The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award. She was nominated for this rare recognition and honour and the acknowledgement came in the form of a letter and a commemorative coin which is struck by The Royal Mint of Great Britain to mark The Duke of Edinburgh's life. It was sent from the office of HRH, The Prince Edward, Earl of

Wessex and Forfar KG, GCVO Chair, The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Foundation and Association for her exemplary contribution for The International Award for Young People.

Befittingly this kind of leadership was recognised and felicitated by Mrs. Radhika Rajwade, Director of Centre Point Group of Schools when she handed over the coveted letter and the rare coin to Mrs. Mukta Chatterjee on 16th March 2022 on a virtual platform. The dignitaries present for this occasion were Mrs. Radhika Rajwade, Director, Centre Point Group of Schools, Mr. Kapil Bhalla, National Director, IAYP, Principals and Vice Principals of Centre Point Schools, IAYP award leaders, mentors and IAYP aspirants. The one-hour programme also included a glowing tribute to Mukta ma'am by Mrs. Radhika Rajwade and Mr. Kapil Bhalla. The Award Leaders and the awardees also expressed their gratitude to Mukta ma'am for being an effective mentor for them. Mrs. Jayati Chakravarty, Vice Principal, CPS Wardhaman Nagar and also the IAYP programme in-charge, contributed to the success of the event.



Radhika Rajwade ma'am handing over the coin and the citation to Mukta Ma'am



It was a moment of pride and everyone was in awe to see the coveted letter and a commemorative coin from His Royal Highness. Indeed, Mukta ma'am has been an epitome of excellence and has always displayed unparalleled energy and enthusiasm in contributing to the stupendous success of the IAYP programme in Centre Point School. She steered the aspirants and the teachers every step of the way by being a visionary and a Team Leader who has catapulted IAYP to immense heights. She didn't just take the award home with her but also carried with her the appreciation of every Centre Pointer. Congratulations to her for winning such a prestigious award!



CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD OBSERVES WORLD FORESTRY DAY

Centre Point School Katol Road, in keeping with its philosophy of spreading awareness among its students about global issues, observes international theme days in school. As part of World Forestry Day which is observed globally on 21st March 2022 Centre Pointers of classes 6 and 7 of Katol Road prepared an informative PPT to create awareness among students on the significance of this day. It was a part of the Social Science project and it beautifully and aesthetically outlined the major forest areas, causes of deforestation and measures taken to control deforestation. This PPT was viewed by all students of classes 4 to 7 in the Social Science period on the smart board in each classroom. The creative PPT helped the students to understand how in their small ways they could help in spreading awareness about the need for conservation of forests. The students who tirelessly worked on this PPT were Kartikey Pandey, Kavya Pandey, Manasvi Ambaldhage, Jiya Mankar, Kevin Tudu, Suveer Chaudhary, Rayna Sethi, Rehmat Bakshi, Sayali Pakhmode, Anika Jhavar, Aadyant Mane, Neil Dhume, Sumukh Agarwal, Kerul Wankhede and



Ritesha Roy. They received guidance for this endeavour from their Social Science teachers Ziya Buhariwala and Archana Bagchi.

Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly, Principal CPS, acknowledged and appreciated the effort put in by the students and the teachers.



The team of students who prepared the PPT with their teachers

CENTRE POINT SCHOOL 'DESIGN FOR CHANGE' STORY WINS ACCOLADES

Students and Teachers of the Design For Change Club of Centre Point School, Katol Road did a lot of brainstorming for the Design for Change Project for the 2021-2022 session and they successfully transformed their ideas into reality. The 'Focus area' chosen for the year 2021 was 'Gender Equality' and the project was exquisitely named as "Soch Ki Indradhanushi Udaan - Update Your Thinking". After intensely working for three months, the story of change was submitted as a video story. CPS, Katol Road story of change qualified through the first round and has been placed as the 'DFC – UNICEF AtmaNirbhar YuWaah Social Design Challenge 2021: Top 12 Stories of Change'.

It has been awarded as the winner in the category 'Bold And Audacious Idea' And is aligned with the 'Global Sustainable Goal' of 'Gender Equality'.



Centre Point School, Katol Road has been selected as the ambassadors for the UNICEF-YuWaah programme across India.



CPS, Katol Road DFC Team

The selection process is rigorous, where an eminent jury of design thinkers and social entrepreneurs select the 30 most inspiring solutions of change.

It may be mentioned here that Design For Change is a highly prestigious global movement initiated more than a decade back. It believes in the power of 'I CAN' mindset of the children. DFC's new program has been working in collaboration with UNICEF & YuWaah - The AtmaNirbhar YuWaah Program. The DFC I CAN School Challenge, involves identification of a problem in your personal environment which touches your heart and eventually finding the best solution, implementation of the best solution and mapping the success of the project. The Program inculcates 21st Century Skills in young people aged 16 to 24.

The DFC, CPS, Katol Road story of change revolved around the empowerment of LGBTQ+ community, the goal of the project is to help them to lead a life of equality and dignity.

The imposing and subsequent removal of COVID related lockdown led to many challenges for the LGBTQ+ community, one of them being the loss of livelihood of the transgender community. The project was launched by conducting an initial survey followed by research by the DFC,



volunteers of Centre Point School, Katol Road. It was soon realised that the reasons for the community's marginalisation are plenty; lockdown just worsened their status.

The solutions to the issue were addressed at multiple levels.

To achieve the goals, the steps taken up were-

1. During Diwali vacations, a few community members from the city were invited to school, and an open house interaction was conducted between community members, students and teachers to know each other better.

2. In the first week of December, twelve LGBTQ community members were invited to school, and an 'Acceptance Survey' with the target population as grade 11 students was conducted. The survey result was very encouraging as more than 95% of the young students were ready to accept the community members wholeheartedly.

3. As imparting vocational education and conducting skill training programmes were thought to be the most logical solution to make community members self-reliant, experts in skill development and women empowerment were invited. Motivational talks and assurance of providing employment in the industry sector based on their skill and interest were mentioned.

4. The community members were introduced to some contemporary vocations, such as training in computer software, art and craft. Training sessions were conducted for a good part of a week in the school premises. The paper bags created were appreciated at small grocery stores and pharmacies. The trainers were school teachers, and the DFC, student volunteers of CPS, Katol Road who assisted them.

5. Collaboration with the Rotary Club of Nagpur gave a bigger platform to reach out to a larger audience to break the myths and misconceptions about the TGs. An online Webinar or Talk was conducted in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Nagpur as a part of their weekly meeting. Mr Nikunj Joshi, CEO of Sarathi Trust gave the talk to sensitise Rotarians about all the tribulations with the community today.

The impact of the project has been stupendous. More in the minds and hearts of community members and the DFC team than the actual discernible results. CPSKR helped the Members to come out and express themselves in public and engage with institutions like ours. A visit by the Rotary club to the Sarathi Trust was another great accomplishment of our project. Members got jobs after talent mapping was conducted and medical equipment was provided to the members too. Three Members including Nikunj sir expressed their heartfelt gratitude through video messages. The smiles on their face brought happiness to everyone's faces.



The project for the upliftment and empowerment of the TG community by school children has been taken up for the first time in Nagpur. The response from the community members has been overwhelming. The story has been nominated for being scaled up and connected to the YuWaah cohort of solution partners based on the viability of bringing these solutions to implementation.

YuWaah and UNICEF will also be promoting the solutions offered in our story on their various social media platforms.

All participants will be receiving certificates of merit from UNICEF-YuWaah & DFC.

The strong DFC, CPSKR 2021 team of students include- Shubham Sinha, Krishna Bhargava, Adwait Mistri, Vanshita Naoghare, Misha Nimesh Sedani, Anushree Kumar, Harshika Waghdhare, Shan Naqvi, Reedam Jain, Dhriti Gulati, Siffat Sarah Tuli, Gurnoor Kaur Hoda, Arya Haziyani, Sejal Suda, Amreen Bhatia, Ekta Khosla, Insiya Tabawala. T

The mentor Teachers have been – Kshama Yadav, Mani Verma, Shaila Sharma, Esther Daniel, Sanjay Waliokar, Saikat Joardar, Sanjivane Damle, Sujata Giri, Shalini Agrawal, Jilpa Pasad, Sushma Manekar, Shweta Pohane.

CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD STUDENT PROVES HER METTLE IN INTERNATIONAL TABLE TENNIS



A Jubilant Jennifer

Jennifer Varghese, the Table Tennis champ of Centre Point School, Katol Road has been consistently bringing laurels to the school and the city with her skill and passion that she shows in TT. Her skill, agility, alertness and focus have led to her success

in the game. This class 8 student has been a national ranking Table Tennis player of Centre Point School, Katol Road who has now raised the bar with her stupendous performance in International Table Tennis Tournaments held in Tunisia in March 2022.

Jennifer, the ace paddler took her game to a new height and represented India in two categories in the World Table Tennis Youth Contender events held in Tunisia. In the Under /15 Girls' Singles category, Jennifer with her grit and gumption, defeated Lilou Massart of

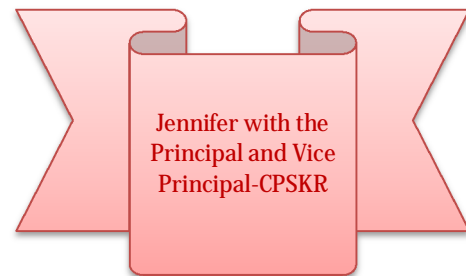


Jennifer Wins A gold in Under 15 Girls' Singles Finals over Massart Lilou from Belgium



Belgium with 3-1 and bagged the coveted Gold medal and the top notcher title. In the Under /17 category the 13-year-old Jennifer, with her tenacity and skill, won a Silver medal.

Her sterling performance has placed Jennifer internationally in the top 20 ranking in the U/15 category and 65th in the U/17 category. This international ranking champ, in keeping with her school motto 'STRIVE HARDER SOAR HIGHER' is now aiming at entering the top 10 ranking this year. The school management is extremely proud of this Champ from CPSKR .



JENNIFER OF CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD WINS GOLD IN INTERNATIONAL TABLE TENNIS IN MALDIVES

Jennifer Varghese, a class 9 student of Centre Point School, Katol Road, once again brought laurels to the city and the school, bagging three golds in the South Asian Junior and Cadet Table tennis Championship which was held in Male, Maldives.

Jennifer is a skilled paddler with grit, gumption and stamina and is already a gold and a silver medallist having won in World Table Tennis Youth Contender Championship held in March 2022 in Tunisia.



Jennifer Varghese with her three-gold -medal win in Maldives

In the South Asian Junior and Cadet Table Tennis Championship held from 9th to 12th May 2022, Jennifer won a gold medal in U/15 Team event, another gold medal in U/15 Cadet Girls



Doubles and a third gold medal in U/15 Individual event defeating paddlers from Nepal, Pakistan and Maldives.

This stupendous success by her has been appreciated by the Principal, Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly, the Sports department and the staff of Centre Point School, Katol Road. The school looks forward to many more successful events from this promising paddler who has proved her mettle in TT in many events.

IAYP MEDAL AWARDEES LAUDED AT CPSWN

It was an eventful morning on 18th April '22 when the latest batch of IAYP awardees



The proud IAYP Silver Medallists

were felicitated in the morning assembly by the Vice Principal of Centre Point School, WN, Mrs Jayati Chakraborty in the august presence of the school Principal, Mrs Kanchan Ukey and the batch of Classes IX and X.

The IAYP or the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award for Young People is a prestigious and unique award programme that primarily aims to

fruitfully engage youth in voluntary activities for self-development with the aim of helping them navigate their turbulent teens. Recognized in over 140 countries and with more than 50000 aspirants pursuing their Award, this programme has always received a robust response from the children.

A special mention needs to be made of the mettle of this batch of awardees because they had to juggle pandemic induced limitations and risks while still pursuing the requisite benchmarks.

The proud recipients of the Silver Award include Muskaan Agarwal, Shreyas Dalal and Palak Agrawal. Following closely in their footsteps are the Bronze Awardees namely Adya Girhe, Diya Agrawal, Jiya Shah, Kanchan Agrawal, Manav Bhayani, Ridhima Gupta, Sanath Shiohare, Shriya Raghtate, Siddhi Suchak, Supriya Kumbhare, Yasha Motiyani and Yatharth Puneekar.

Having completed the 3 Compulsory Sections of Physical Recreation i.e. Skill, Service and Adventure Journey, these awardees have been befittingly recognized for their efforts.



The management of LLPL as well as the school management, the staff and their award leaders Mrs Rehana Badar, Mrs Abha Parashar, Mrs Sana Seth and Mr Nishant Shrivastava wish them the very best.



The joyous IAYP Bronze Medallists

IAYP ORIENTATION SESSION AT CPSWN

In keeping with its proactive tradition as a YES centre registered with the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award for Young People, the IAYP team consisting of Primary Award Leader Mrs Rehana Badar and other Award Leaders Mrs Abha Parashar(Skill In-charge), Mr Nishant Shrivastava (Physical recreation In-charge) and Mrs Sana Seth (Service In-charge) conducted an orientation session to familiarize the fresh Class 9 batch with the Award and its various facets and requirements at Centre Point School, WN on 18th and 19th April '22.



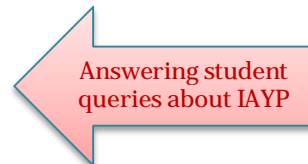
IAYP training session Day 1



The students animatedly listened to the Award Leaders and their experiences, absorbed the facts listed in the PPT and were awed by the anecdotes and intrigued by the entire process. Towards the end of the session, they were raring to go for the award and expressed their keen desire to register as aspirants. Vice Principal of CPSWN, Mrs Jayati Chakraborty, the overall head of the IAYP TEAM across all branches of CPSWN extended her encouragement to the team and aspirants.



IAYP training session Day 2



CPS, AB SWEEPS AWARDS AT THE OXFORD BIG READ GLOBAL COMPETITION

The Oxford University Press conducted the third edition of the 'Oxford Big Read Global' reading competition from 21st Dec'20 to 10th May'21. The 'Big Read' encouraged primary and secondary students to explore their creative writing skills and enhance their literary talents as they designed book covers and wrote reviews. Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass' talented students won accolades in this competition at the national and global levels!





The National Level winners of the Oxford Big Read Competition Harshika Bajaj, Dhruv Mor, Chinmay Gandhalikar, Tanisha Gupta and Vaishnavi Kumar with their prizes

In the national segment, in Level-1, Shrish Deb of class IV won the 2nd prize. In Level-2, Vaishnavi Kumar of Class VII secured the 1st prize; both Chinmay Gandhalinkar of VI and Dhruv Mor of class V claimed the 2nd prize. Tanisha Gupta of class VIII bagged the 1st prize and Harshika Bajaj of class IX emerged as the 2nd runner-up in the 3rd category i.e. Level - 3. The national-level winners were presented with books and certificates by the Oxford University Press. All participants had advanced as semi-finalists at the global competition in which schools from Turkey, China, Hong Kong, Malaysia and Pakistan participated along with India.

Two children from the country emerged as winners at the Global level. We are glad to point out that both are students of Centre Point Group of Schools. That Tanisha Gupta from our branch is among the winners added to our celebratory mood! She was awarded an i-pad, certificate and book set for her exemplary achievement.



Principal, Mrs Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal Mrs Bhakti Bobde receive the School Award from Area Manager, Mr Rohit Chaurasia and Sr Zonal Manager, Mr Chandrashekhar Khangar

Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass received a special award from Oxford University Press for the highest number of prize winners at the school, national and global levels. The winners were congratulated by the Principals, Mrs Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs Bhakti Bobde and the staff on their accomplishment.



INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR YOUNG PEOPLE- I CAN, I WILL @ CPS, AB

It's not everyone's cup of tea to multitask and try their hand at various other skills and activities. The Centre Pointers have it in their DNA to juggle through various tasks and yet excel at all. The participants of IAYP (International Award for Young People) have given evidence of the same. With their undying spirit and never-give-up attitude, they have cleared their respective award levels. It clearly is a result of the consistent effort and dedication to achieve this award which will certainly add to their credentials in the long run.

The awardees were felicitated by the Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad on 8th April '22 and were presented with a certificate and a badge to mark their commendable achievement. Our young achievers are listed below-

Bronze Level (2020-21): Aarav Garg, Gauri Wadetiwar, Marmika Kirnapure, Nikita Ingley and Tanisha Gidwani

Silver Level (2020-21): Abhishek Apte, Siddhesh Badani and Shoan Raj

The award leaders who guided them throughout their journey are Mrs. Mahua Chopra, Mrs. Rebecca Marshall, Mr. Chetan Samrit, Mrs. Sushma Krishnan and Mrs. Ruchita Raut. The Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad, Vice-Principal, Mrs. Bhakti Bobde and the staff congratulated them on their feat.





ART EFFECT



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CENTRE POINT SCHOOL KATOL ROAD CONDUCTS 'RANGOTSAV-2022'



Igniting the love for Art in Gen Next

The Annual Art event 'Rangotsav' is an Inter Branch Art Competition hosted by Centre Point School, Katol Road. It is held to commemorate the birth anniversary of Mr. N.K.P Salve which falls on 18th March. He has played a pivotal role as Mentor to Centre Point Group of Schools and Mother's Pet Kindergarten.

This year the event was held on Sunday, 20th March'22. The event was inaugurated at the hands of

Mrs. Shilpee Ganguly, Principal CPSKR, Mrs. Renu Singh, Consultant, Mr. Sanjay Waliokar, HOD Art CPS and other art teachers of the school. Young enthusiastic artists of classes 1 to 6 of the three branches of Centre Point School and of Centre Point School International congregated in the CPS Katol Road campus along with their parents to give wings to their imagination and creativity and create



Young artists displaying their artwork

beautiful works of Art which will be adjudged by the Art Dept and winners will be announced.

The event which was held in the new primary building of the CPSKR campus saw 500 aesthetically inclined artists equipped with their art material and with their creativity to sketch, draw & paint. The campus came alive not just with the students but also



The Principal interacting with the participants

parents who indulged in group painting. The little ones also had an entertaining time on the



Jumpolin. The background music coupled with bright balloons gave a festive look to the event, which was much awaited. Rangotsav 2022 was especially being looked forward to as for the past two years it could not be conducted.

The event is a brainchild of Mr. Sanjay Waliokar HOD Art, Centre Point Group Of Schools. The Art Departments of all branches of CPS worked tenaciously to make it a grand success. The work of the teacher volunteers was also appreciated. All participants received Participation certificates. Results of the competition are awaited.



Working comfortably in the cheerful ambience



Parents giving different strokes to their artwork



The behind-the-scenes team



YOUNG ARTISTS OF CENTRE POINT SCHOOL, KATOL ROAD SHOWCASE '75 YEARS OF INDIAN INDEPENDENCE THROUGH ART.'



The display

Through Art'. Fifty students picked up their brushes, paints and palettes and converted their ideas into reality on the canvas, showcasing the progress that India has made over these 75 Years of Independence. Their paintings reflect their perspective of the progress made in different fields including education, industry, sports, business, technology and others.

The group paintings were initiated on the day of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Jayanti on 14th April 2022 which is also observed as



Class 12 artists at work



Depicting development in defence

artists who worked enthusiastically on the paintings were:

Vidyarthi Diwas. Fifteen 8ft by 8ft boards were given to the groups of students who, within school hours, worked passionately on a plethora of topics including development in industry, infrastructure, sports, education, technology, defence, architecture and more. The artwork was exhibited for parents who appreciated the artwork done by the talented aesthetically - inclined artists of CPS, Katol Road. The young



GROUP A Class 12: Theme: MINISTRY OF DEFENSE

Atharva Jawanjal, Eesha Kolte, Anushree Rai, Sampada Vibhute, Swara Deshmukh, Shivaansh Nigam & Shubham Mukherjee.

GROUP B Class 12: Theme: SPORTS

Batool Neemuchwala, Akshit Srivastava, Mariya Ali, Yashashree Londhe & Sanika Tokhi

GROUP C Class 12: Theme: TRANSPORTATION

Ira Misal, Anushree Rai, Nikita Verma, Khushi Papadkar, Nikita Nagory, Sumedha Rao & Shubham Mukherjee

GROUP D Class 10: Theme: SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Sanchit Shivlija, Sohil Chavhan & Siddarth Chaware

GROUP E Class 9: Theme: WARS AFTER INDEPENDENCE

Anannya Manish Jaiswal, Kavya Nirmal Jaiswal, Palak Kriplani (7B) & Anannya Baheti

GROUP F Class 7: Theme: MONUMENTS BUILT IN THE LAST 75 YEARS OF INDEPENDENCE

Divyanshi Dhoke, Nishtha Taywade, Swara Wasnik, Jiya Mankar, Sai Satarkar & Ishita De.

GROUP G Class 7: Theme: ELECTION DEMOCRACY

Sanvi Sambare, Kerul Wankhede, Priyumvada Thakur, Ishan Kamthewad, Spreeha Choudhury, Gauri Mahatme & Kavya Pandey

GROUP H Class 7: Theme: EDUCATION

Urvi Bagdi, Parswa, Harshvi Shah, Krisha Shah & Rounak Golchha.

GROUP I Class 6: Theme: INFRASTRUCTURE

Saanvi Shetty, Anishka Pasari & Vivan Jaiswal

The idea of this Group Painting Project was mooted by Mr. Sanjay Waliokar, HOD Art, Centre Point Group of Schools. Art teachers of Centre Point School, Katol Road Mr. Sanjay Waliokar and Mr. Nandkishore Kosare and Mr. Pravin Chandewar worked as mentors for these young artists.



Depicting monuments through art



Teamwork





The beauty of monuments



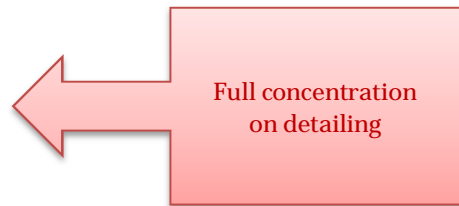
Parents viewing the artwork



Working on the canvas



Development in Health



CPS, AB'S ARTISTS PAY TRIBUTE TO THE COVID FRONTLINE WARRIORS



The virtual postcard showcasing our budding artists, their mentor Mr Shrikant Wekhande and the judges

a virtual postcard featuring the participants, their mentor Mr. Shrikant Wekhande and the judges to our school. The postcards made by the children were later presented to the frontline warriors for their contribution to serving humanity tirelessly and selflessly.

Principal, Mrs. Perveen Cassad and Vice-Principal, Mrs. Bhakti Bobde congratulated the kids for being part of this programme.

Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass & Berar Education Society's Prahar Military School had organised the Inter-school 'Post Card Miniature Painting Competition' (Offline) on 8th Mar. '22 to commemorate International Women's Day. "Nari Shakti" was chosen as the theme for the competition. The participants were required to recognize and appreciate the efforts of Women Frontline Workers during the Pandemic through their artwork. Seven students from class 7 of Centre Point School, Amravati Road Bypass viz. Dia Singhvi, Ranbir Mahure, Vaishnavi Kumar, Adinah Aamir, Anushka Kapse, Drishti Chhabra and Diyan Khan participated in this competition.

As a token of appreciation towards the noble cause, the host school sent



'News@CPS will be back with more achievements & activities of its staff & students'





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