SEPTEMBER 2024-Grade 2

# Junior Buzz



Each week a 'Star' is selected in every grade and section whose uniqueness is celebrated with applauds. The stars who shone bright this month are

- 2A- Lokansh ,Syeda Aaira ,Hanvika ,Umar
- 2B- Aaira Anjum , Advithi , Mahirah , Anaayah Shifa Ali
- 2C-Fadil ,Umar ,Omar ,Mahadiya

Stars of the week!

2D-Yashika ,Nitin ,Sharda ,Siddique

#### The Sparrow and the Elephant

Once upon a time, there lived a sparrow with her husband on a banyan tree. They built a nest and the sparrow laid her eggs in the nest. One afternoon, a wild elephant came under the tree unable to bear the heat of the sun. Suddenly in a fit of rage, the elephant broke a branch of the tree on which the nest was built. Unfortunately, all the eggs of the sparrow got crushed though the parents were saved. The she-sparrow was full of grief and began weeping for her eggs. Her close friends, Woodpecker, Frog, Honey Bee heard her crying and moved by her grief asked her, "Why are you crying, my friend?" The she-sparrow said, "The wicked elephant has destroyed my offspring. The woodpecker consoled her and The frog said, "What can an elephant do before a united crowd like us? Do what I tell you. Dear Fly, you go to the elephant when the sun is high in the sky and hum a sweet tune into his ears. When he closes his eyes in delight, the woodpecker will scoop his eyes out. Like this, he will become blind. When he will get thirsty, he will look for water. I will go to a marshy land and begin croaking there. Thinking that there is water, the elephant will come there. He will sink into the marshy area and die." The next day in the noon, all the three played out the plan and the elephant was killed, when he drowned into a marshy area after being blinded by the woodpecker, when he closed his eyes in response to the music. Thus, with the smartness of all the three animals, the sparrow took her revenge on the elephant. Grade 2 students enjoyed this story during the story telling time and learnt that- A friend in need is a friend indeed and Intelligence is mightier than bravery. As part of an activity students also made beautiful cutouts of elephants.

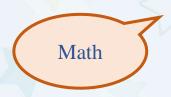
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LAR – Grade 2 students created a vibrant garden scene through a picture composition activity. They were informed to draw the pictures of flowers, trees, birds, and insects and create a beautiful garden. Some students made a flower bed with colorful blooms, while others added a pond with fish and a sunny sky. The finished compositions were stunning, showcasing the students' creativity and understanding of the garden theme. This activity helped them develop their fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination, and artistic expression. Picture compositions help in understanding how to construct sentences, stories, paragraphs, essays, etc. This helps to increase creativity and verbal prowess.







Math: Addition is putting together groups of items or increasing the number in an existing group. Modelling addition involves the use of manipulatives such as pencils, pictures, ice-cream sticks, straws etc. to depict addition facts and to illustrate addition problems. Children learnt addition upto 1000



PSRTN conducted Structured Revision to prepare grade 2 students for their upcoming assessment. These structured revision classes focused on reviewing key concepts and skills in LAR, Math, EVS, Hindi and Kannada. Teachers provided additional support and practice exercises to help students reinforce their understanding and build confidence. Through interactive activities and group work, students revised and refined their knowledge, addressing any areas of difficulty. With the revision classes, students were well prepared for the assessment and were eager to showcase their learning. Teachers were able to identify areas where extra support was needed and remediated the students.

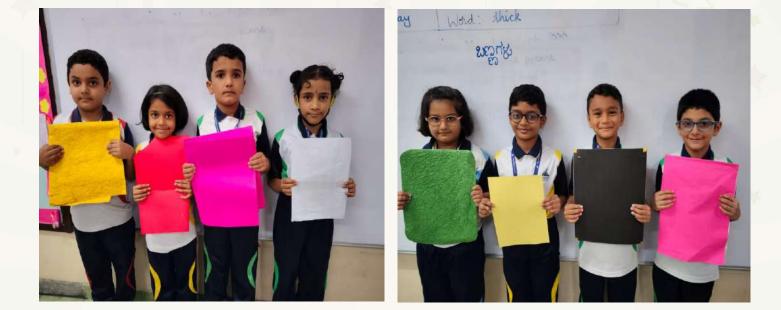
EVS and other subjects



## ಬಣ್ಣಗಳ ಪರಿಚಯ

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Hindi :The students of grade 2 were introduced to matras  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$  and  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$ . Students were able to identify and form the matras. They were also able to read words that begin with  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$  and  $\overline{\mathbb{Q}}$  ki matra

Hindi









For the midterm assessment, students were given the song - Roll Over the Ocean.

Students performed well in their assessment, singing confidently in the pitch with rhythm and action.

They also learnt the song - I love the mountains.

"Grade 2 students enjoyed a creative and engaging paper plate fox craft activity. Using paper plates, scissors and glue, students transformed simple materials into adorable fox faces. They cut out ears, nose, and mouth, and decorated their plates with vibrant orange and red hues. With added cotton balls for texture and wiggly eyes for personality, the foxes came to life.



Games help to develop concentration, motor skills and hand eye co-ordination. For the physical development of children various games like, "Fire in the Mountain" jumping and hopping, basic throw techniques were taught. Games periods excite students, and they are completely rejuvenated to take on the rest of the day with renewed energy.







#### GOWRI-GANESHA - FESTIVITIES GALORE!

Presidency School R T Nagar was abuzz with the fervour of celebrations for the much-awaited Gowri Ganesh Festivity. The special assembly was organized to mark the birth of Lord Ganesha, the remover of obstacles. The campus and the participants for the very special stage shows were resplendent in the finery that set the ball rolling. Shlokas, skits, role plays, soulful renditions kept the entire assemblage agog with excitement. The significance of the Gowri Ganesha festival was shared with the assemblage. Life Lessons were also derived through the presentation such as- There is no shortcut to success, don't act on impulse, learn to forgive and forget, don't panic, make the best of your situation, look beyond yourself, be humble, modesty is the best virtue. The students left with a deeper understanding of the festival's significance.









### Hindi Diwas Special assembly:

The students and staff of PRESIDENCY SCHOOL, R.T. NAGAR, celebrated Hindi Diwas on 13th September 2024 in the school as a mark of acknowledgement of HINDI being as the official Language. Anchors Faiza and Anshuman started off the special assembly with a quote highlighting the significance of the Hindi language. This special event, spanning across all grades, featured an engaging lineup of activities. The assembly began with a heartfelt prayer led by the choir students. Following the invocation, a series of performances celebrated the richness of the Hindi language. These included a Hindi pledge, an inspiring thought, the recitation of a beautiful poem, a melodious song, a captivating dance, and a skit that commemorated the virtues of Hindi.

The assembly concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ifra, bringing the event to a graceful close.

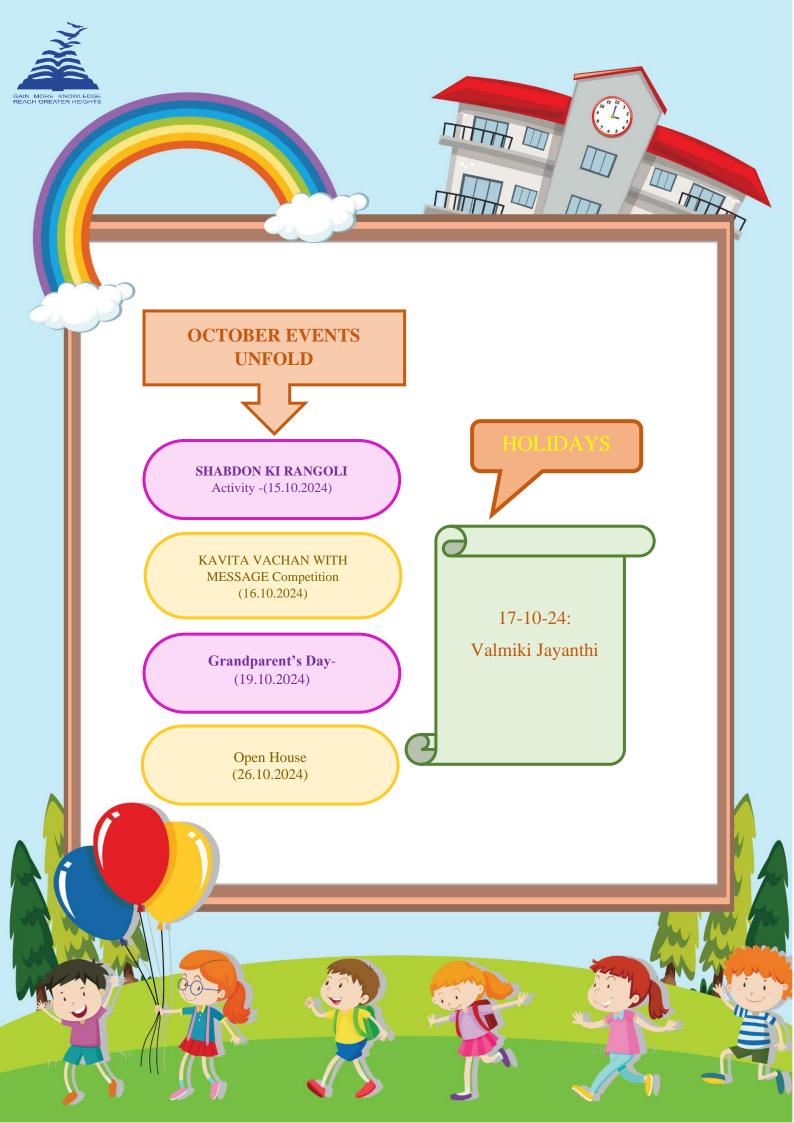


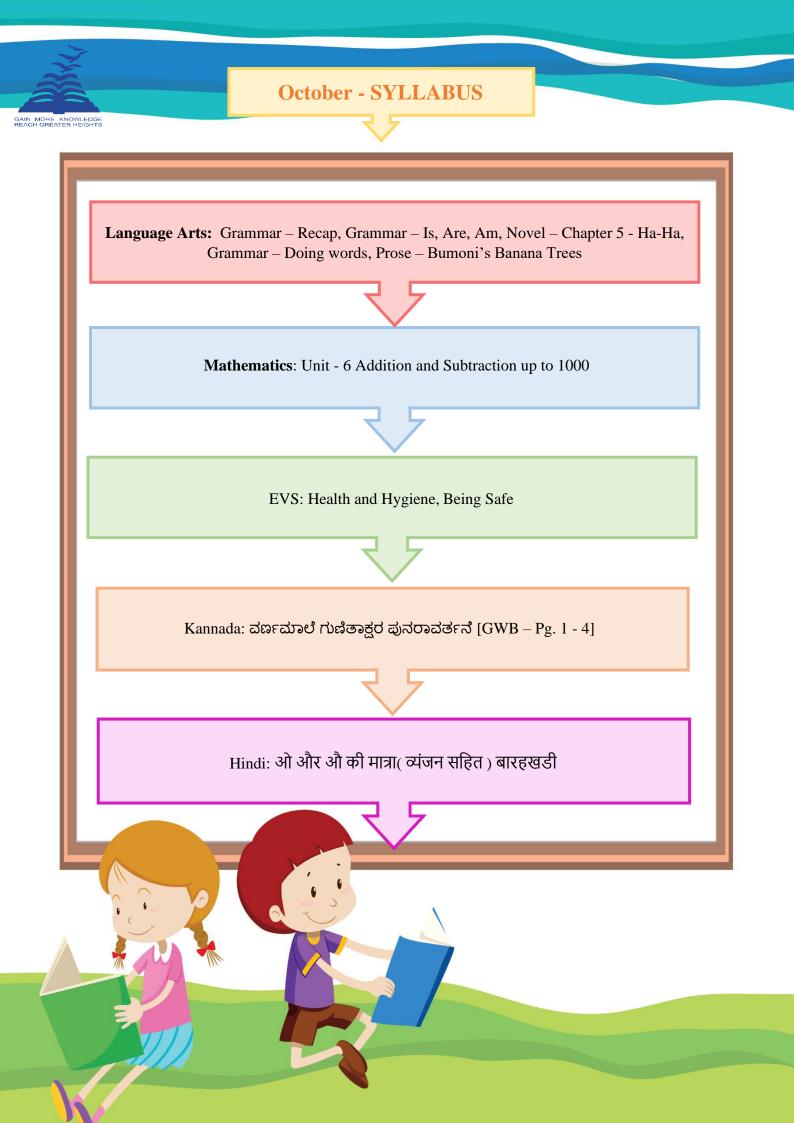


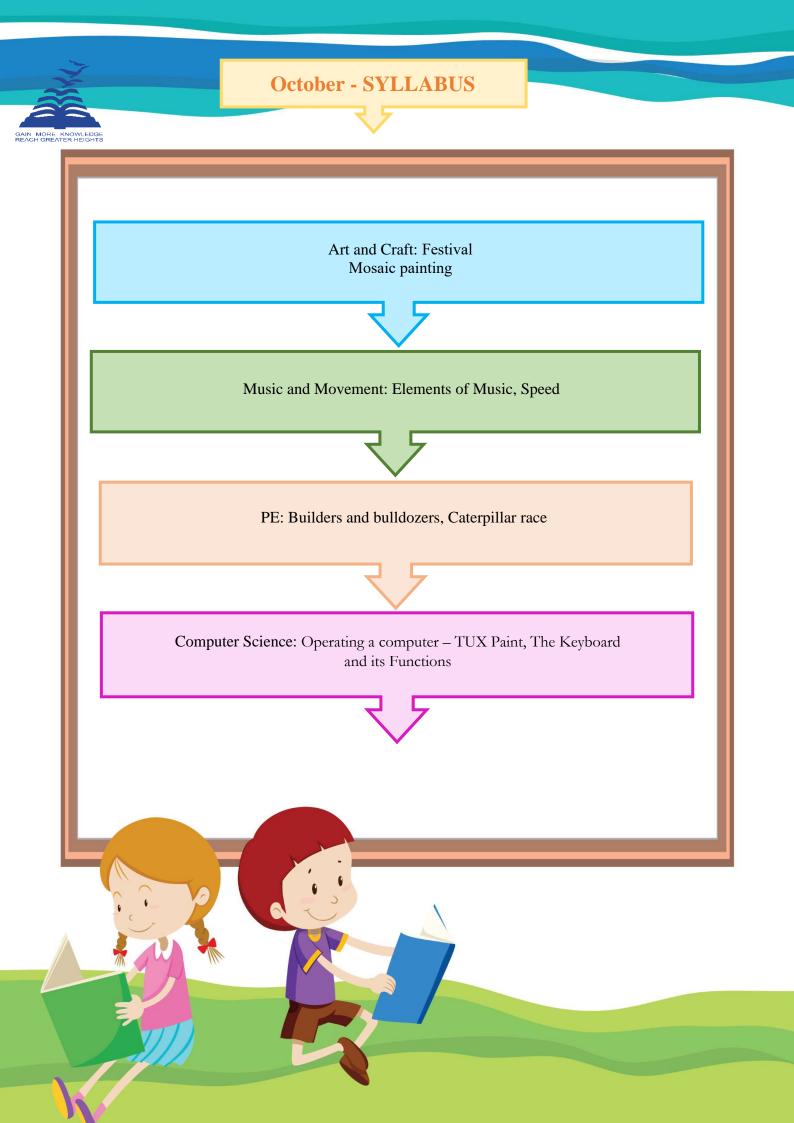














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## Next Time!

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- Ms. Shobha Bai Grade 2 C
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