

SEPTEMBER 2024 - GRADE 4



# Junior Buzz

Presidency's the place to Bee!



## CURRICULUM HIGHLIGHTS

### Mathematics

- Symmetry and Patterns
- Structured revision

### Science

- The Earth and the other planets
- Structured revision

### SST

- Coastal plains of India
- Structured revision

### SL Hindi

- गिनती-1 से 50
- Structured revision

### SL Kannada

- ಗದ್ಯ -ಹಂಚಿ ತಿನ್ನೋಣ
- Structured revision

### Language Arts

- Prose – The Mark of a Champion
- Structured revision

## Stars of the Month

4A- Kritika sood, Md. Aaqib, Madhushree, Maira Munawar

4B- Rania, Musaddiqa

4C- Khateeja Kubra, Afrah Aaradhya Kumari, Md. Armaan Malik

4D- Shaurya, Sania, Faizah, Devjith

## Events

03.09.2024 - Gowri Ganesha Celebration

04.09.2024 - Teacher's Day Celebration

09.09.2024 - Hindi Activity – Mera Parichay

10.09.2024 - Hindi competition – Patriotic song

13.09.2024 - Hindi Diwas special assembly

## Important Dates / Holidays

16.09.24 Milad-un-Nabi (Holiday)

06.09.24 – 07.09.24 – Gauri Ganesh (Holiday)

02.10.24 to 13.10.24 – Dasara Vacations

## Book Buzz



Love of books, and their love for words, It is a well-established fact that reading books to your children helps improve their literacy and love for reading is an excitement. Reading seasonal books also helps improve children's ability to read. Students of Grade 4 enjoyed reading stories on different Genre at the library like Harry Potter series, Wimpy kid series Fantasy, Humour and adventure stories like The silver spoon, The land of that time forgot, Gulliver's Travels, Diary of a wimpy kid: The straw, Infinity book four : curse of the ancients, Diary of a wimpy kid the meltdown, House ford academy a dream on ice, A Christmas carol, Fashion fairy blossom, Sleeping Beauty, Ghost hunters and the muddy monster of doom, the Golden statue plot, The prisoner of Zenda, Horrid henry's car journey.





## Beyond Classroom



Movie Review - Once upon a time, there lived a poor boy named Aladdin with his mother. A suspicious merchant comes up to Aladdin's mother and says he will make them rich if she sends Aladdin with him. After covering some distance, the magician disguised as a merchant took some powder from his pocket, threw it, and a cave appeared. He asked Aladdin to get inside the cave and get a lamp for him. In the cave, there were gold and all kind of treasures. Among those was a magic lamp that was dirty. Aladdin took the lamp and asked the magician to fetch him out first. The angry wizard closed the cave door with a rock and went away. Aladdin was struck inside the cave and started cleaning the lamp, and a genie appeared. Genie asked Aladdin to make a wish, and Aladdin asked him to take him home. Back home, Aladdin rubbed the lamp again and asked the genie for a palace. Genie granted him his wish, and now Aladdin has become the richest man in the city. He got married to the princess. The evil magician who heard all of this went to the princess, acting like an old merchant and exchanged the magical lamp with a regular lamp and ran away. The magician rubbed the lamp and made his wish. He asked the genie to send Aladdin's palace far away in the desert. Aladdin had a ring that the magician gave him long back. He gently rubbed the ring, and another genie appeared. He was immediately taken to that place and saw the magician there. He quickly grabbed the lamp and rubbed it. The genie appeared and asked Aladdin for his wish. Aladdin commanded the genie to take the evil magician far away, never to be found again. Aladdin rescued the princess and his mother, and they lived happily ever after in the palace.

**01.09.2024- Founders Day**

Founder’s Day was observed on the 1st of Sept. 2024. Homage was paid to the Late founder Mr. Abdul Hamid by observing a minute’s silence. The children were shown a video in which the legacy of Mr. Abdul Hamid was highlighted. Children got acquainted with the evolution of Presidency Group of Institutions from its humble beginnings to the majestic Presidency University at present.



**04.09.2024- Teacher’s day Special Assembly**

Teacher’s day was celebrated with a lot of zeal and enthusiasm. Senior students arranged games and cultural programmes to make the teachers feel special on this day. Senior students from class 10 conducted the classes as teachers.





### 09/09/2024- Hindi Activity – Mera Parichay

Students will prepare a brief self-introduction covering their name, age, class, school, and interests, such as favourite sports, hobbies, and any special skills or talents they possess. They will also mention details about their family members and what makes them special or unique.

### 10/09/2024-Hindi Competition

The Grade 4 students demonstrated their love for the nation through a series of melodious and heartfelt patriotic songs. Each participant was given a chance to shine on stage, and their performances were truly remarkable. The judging panel consisted of Ms. Milagrina, who had the difficult task of evaluating the performances based on factors such as vocal quality, expression, and overall stage presence. It was evident that the participants had put in a lot of effort and practice into their performances, which made the judging process challenging



## Classroom Scoop



**SCIENCE:** The model-making activity helped students understand the solar system. Their enthusiasm and engagement solidified their knowledge of the planets, their orbits, and their relative sizes and distances from the Sun.

**MATH: Symmetry and Pattern**  
To comprehend the concept of symmetry and patterns, students collected 5 real life objects like flowers, flower petals, etc, stuck them on A4 size sheet and marked the line of symmetry in each case. They came up with fabulous ideas of elaborating the concepts of symmetry in real- life.

## Special Assembly



### 03/09/2024-Gowri Ganesha Celebration

Presidency School R T Nagar was abuzz with the fervour of celebrations for the much awaited Gowri Ganesha Festivity. 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's 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, It's good to be curious and so on. The Mooshak Vahana thrilled the student as the mouse scurried all over.

13/09/2024-Hindi Diwas: Hindi Diwas was celebrated with great enthusiasm. The event featured heartfelt prayer songs and a pledge led by the choir. Students delivered a beautiful dance performance that captivated the audience, and the celebration concluded with an engaging skit. The entire show was wonderfully executed, showcasing the students' talents and dedication.



## Word Wall

division, dividend, divisor, remainder, verification pygmy, shoots, kittens, golden, frail, reproduction, hatching, incubation, nymph, caterpillar plateau, isthmus, thematic, saka calendar, rotation, revolution, hemisphere



## Parent Support

Dear Parents,

### Parenting Your School-Age Child

#### What You Can Do

Model the behavior you want to see. Your children are watching and learning from you. Meet your responsibilities, follow house rules, and communicate with respect.

- Make a few important rules and enforce them every time. Remember, children want freedom, so give them choices in smaller matters (e.g., clothing, room decorations).
- Talk to children about what you expect. Post rules and routines where everyone can see them. Fewer “grey areas” mean less to argue about.
- Support their growing bodies. Children this age still need nutritious meals (especially breakfast) and 10 hours of sleep each night.
- Limit time spent watching TV, playing video games, or using the computer. Monitor Internet use for safety, and encourage your children to participate in hobbies and sports.
- Be involved with your children’s school. Talk to their teachers and attend parents’ night and school conferences. Show that school is important to you by providing a quiet space for homework, volunteering in your child’s school, and celebrating your child’s hard work.
- Offer support and understanding when your child has problems with peers. Explore ways to resolve conflicts, but do not interfere. If your child is being bullied at school, alert school staff and work with them to keep your child safe.
- Don’t wait for your children to learn from peers. Educate yourself and talk to your children about your values. Help them practice ways to resist peer pressure.

Remember: Talk to your children, and listen to what they have to say. School age children may sometimes act like they don’t care what their parents say, but they still want your love, attention, and guidance!

Courtesy: [https://www.childwelfare.gov/pubPDFs/parenting\\_school\\_ts.pdf](https://www.childwelfare.gov/pubPDFs/parenting_school_ts.pdf)





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