K1 - JUNE 2024

Kinder zine

A kaleidoscope of childhood



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Syed Ayaan and Md. Zuhayr, Nivashni Prabhu, Syed Iyaan, Almaan Qadeera and Ayaan Ahmed

Syed Ayaan ,Md. Zuhayr, Nivashni Prabhu, Syed Iyaan, Almaan Qadeer and Ayaan Ahmed were selected to be the "stars". Each day of the week consisted of an exciting event or activity to celebrate them. The other children got to know these 'stars' better. What a lovely way to celebrate the uniqueness in every child!

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Book Buzz An Elephant In My Backyard - Shobha Vishwanath's simple, delightful story is illustrated gorgeously in watercolours by Sadhavi Jawa.A little girl Maya goes to the temple to see the elephant with her mother. But after the elephant has a baby, the baby follows Maya home! Amusing misunderstandings follow with Maya caring for baby elephant Achhu in her yard, and her parents and grandparents almost catching sight of Maya's new pet, but then missing at the last moment. But the elephant is not hers and he needs to return home!

Book Review: A beautifully written journey of selfjourney. An Elephants in my Backyard is intimate, moving, hilarious and painful.



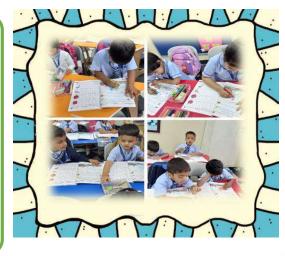
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Topic: Zigzag Line

Literacy Activity

Early

Learning to print the letters needs to be approached in a stepwise manner by starting with the basic units – strokes that make up the letters and moving on to combining these units to form letters. Recap of all strokes and letters A-H was done through various activities which the little tots enjoyed thoroughly moving ahead and improvising writing skills.



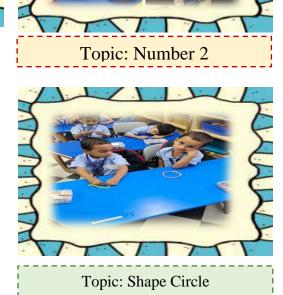
Topic: A, B, C,D

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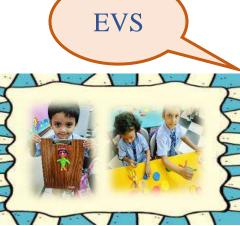
Early Numeracy

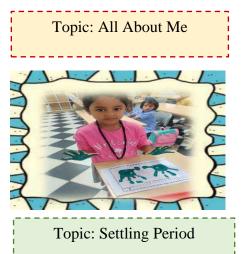
Teaching children about numbers and shapes is a great way to give them few vocabularies for describing the world around them. This opens up new and exciting avenues for verbal communication. As children learn to identify shapes, they can sort and classify objects around them based on these attributes. 'Circle' and Numbers 1, 2 and 3 were introduced through various tasks and assignments.



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All About Me - An All About Me theme is a celebration of each student, their abilities and the unique characteristics that make them who they are. The children enjoyed doing all the activities related to the topic and bringing to the fore their uniqueness through their well-articulated presentations. Students were able to locate the body parts and tell their function and how to follow good healthy habits



Art and Craft

Art and craft activities like magic painting, marble painting and Eid Card help the toddlers develop fine motor skills and sensory skills. Students enjoyed experimenting and exploring sponge painting while doing magic painting. A sense of achievement and pride adorned their face when they discover their name while doing magic printing. 2D shape painting was done using bottle caps, rolls etc. Eid Card Making

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Magic Printing







Sports give a child the chance to learn about being part of a team, winning well and bouncing back from a loss. Sports also teaches children about how important it is to work hard, even if this doesn't always mean winning. It is important to remember that the attitude and behaviour taught to children in sports carry over to adult life. Our students have a well-planned sports session in their schedule which caters to playing, participating and acknowledging success of self and others. We build the sportsmanship spirit very early.



Music and Movement

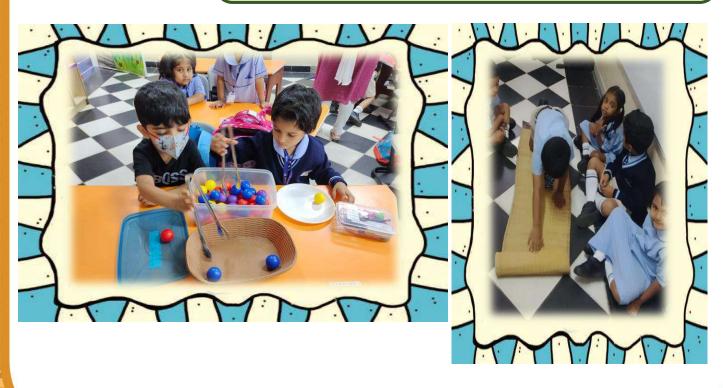
Music and movement help children develop skills such as cognitive growth, problemsolving, self-expression and social development. A child's learning is incomplete without music and movement in early childhood education. Hence our learning environment is loaded with these. Students learnt common rhymes, School prayer and pledge



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Beginning at an early age, Montessori nurtures order, concentration, and independence. Intentional classroom design, materials, and daily routines support the student's ability to educate one's self, and to think about what one is learning. Exercises of practical life like rolling a mat, sorting objects with tongs and how to carry sharp objects was introduced to children. Developing life skills at an early stage enhances strong foundation for the future.





Theme: Environment Day Date: 13-06-2024

Green day is celebrated with an objective to preserve and conserve our self-sustaining planet. Celebrating green day is to raise awareness and to take positive environmental action to protect nature and the planet Earth. Green Day was organised for kindergarten to get every child involved in knowing the importance of our environment and how to keep it clean and safe from pollution and various issues that have adverse effects on the environment.

On 14-06-24 Green day celebration was organised to increase awareness among students about the importance of environment day and need to protect it. Kindergarten teachers and students were dressed in green colour and took part in various Environmentally-friendly activities like drawing, colouring etc. The air was filled with slogans and message like save water, plant trees and avoiding plastics etc. Our Principal Ms. Rekha Vinod added the finishing touch by addressing the Tiny Tots and emphasising upon the importance of afforestation, planting of trees and the need for everyone to put together their efforts and get in to action, in protecting our environment. The students of K2 went around the school campus with the message of how to save the environment followed by a group activity like colouring, sticking leaf and plastic on outline of the earth.

It was a day with collaborative effort of students and teachers to infuse a renewed support for environmental conservation along with environmental concerns.

Eric Carle's Birthday

Theme: Eric Carle's Birthday Date: 25-06-2024

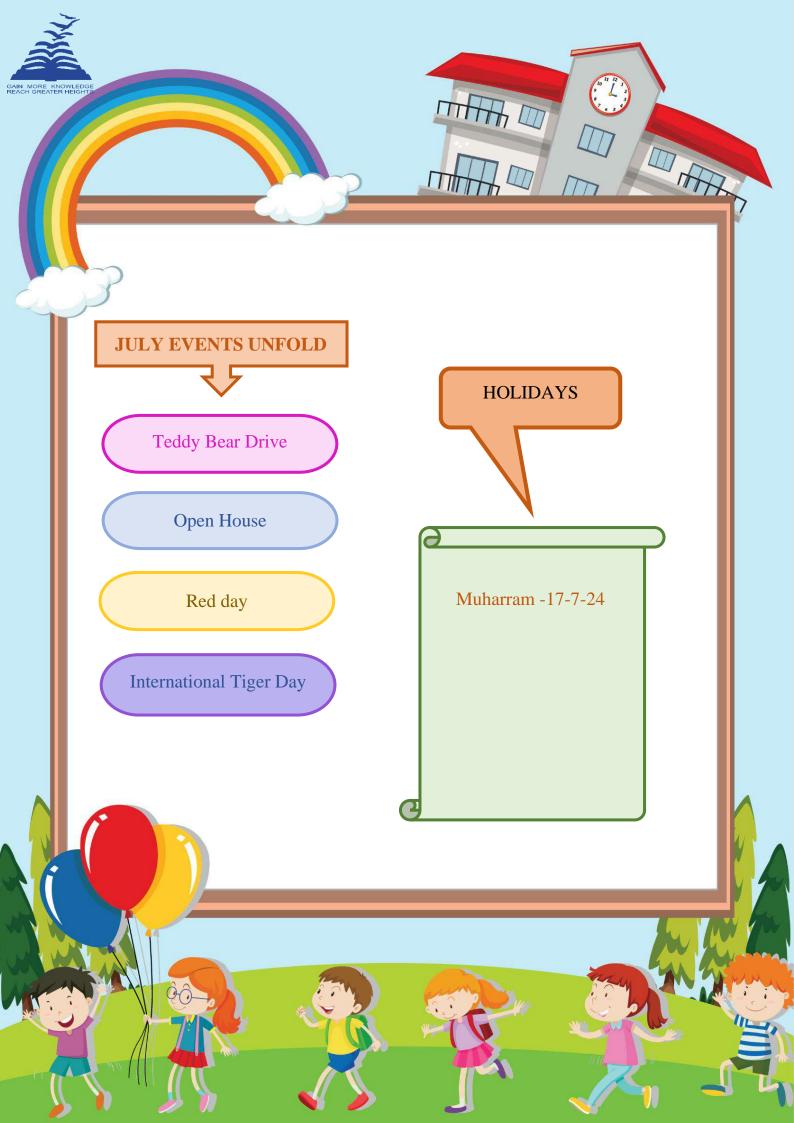
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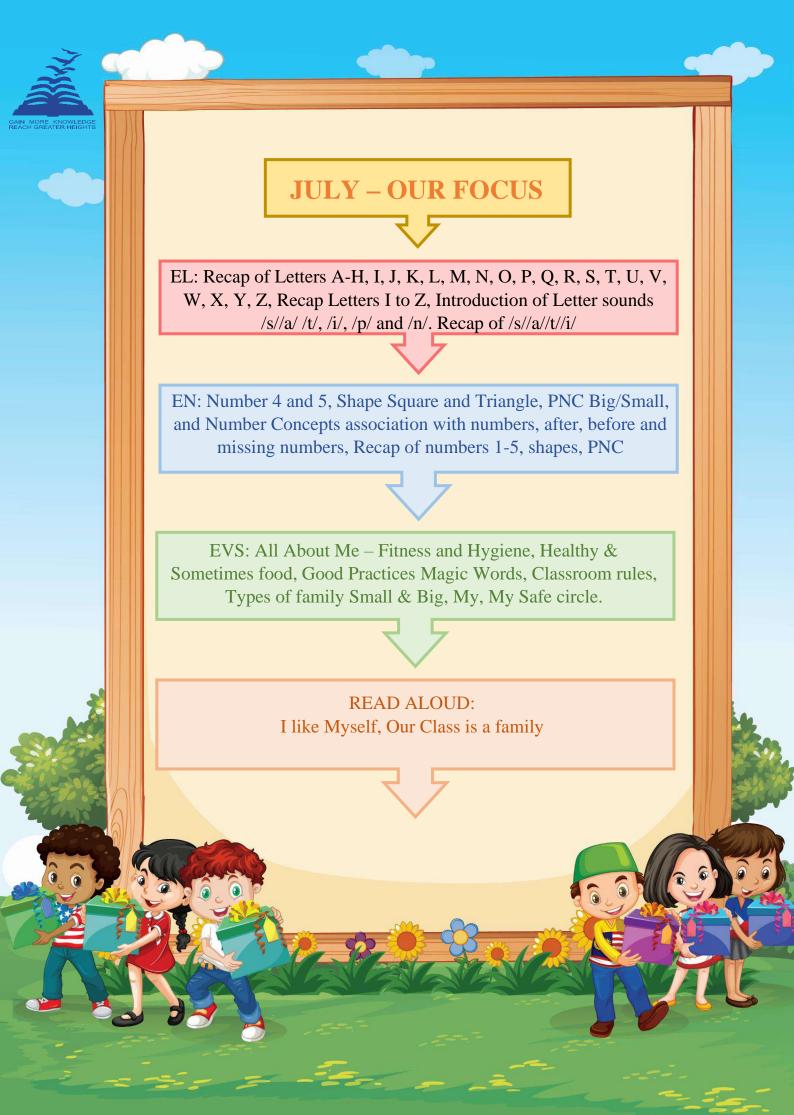
The aim to celebrate the beloved author and illustrator Eric Carle's birthday was to highlight his bright and brilliant work which is felt around the world—especially in the way his stories and characters intuitively connect with the growing, curious minds of our little readers. It would also kindle the love for reading in young heart. The day started with excitement all around as students were all set to celebrate their favorite author Eric Carl's birthday. The stage was all set with colorful balloons, streamers, curtains and various other decorations along with the puppet theatre. The program started with the introduction of the famous author and illustrator Eric Carl by K2 students. Then the tiny tots of Pre K were all set to wish him by singing the birthday song. Students were made aware with the well-known stories of the author through the display of his work. There were The Tiny Seed, Pancakes, Pancakes! The Boastful Fisherman, From Head to Toe & Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Did You Hear to name a few. Amongst these 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' was picked for the puppet show.

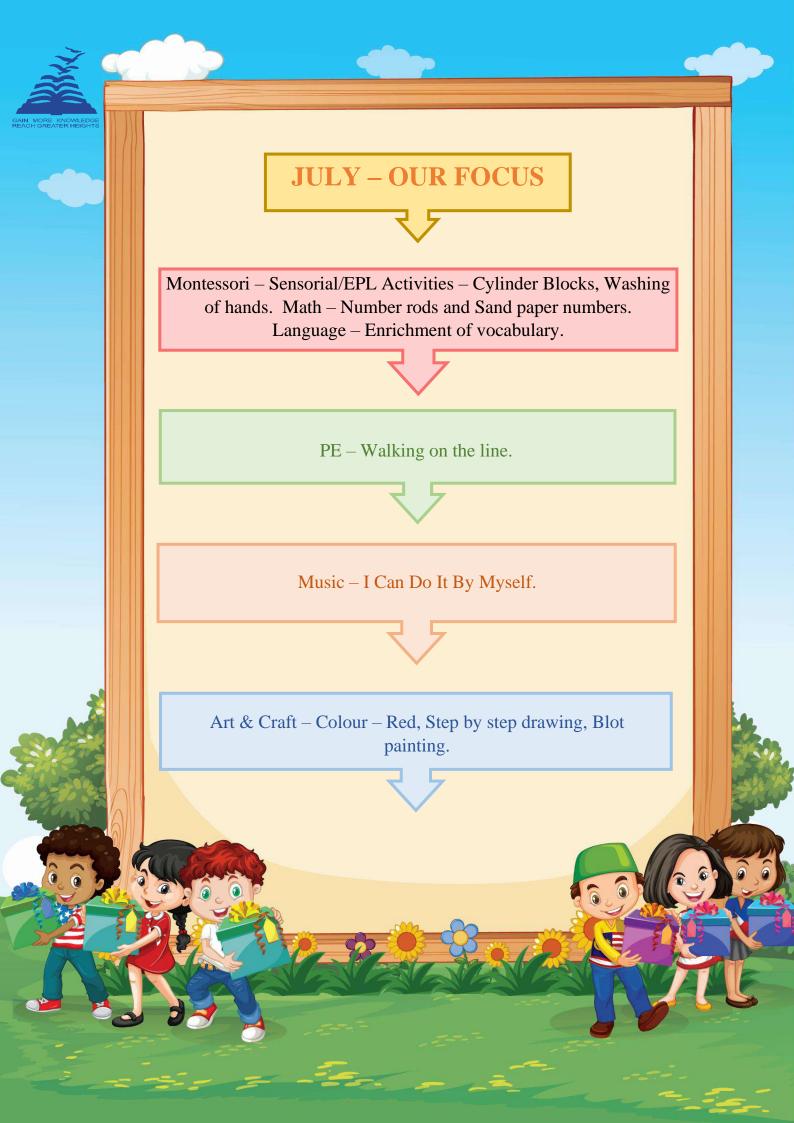
The Puppet Theatre was set on the stage along with all the puppets and props required for the effective narration by the teachers. Students were thrilled to see the tiny caterpillar turn into oversized worm consuming variety of edibles like fruits, cheese, sausages, pickle etc. and then metamorphosed into beautiful butterfly. Soon the butterflies of K 2 were all around merrily dancing followed by the students of K 1 walking on the ramp as various characters came live from Eric Carl's storybooks. There was a Lion roaring, Elephant trumpeting, Zebra braying & Flamingo fluttering. Then entered the Monkey, Fish, Rooster and Cat to name a few.

The show was concluded by doing the level wise group activity for the event. Pre-K students made a caterpillar collage, K1 made caterpillar craft using pipe cleaners and K 2 did the illustration of the story. The event reflected on the accomplishments of Eric Carl which motivate us to set new goals for students to achieve in the field of literature.









See You Next Time!

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