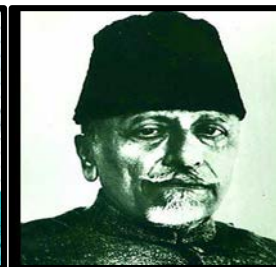
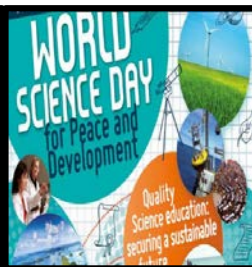
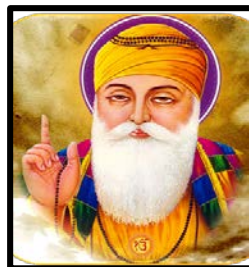


The art of happiness lies in the power of extracting happiness from the common things in life.'
 - Henry Ward Beecher.

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GLOBALLY IMPORTANT DAYS OF THE MONTH

Guru Nanak Dev's Birth Anniversary (4) celebrates the birth of the first Sikh Guru, Guru Nanak.^[2] This is one of the most sacred festivals in Sikhi. The festivities in the Sikh religion revolve around the anniversaries of the 10 Sikh Gurus. These Gurus were responsible for shaping the beliefs of the Sikhs. Their birthdays, known as *Gurpurab* (or *Gurpurb*), are occasions for celebration and prayer among the Sikhs.

World Science Day for Peace Development (10) highlights the important role that science has in society. It also highlights the need to engage the wider public in debates on emerging scientific issues. World Science Day was proclaimed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).

National Education Day (11) is an annual observance in India to commemorate the birth anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, the first education minister of independent India, who served from 15 August 1947 until 2 February 1958. The Ministry of Human Resource Development has decided to commemorate the birthday of this great son of India by recalling his contribution to the cause of education in India.

Children's Day (14) Children's Day is celebrated on the birthday of the first Prime Minister of independent India, who was fondly called *Chacha Nehru* (Uncle Nehru) or *Chachaji* (Uncle), and who emphasized the importance of giving love and affection to children, whom he saw as the bright future of India. To give him tribute, India celebrates this festival on 14 November, the day of his birthday.



National Law Day Constitution Day (26), also known as **Samvidhan Divas**, is

celebrated every year to commemorate the adoption of Constitution of India. On this day in 1949, the Constituent Assembly of India adopted the Constitution of India, and it came into effect on 26 January 1950.

SYLLABUS

ENGLISH

English Reader Unit 2: My Little Pup,
Workbook Unit-2 The Sentence, Gender, Present Continuous Tense

MATHS

Measuring length, Revisit division

HINDI

साहित्य—बिल्ली कैसे आई रहने आदमी के सगं, केवल पठन—पाठन हेतु मीठी सारंगी व्याकरण—शब्दों का उल्टफेर शब्द सूची

CAMPUS CLANDESTINE

'A healthy mind in a healthy body'

The emphasis was laid on the importance of having a regular and balanced diet at all the times. The importance of breakfast was emphasised by the means of the various activities and discussions. The children enjoyed the cooking activity which helped them realise that oats can be part of a healthy and tasty diet. The Reggio Emilia activity helped them differentiate between the different components of food like cereals and pulses and their nutritive value. The Handwash activity encouraged them to recapitulate the different steps in handwashing and spread the awareness around the school campus as well. The Thursday Activities reinforced the concept of a having a healthy and balanced diet and cultivating that as a habit too.

Dear Parents,
Efforts will never fail, each wavelet on the ocean tossed, aids constantly in the ebb tide or the flow, each raindrop makes some floweret glow and each struggle lessens human woes."

-C. Macay.

We never stop trying and achieving what we aspire for. Life is a continuous learning process leading to the development of new capacities, skills, values, understanding, and preferences. The ambiance of home, neighbour hood and school has a great impact on the mental health and adjustment of the children, we use examples, context cues, vivid illustrations, refer to emotions, and to our personal life also at time to emotions, and to our personal life also at times as personalization is an effective way of building upon memories, building upon earlier knowledge and avoiding interference. Here we understand that language has the role as the creator and facilitator of the mind.

Language is medium of thought, analysis and conceptualization. Vocabulary reflects intensity and sensitivity of life experience, not knowledge of words. Communication is generated by thought. It intends to enlighten, inspire, clarify, inform, provide insights, incise, analyze, theorize and of course, philosophize. Such processes are possible only by the power of the mind, intellect, reasoning, envisioning and wisdom. All our hopes, aspirations dreams rely upon the younger generation of today which is going to be the bright future of India.

Education has a vital role in chiseling and harnessing this potential resource. Right education, proper guidance and bringing – up can make every child of today, a shining star of tomorrow. This is my vision to life and I believe in being honest to myself than before anyone. I want each child to inculcate the same strength and values in oneself. Students of grade IV & V would be gearing up for their II Term Examination slated to be held in this month.

It is said "*Happiness is a state of mind*" and I truly adhere to this phrase and change the outlook of events no matter how challenging the task or difficult the situation must have been.

With regards
 Principal

**Ingredients:**

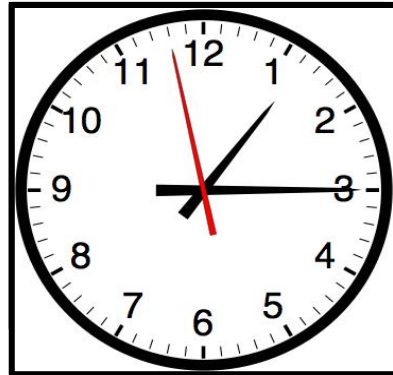
1 1/2 cups grated paneer (cottage cheese)
 2 tbsp nylon sago (sabudana)
 1/4 cup moong dal (split green gram)
 1/4 scraped coconut
 3/4 cup sugar
 2 tbsp ghee
 2 tbsp almond (badam) slivers
 2 tbsp pistachio slivers
 1 tsp cardamom (elaichi) powder
 a few strands of saffron (kesar) strands
 roasted poppy seeds (khus-khus) to roll

METHOD

Put the sago in a microwave safe bowl and microwave on high for 11/2 minutes, or till they puff. Lightly roast the green moong dal, cool and blend in a mixer to a coarse powder. Heat the ghee in a pan, add the moong dal powder and roast till colour changes. Cool to room temperature. Cook the coconut and sugar well till sugar is well mixed with coconut. Cool the mixture to room temperature. Combine all the ingredients and mix well. Divide into 10-14 ladoos. Roll the ladoos in roasted khus khus and serve. Can be stored in fridge.

TONGUE TWISTERS

Top chopsticks shops stock top chopsticks.

**THEME OF THE MONTH – TIME**

"Books have a unique way of stopping time in a particular moment and saying: Let's not forget this."

- Dave Eggers

Time is precious. It is invaluable. It is one of the powerful factors. Our life is measured in terms of time. We grow in time, live in time and perish in time. Time is fleeting. Time is the most influential factor in this world. It is abstract. Everything in this world is commanded and decided by time, through various activities and discussions the children will learn the importance of being punctual. Children will be introduced to various kinds of clock; they will be helped to identify the two types of clocks, analogue and digital. Children will learn about the difference between digital and analogue clock. Children will be able to identify the sun as the center of our solar system, and learn details about the sun, and the rotation of the Earth in regards to daytime and night-time. Children will also learn the ways of knowing time with the sun's direction.

PROJECT OF THE MONTH –CLOCK

A clock is an important gadget in our daily life. We cannot think of a single day without it. We use a clock to measure the time. The clock is one of the oldest human inventions, meeting the need to consistently measure intervals of time shorter than the natural units: the day, the lunar month, and the year. Children will be introduced to different categories of clocks, analogue, digital and sound clock and how it is very helpful and useful for us to lead a routine / regular



life. History and facts about clock will be discussed. Vocabulary words and activities will add more value to the project and make it more interesting. Children will also be encouraged to write their favourite time and day and why they like it, and recite, sing rhymes and poems related to time and clocks. Children will be encouraged to know how to use a clock.

PARENT PLUS

- As we will be revisiting the concept of time again, please encourage your ward to practice reading time.
- Encourage them to have warm foods and drinks as it has started becoming cold.
- The need to inculcate healthy and hygienic food habits is very much essential.
- The need to spend quality time with your ward is paramount.