



ST. JOSEPH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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Let the Little Children Come to me

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Letter-Writing Activity 08.01.2025



Our students actively engage in letter-writing activities, which provide an excellent platform to enhance their communication skills and creativity. They enjoy crafting formal letters, such as applications or thank-you notes, as well as informal letters to friends or family members. These activities help our students organize their thoughts, express emotions effectively, and practice proper formatting and tone. By participating in such activities, our students also develop patience and attention to detail, especially in an era dominated by instant messaging. This practice allows them to appreciate the personal and thoughtful nature of written communication, fostering a deeper connection with their audience while honing an essential life skill.

Awareness Program on the POCSO Act

On 9th January 2025, an awareness program on the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act was conducted for our staff. The session was led by our Principal and Campus Superior, who emphasized the importance of creating a safe and supportive environment for children. The staff were educated on the key provisions of the Act, their roles and responsibilities in safeguarding children, and the procedures to follow in reporting and addressing such cases.

This program aimed to empower the staff with knowledge and sensitivity to handle situations effectively, ensuring the well-being and protection of students on campus. It reflected our institution's commitment to upholding the highest standards of child safety and fostering a secure learning environment.



KG FAN ACTIVITY



On 3rd January 2025, a delightful Fan Craft Activity was conducted for our kindergarten students, sparking their creativity and fine motor skills. The young learners enthusiastically participated, folding colorful sheets into beautiful paper fans, showcasing their imagination and artistic abilities.

This hands-on activity not only encouraged self-expression but also helped improve their concentration and hand-eye coordination. Such creative sessions foster joy and curiosity in learning, making their early education experience both enjoyable and meaningful.



SHAPES AND LEAF ACTIVITY



In addition to the Fan Craft Activity, our kindergarten students engaged in Shapes and Leaf Craft Activities, adding more excitement to their creative journey. During the Shapes Activity, children explored various geometric shapes by creating colorful patterns and objects, enhancing their understanding of basic shapes and spatial awareness.

The Leaf Craft Activity allowed them to connect with nature as they used real leaves to design unique art pieces. This activity encouraged their observational skills and appreciation for the environment while fostering creativity. Such interactive sessions make learning fun and help build essential skills in an engaging and memorable way.

SENSORY PARK VISIT



Our Grade II students had an exciting and enriching experience during their visit to the Sensory Park. This unique outing allowed them to engage their senses through interactive elements like textured pathways, aromatic plants, soothing sounds, and vibrant visuals.

The park visit provided a hands-on learning opportunity, helping students understand the importance of their senses while fostering curiosity and exploration. It also encouraged social interaction, teamwork, and appreciation for nature in a fun and stimulating environment. Such experiences enhance holistic development and create lasting memories for our young learners.

READING ACTIVITY FOR VI-VIII



Our students from Grades VI to VIII enthusiastically participated in a dedicated Reading Activity aimed at enhancing their language skills and fostering a love for literature. They explored a variety of books, including stories, poems, and informative texts, engaging their imagination and critical thinking. This activity encouraged students to improve their reading fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension. It also provided a platform for group discussions, where they shared insights and perspectives, building confidence and communication skills. Such initiatives are a testament to our commitment to nurturing lifelong readers and learners among our students.



TAMIL LETTER WRITING ACTIVITY



Our Grade VII students enthusiastically participated in a Tamil Letter Writing Activity, showcasing their creativity and linguistic skills. The activity allowed them to practice writing formal and informal letters in Tamil, enhancing their grammar, vocabulary, and expression.

Through this exercise, our students learned the art of structuring letters effectively while understanding the importance of clear communication. It also helped deepen their connection to the Tamil language and culture. Such activities play a vital role in building language proficiency and fostering pride in their linguistic heritage.

TRADITIONAL FOOD ACTIVITY



On 7th January 2025, our Grade I students celebrated the Traditional Food Activity with great enthusiasm and excitement. Dressed in traditional attire, they brought and shared a variety of delicious and healthy traditional dishes from their homes.

This activity helped our students learn about the cultural significance and nutritional value of traditional foods while fostering a sense of community and sharing. It was a delightful experience for them to explore their heritage through food, making the day both educational and memorable.

GRAMMATICAL ACTIVITY



Preposition

Grammatical Section Teaching for Grade II Students Using Innovative Ideas

Our Grade II students had a fun and engaging session on grammar, where they explored different grammatical concepts through innovative teaching methods. The class was filled with interactive activities like grammar games, story-based exercises, and visual aids, which made learning more enjoyable and effective.

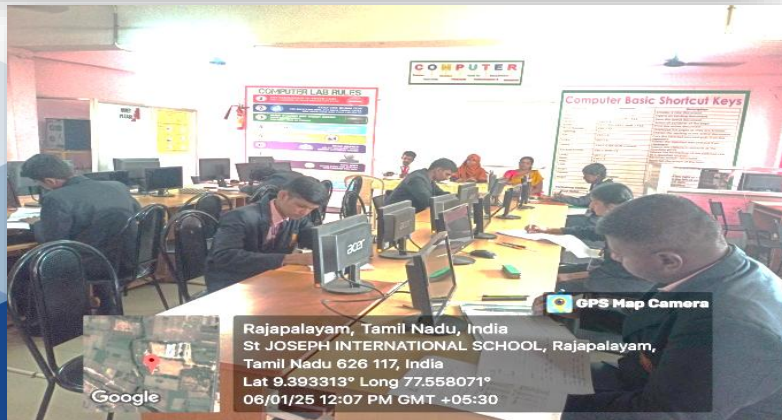
By incorporating creative techniques, our students grasped fundamental grammar rules such as sentence structure, punctuation, and parts of speech in a way that felt both exciting and practical. This approach encouraged active participation, critical thinking, and a deeper understanding of language, laying a strong foundation for their future language skills.

COMPUTER SCIENCE PRACTICAL



On 6th January 2025, our Grade XII students participated in a Computer Science practical session that allowed them to apply theoretical concepts in a hands-on environment. They worked on coding exercises, data structures, and problem-solving tasks, gaining practical experience with programming languages and software tools.

This session helped strengthen their technical skills, foster logical thinking, and prepare them for upcoming exams and future careers in technology. Through guided practice, our students gained confidence in using computer science concepts and learned to tackle complex problems in a collaborative, real-world setting.



CHEMISTRY PRACTICAL



On 10th January 2025, our Grade XII students took part in the Chemistry Practical Examination, where they demonstrated their skills and knowledge through a series of hands-on experiments. They worked with various chemical reactions, conducted titrations, and analyzed data, showcasing their ability to apply theoretical concepts in practical situations.

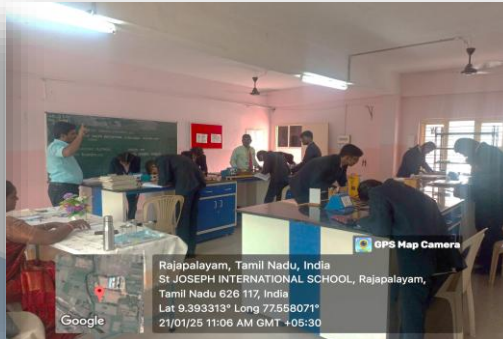
This practical exam provided our students with an opportunity to refine their laboratory skills, develop critical thinking, and reinforce their understanding of key chemistry principles. It was an important step in preparing them for future academic pursuits and careers in science.



PHYSICS PRACTICAL



The Physics Practical Examination for our XII-grade students was conducted on 21st January 2025 in a well-organized and systematic manner. The students displayed commendable preparation and focus as they performed various experiments with precision and accuracy. Under the guidance of their teachers and the external examiner, they skillfully demonstrated their understanding of core physics concepts and practical applications. The examination provided them with a valuable opportunity to showcase their hands-on skills and analytical abilities, essential for their academic growth and future endeavors. The session concluded successfully, leaving the students feeling confident and accomplished.



DEO VISIT



On 9th January 2025, we had the honor of welcoming Mr. Subbaraj Sir, the DEO Officer, to our school and campus. During his visit, he toured our facilities, interacted with staff, and gained insights into the various educational programs and activities we offer.

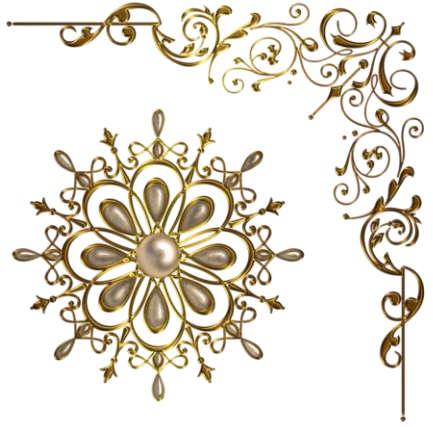
Mr. Subbaraj Sir's visit provided valuable feedback on our school's academic environment and infrastructure, reinforcing our commitment to excellence in education. His presence was an encouragement to both our staff and students, highlighting the importance of maintaining high standards in education and creating a supportive learning environment.



PARENTS MEETING

Our school recently conducted a Parents' Common Meeting, focusing on fostering better understanding and collaboration between parents and educators. To make the session more impactful, we invited a renowned research expert to speak on the topic of parenting styles. The expert shared valuable insights into various approaches to parenting, emphasizing the importance of effective communication, emotional support, and setting healthy boundaries. The session provided parents with practical tips and strategies to enhance their relationship with their children and support their overall development. The interactive discussion left parents feeling informed and inspired to adopt positive parenting techniques for their children's success and well-being.





Celebration



PONGAL FESTIVAL



Our school celebrated the Pongal festival with great enthusiasm on 13th January 2025. The event began with traditional decorations like colorful rangoli and sugarcane stalks, creating a festive atmosphere. Students and teachers wore traditional attire, adding to the cultural vibe. The celebration included a special assembly highlighting the significance of Pongal, traditional dance and music performances, and a cooking demonstration of the festive dish, Pongal. The event concluded with everyone sharing sweets and expressing gratitude for nature's bounty, making it a memorable occasion for all.

CELEBRATE FRIENDSHIP THROUGH FESTIVE COMPETITIONS



As part of the Pongal festivities, our school hosted a variety of engaging competitions, including pot painting, singing,, and rangoli. These events provided students with a platform to display their creativity and talents. The pot painting competition saw vibrant and intricate designs come to life, while the singing contest resonated with melodious traditional and folk songs. The competition showcased students' culinary skills and teamwork, filling the air with the aroma of delicious dishes. Meanwhile, the rangoli competition added color and artistry, with participants crafting beautiful patterns using powders, flowers, and grains. The competitions fostered a sense of cultural pride and camaraderie, making the celebrations truly memorable.



ACHIEVEMENTS

-What seems impossible today will one day become your warm-up

THIRUKKURAL RECITATION



Our student, S. Smila, brought great pride to our school by securing the first prize in the Thirukkural recitation competition at the Vaikai Youngsters Literary Fest, held as part of the Silver Jubilee celebrations for the Thiruvalluvar statue. Her exceptional performance and eloquent recitation were highly appreciated by the audience and judges alike. Adding to this prestigious achievement, she was honored with the prize by the District Collector, Dr. V.P. Jeyaseelan, during the award ceremony. This remarkable accomplishment reflects her hard work, dedication, and deep respect for our rich literary heritage.



WORLD RECORD FOR BARATHAM



Our student proudly participated in a historic mass world record event organized by BS Rocks Events, which achieved the phenomenal feat titled "Natiya Parathatchanam." This extraordinary performance, featuring their own original lyrics and music, showcased the cultural richness and creative talent of the participants. The achievement was officially recognized and recorded in the prestigious International Pride World Records, marking a moment of immense pride and inspiration for everyone involved. This accomplishment highlights our student's dedication and passion for contributing to such a remarkable milestone.

THANK YOU

SEE YOU IN NEXT CATALYST!!!