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Newsletter

Events in October



Tuesday, 1st October: Last Working Day

Wednesday, 2nd October: Puja Vacation Begins

Thursday, 17th October: School Reopens after Puja Vacation

Friday, 18th October: World Mental Health Day

Monday, 21st October: School closed for Grades Pre Nursery to 1 for professional training of teachers

Tuesday, 22nd October: School closed for Grades Pre Nursery to 1 for professional training of teachers

Wednesday, 23rd October: School closed for Grades 2 to 5 for professional training of teachers

Thursday, 24th October: School closed for Grades 2 to 5 for professional training of teachers

Friday, 25th October: Session on Inclusion - United We Stand Grade 2
by the Counselling Department

Friday, 25th October: Story Enactment by Grade 5 for celebrating World Food Day

Saturday, 26th October: Workshop for whole school teachers on Occupational Therapy in School
Systems

Tuesday, 29th October: Coffee Meet - Grade Pre Nursery

Wednesday, 30th October: Coffee Meet - Grade Nursery



Teachers' Day Celebrations

Primary Section

On September 5th, 2024, the students of the Primary Section joyfully celebrated Teachers' Day - a day dedicated to showing appreciation for their beloved teachers. The young learners showered their teachers with handmade cards filled with sweet messages and crafted personalized videos that highlighted their love and gratitude. The celebration was a heartwarming reminder of the special bond between teachers and students.

The heartfelt efforts of parents also played a crucial role in making the day unforgettable, ensuring that every teacher felt cherished and valued. Together, everyone created a beautiful celebration of appreciation and joy!



Grade Pre Nursery A



Grade Pre Nursery B

Teachers' Day Celebrations

Primary Section



Grade Nursery A



Grade Nursery B



Teachers' Day Celebrations

Primary Section



Grade Upper Nursery A



Grade Upper Nursery B



Teachers' Day Celebrations

Junior Section

Nurturing minds and hearts: A salute to our teachers

This year Teachers' Day was celebrated in the Junior School over 2 days - 4th and 5th September. This special day was celebrated with usual warmth and enthusiasm. On 5th September, in the morning, the teachers entered the school, beautifully decorated with balloons. They were welcomed by the students with cards and flowers, expressing their gratitude and love for the guidance and support that the teachers provide them. To make the day memorable for their teachers, the students of Grades 3 to 5 put up a variety programme in the AVR, that included mind blowing performances of dance, songs, instruments, skits, recitation etc. The younger members of the Junior School, Grades 1 and 2, were equally enthusiastic in their performances for their teachers on the 4th of September. The spectacular renditions of the students truly stole the hearts of the teachers. Like every year this year too, there were friendly inter house football and basketball matches between teachers and Senior School students in the morning. The fun filled day ended with a sumptuous lunch, organised by the school management at Scrapyard, South City Mall. It was a truly memorable Teachers' Day. A special thanks to the Junior Student Council members for the seamless coordination and supervision of the entire programme. Well done!



Grade 1

Teachers' Day Celebrations

Junior Section



Grade 2

Teachers' Day Celebrations

Junior Section



Grade 3



Grade 4



Teachers' Day Celebrations

Junior Section



Grade 5

International Day of Peace

Primary Section

Like every year, Peace Day was celebrated in the Primary Section with an array of activities and work of art and craft in all the grades. Paper doves, rainbows, pinwheels and hearts were designed and displayed over the week in view of celebrating the day with a difference.

The students joined in a special assembly, singing songs of Peace and engaging in a meditation session with their teachers. The youngest students of Grade Pre Nursery sang ‘This little guiding light of mine...’ in joyous tones. The peaceful stars of Grade Nursery sang the melodious tune of ‘I have Peace in my fingers’, spreading the beautiful message of a peaceful world. They also drew pictures of ‘what peace means to them’ and went on a Nature walk. Students also took a vow that everyday could be a day of peace, if they chose to be kind and caring to everyone around them. Grade Upper Nursery A sang with heart and honesty, reminding us all to ‘Heal the World’. Students of Grade Upper Nursery B sang a melodious Bengali song ‘Prano Bhoriyee Trisha Horiye’ which reflected a connection with Nature and the divine to find contentment and celebrate the beauty of life.



Grade Pre Nursery

International Day of Peace

Primary Section



Grade Nursery



Grade Upper Nursery

International Day of Peace

Primary Section

The young learners gathered outdoors to create a peace sign showing their commitment towards harmony. The students took a peace walk on the painted corridors depicting a Peace trail to add to the charm of the celebration.



International Day of Peace

Junior Section

Building Bridges, Not Walls

In observance of Peace Day, the students of Junior School embarked on a series of creative and reflective activities to explore the concept of peace and its significance in our lives and the world around us. Through imaginative exercises, artistic expressions, and thoughtful discussions, the students across different grades delved into the meaning of peace, its importance, and the ways in which they can contribute to a more harmonious world.

Grade 1 students created imaginative "Garden of Peace" through guided visualizations, expressing their ideas through drawings and words.



Grade 1 - Our Peace Garden

International Day of Peace

Junior Section

Grade 2 students explored peace through visual imagery, selecting and interpreting pictures that symbolized peace to them. They also wrote about their chosen images, expressing their thoughts on a dove-shaped writing template.



Grade 2 - My peace symbol riding on the wings of Dove

Grade 3 students delved into the concept of peace through mind mapping, reflecting on their personal experiences and extending their understanding to family, friends, community, and the world. They also created peace pledges to commit to building a more peaceful future.



Grade 3 - Pledges to make the world a peaceful place

International Day of Peace

Junior Section

Grade 4 students used a five-sense approach to explore peace, writing about how peace feels, sounds, smells, looks, and tastes. They created mobiles to visually represent their sensory experiences.



Grade 4 - Exploring peace using the five senses

Grade 5 students began with a breathing exercise to promote relaxation and mindfulness. They then shared their ideas about peace and conflict resolution, writing their messages on peace symbols and creating a Peace Chain to symbolize unity and cooperation.



Grade 5 - Links together to promote Peace



Through these diverse activities, our young learners learnt to appreciate the value of peaceful relationships, the power of individual actions, and the collective responsibility to create a more harmonious future.

Primary Section Math Assembly

On 19th of September, students of the Primary Section showcased their enthusiasm and understanding of Mathematics through a vibrant presentation. The event featured appealing songs, melodious action songs and engaging role plays all designed to make learning fun and interactive.

The learners of Grade Pre Nursery A jumped and hopped to the lively tune of "5 Little Speckled Frogs," while Grade Pre Nursery B energized the crowd with "Marching with the Ants."



Grade Pre Nursery A

Grade Pre Nursery B



Students from Grade Nursery A brought the number rhyme "5 Little Monkeys Hanging from the Tree" to life with confident enactments, showcasing their creativity.



Grade Nursery A

Primary Section Math Assembly

Grade Nursery B shone brightly with their delightful performance of "Onyx the Octopus," illustrating the joy of learning through song.



Grade Nursery B

Meanwhile, the students of Grade Upper Nursery A transformed the colourful world of shapes into an engaging dialogue in "Shapes are Everywhere."

Grade Upper
Nursery A



Primary Section Math Assembly

Grade Upper Nursery B presented "The Stopped Clock," a play that highlighted the chaos that ensues when clocks stop working. The narrative depicted how students were late for school, a family missed their flight, and people were delayed at work, culminating in a thought-provoking question: 'what would we do without clocks?'



Grade Upper
Nursery B



The assembly concluded on a positive note, with the audience agreeing that Mathematics is always fun when it is engaging, interactive, and incorporates games and real-life examples.

Hindi Diwas

The Junior School's Language Department enthusiastically celebrated Hindi Diwas, honouring the adoption of Hindi as an official language on September 14, 1949. Although CIS is an international school, it values cultural respect and inclusivity, encouraging students to participate in all functions and take pride in their regional languages. The celebration, aimed at Grades 1 to 5, deepened students' understanding of Hindi Diwas.

The event began with Laakshita Agarwal (Grade 5) and Aaryav Gujral (Grade 4) as emcees, who, dressed in traditional Indian attire, welcomed the audience and shared facts about Hindi Diwas.

The celebration commenced with Grade 1 Hindi students reciting a shloka, bringing a sense of peace and calm to the auditorium. These young learners, just beginning their journey with the language, also recited poems and performed a much-loved song. The iconic "Mera Joota Hai Japani... Phir Bhi Dil Hai Hindustani" set the entire hall in motion, filling the room with excitement and rhythm.



Grade 1



The Grade 2 students presented an innovative performance titled 'Maatrao ki Nok Jhok', a fun and engaging approach to learning the intricacies of matras (vowel symbols). Their act included memorable lines like:

"Hum hain swaron ki raniya...

Main hu anaar....

Aur mein hu akhbaar jisse aap roz padte hain.

Main hu ajar, jisse aap darte hain...

Main hu anaaj, a na hota toh anaaj na hota,

Anaaj na hota toh aap kya khaate?

Batao, batao?"

Hindi Diwas



Grade 2

The Grade 3 students continued the Hindi Diwas celebration with great pride and enthusiasm, commemorating the adoption of Hindi as an official language on September 14, 1949. To emphasize the significance of the day, they shared a series of fascinating facts about the Hindi language, broadening the knowledge of their peers in the audience.

After presenting the Fact File in Hindi, the Grade 3 students marked the celebration by performing a Hindi song titled "Phenko Mat," which had a catchy melody and delivered a meaningful message about keeping the country clean. Their performance, filled with pride for the language, captivated the audience and effectively conveyed this important lesson in an engaging and memorable way.



Grade 3

Hindi Diwas

The school ensures support for students learning Hindi, regardless of when they join. One such student recited a beautiful poem, showcasing the progress made in learning the language. The Language Department teachers were appreciated for their efforts in making learning enjoyable and effective. Special recognition was given to Grades 4 and 5 for their participation and leadership in motivating younger students.

For a couple of hours, the celebration filled the school with the sounds of Hindi. Mrs. Nayar, the Junior School principal, was touched by the presentations and encouraged students to take pride in their mother tongue. She emphasised the importance of appreciating the language of the place they live in, which fosters respect for all cultures.

CIS's commitment to language learning and cultural understanding was beautifully reflected in the Hindi Diwas celebration, reinforcing the significance of passing this appreciation to future generations.



Grade 4 and 5 Emcees for the day



Session conducted by Dr. Kaushik Ghosh on "Osteo Insights"

Dr. Kaushik Ghosh, a renowned orthopedic surgeon, delivered an engaging 'Osteo Insights' session for Grade 3 learners, exploring the fascinating world of bones and their functions. He educated and sparked curiosity about bone health, discussing common issues like osteoporosis and fractures, and how medicines can help. Dr. Ghosh emphasized a balanced diet, regular exercise, and proper calcium intake for strong bones. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A session where students asked him thoughtful questions and Dr. Ghosh provided insightful answers, encouraging further learning and prioritizing bone health.



Shadow Theatre Workshop

Grade 4

Shadow theatre, also known as shadow puppetry, is one of the oldest storytelling art forms, tracing its origins back to over 2,000 years. It involves using flat, cut-out figures (puppets) held between a light source and a screen. The puppeteer manipulates these figures, creating moving shadows that bring stories to life. Often accompanied by music, narration, and sound effects, it is both a visual and auditory experience that captivates audiences through its simplicity and creativity.

The Junior section of the Calcutta International School decided to give this unique experience to its students through a 3 day workshop facilitated by Ms Anna-Maria Schlemmer from Germany in collaboration with Mr Sudip Gupta of Dolls Theatre, Kolkata from 9th to 11th September, 2024 for the Grade 4 students.



The workshop began with a brief overview about shadow theatre and its history. Then the students were given bits of scrap paper which they used to make forms of fairies, animals, monuments, monsters and many more. This created a seamless blend of abstract and realistic figure making.

On the second day the students were grouped under various themes such as Water, Sun, Jungle, House etc. They started making the background according to these themes and weaved their own unique stories around them. Themes like environmental conservation and human resilience were subtly interwoven into the traditional storytelling framework.



Shadow Theatre Workshop

Grade 4

The students were taught the masterful manipulation of light. They also learnt that various angles create intricate shadows, offering a multi-dimensional experience. The learners also experienced using coloured lighting to add depth and emotion, enhancing the overall visual appeal.

On the third day the students displayed their skills in puppetry in front of the students of Grades 3 and 5. Whether small or delicate figures or larger-than-life representations, each puppet moved with grace and fluidity.

Finally, it was time for Ms. Anna's performance. It was a splendid show that left all walking back to their childhood memory lanes. The absence of dialogues forced the audience to rely on visual metaphors and symbolism. This led them to engage more deeply into the story. Moments of different emotions were communicated through changes in shadow size, puppet movements, and shifts in lighting, creating a rich emotional experience.



While the children were enchanted by the visuals, the adults were captivated by the deeper themes. The sheer creativity of the visual design elicited audible gasps from the audience. There were moments when the shadows transformed in unexpected ways, keeping the viewers engaged and curious.

The 3 day workshop was a wonderful experience for the students. It served as a great learning experience and a reminder of how traditional art forms can still attract modern audiences when executed with care and creativity.



IIHM Young Chef Competition

Mastering Flavours

On September 13th, 2024, the International Institute of Hotel Management (IIHM) organized the Eastern Region Young Chef India School/Young Chef-junior competition at the premises of CIS. This competition provided the aspiring chefs the opportunity to display their talent, creativity and passion for cooking. We had a total of 15 participants from different School levels.

The competition aimed at unearthing new culinary talents. The atmosphere was filled with excitement and energy as the young chefs showcased their skills, love and passion for cooking despite the challenge of preparing dishes without using fire. From presentation to taste, the expert judges evaluated the entries based on various criteria, including flavour, presentation, serving etiquettes etc. All the participants received certificates for participation.



Arohi Agarwal



Saishaa Narula



Anaya Shree Mohta



Devyanish Shah

IIHM Young Chef Competition

Mastering Flavours



Aprameya Dhananjay Vaze



Aryahi Chatterje



Maisha Khan



Aadya Jalan

The participants who have made it to the Semi Finals of the Young Chef India School – Junior which will be held in the IIHM Global Campus, Salt lake are:

- 1 Devyansh Shah (4A)
- 2 Aryahi Chatterjee (4A)
- 3 Maisha Khan (5A)

IIHM Teacher Chef Competition

Mastering Flavours

Along with the Eastern Region Young Chef India School/Young Chef competition, IIHM also invited teachers and educators to participate in the Eastern Region Teacher Chef Competition, 2024 to showcase their culinary skills. Three talented teachers of CIS prepared innovative, lip smacking dishes impressing the experts who judged them on their presentation and flavours.



Nurse Mitali Praharaj



Mr. Ritwik Kar



Teacher participants

Olympiads

The International GK Olympiad was held on 19th September, 2024 and the English Olympiad was held on 26th September, 2024 wherein students from Grades 1 to 5 took part in large numbers this year too.

Sports

Yellow House Shines: A Gripping Inter-House Football Tournament

The Junior School Inter-House Football Tournament held on 17th and 18th September, 2024, saw intense competition among the 3 Houses, with Yellow House emerging as the champion after a thrilling final. Red House put up a strong fight, securing the runners-up position.



Sessions conducted by the Counsellors

Session on Respect and Boundaries in Everyday Life with Grade 4

School counsellors Farishta Dastur, Spriha Patronobis and Sukonna Halder conducted a session with Grade 4 students on Respect and Boundaries in Everyday Life. The session focused on the meaning of the term 'boundaries' in our interpersonal interactions. Boundaries do not only apply to the physical realm but also describes psychological space. It teaches us when, how and how much to engage with another person, keeping in mind how our own actions make the other person feel, therefore fostering a sense of safety and well-being for us and those around us.



Children spoke candidly about various scenarios where lack of boundaries could lead to risks and/or impact relationships, making them feel uncomfortable and hence creating misunderstandings . They were able to identify specific actions that indicate that we are mindful of taking consent and respecting one another's space.

Sessions conducted by the Counsellors

Life Skill Session on Diversity and Boundaries by Spriha Patronobis

School counselor Spriha Patronobis conducted a Life Skills session for Grade 5 students to reiterate the concepts of Diversity and the Need for Boundaries. Students enthusiastically participated in group discussions on Diversity is an opportunity to enhance individuality, learn from one another, develop compassion, add variation to our experiences which enrich our lives and maintain an atmosphere of inclusion, where as non acceptance of differences can lead to lack of empathy, intolerance, and in severe instances, even criminal behavior. Children also learnt the need for having boundaries in interpersonal relationships - such boundaries are not meant to be divisive, but instill better safety for all of us. In this regard, the significance of Consent was also emphasized. It was encouraging to see that students were candid in sharing their own experiences and learning from those of others.



Understanding Puberty

The continuation sessions of "Transitioning during Puberty" with Grade 5 was conducted on 11th September for the boys and on 20th September for the girls. It was done mainly as a Q & A session to provide answers to the queries of the students. The discussion topics ranged from pubertal changes to menstruation to reproduction and also about reproduction in a gender diverse population. The students engaged proactively in these discussions.



Positive Parenting Workshop

Grade Pre Nursery

The parents of Grade Pre Nursery attended a workshop on 'Positive Parenting' with the school counsellors Mrs. Spriha Patronobis and Mrs. Farishta Dastur Mukerji, on 4th September, 2024.

The session focussed on various age appropriate concerns that children experience at this stage of development such as Daily Routine, Structure, Free Play, Screen time, Sleep schedules, Handling Behavioural and Emotional challenges, Discipline v/s Punishment, Reinforcements for Positive Behaviour, parents recognizing and addressing their own emotional triggers, helping children to develop frustration tolerance, helping children through transitions, to name a few.

Parents found the session not only interactive and informative, but were also appreciative of the safe space that was created for them to share their experiences and concerns, and engage in experiential learning as a cohort.

We hope this is the beginning of many such collaborative exchanges to come.



Growing Up Together

A Workshop for Grade 5 Parents on Navigating Puberty and Sex Education with Confidence

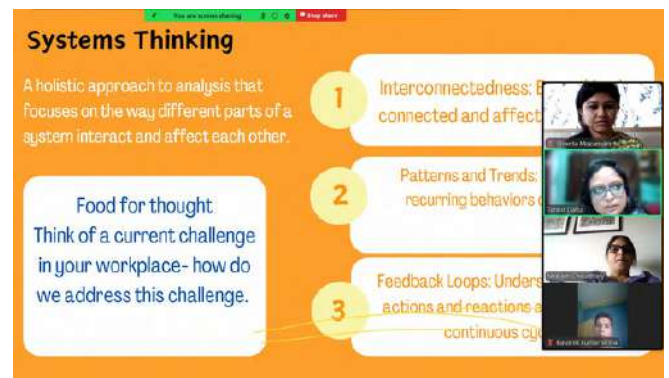
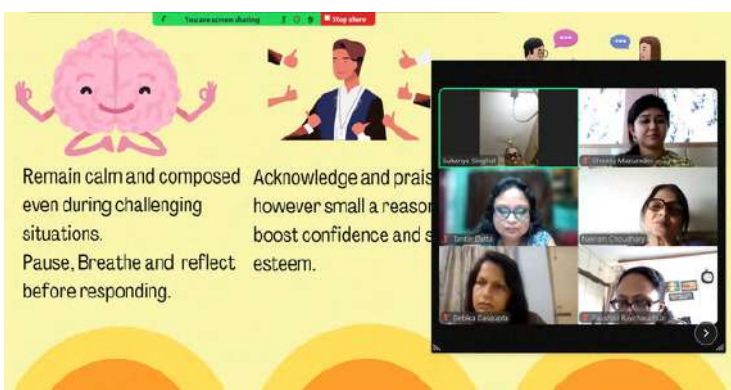
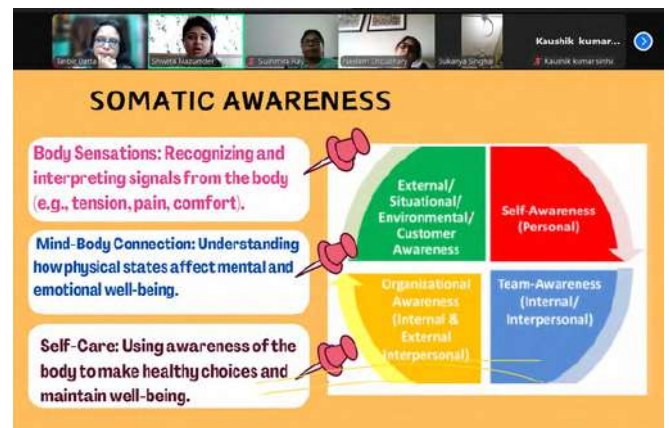
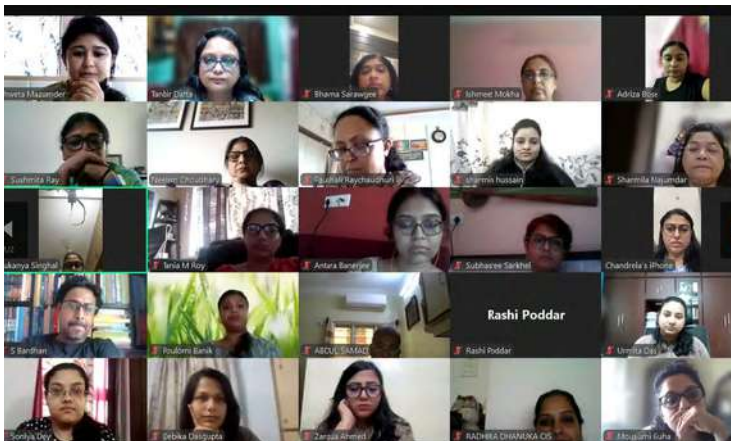
After a month-long conversation with students of grade 5 on Transitioning Through Puberty, it was time to include parents in the conversation. On 25th September, 2024, school counsellors Mrs. Spriha Patronobis and Mrs. Sukonna Halder conducted a session with the parents of the grade, to understand how these student sessions in school have impacted discussions at home. Recognizing the diverse spectrum of preparedness, comfort, knowledge, the workshop aimed at bringing all parents on the same page to address these matters in a consistent, age appropriate and de-stigmatizing manner. The interactive nature of the questions enabled parents to express their doubts pertaining to these topics. Through an interesting activity parents gained much insight into the questions put forward by the students, anonymously. This exercise helped parents to learn ways to respond to these queries. Related topics such as Gender and Sexual orientation, Boundaries, Consent, Interpersonal relationships, were also discussed. Some resources were shared with parents which serve as guidelines to create a safe space to continue these conversations at home.



Sharing session of the workshop on Compassionate Systems Leadership

On August 27th, 2024, Ms. Datta, Mrs. Mazumder, and Mrs. Singhal conducted an online sharing session about the Compassionate Systems Leadership workshop they attended, along with Mrs. Nayar, from March 19th to 21st, 2024. The workshop was organized by Priyamvada Taneja Consultancy and facilitated by Ms. Suchitra Sarada.

During the session, the teachers shared their insights with their colleagues, emphasizing the importance of leaders embodying all three core leadership capacities and reinforcing the idea that everyone plays a role in the smooth functioning of an organization. They also discussed the use of the mandala and iceberg tools, along with the symbol of the three-legged stool, to address differences and challenges in the workplace. The session was both enriching and relaxing for all who attended.



Teachers of the Junior School attending the online sharing session

Workshop on Scaffolding by the SEN Department

The SEN Department conducted a workshop on Scaffolding for Junior School teachers on 6.09.24, beginning with a presentation explaining what scaffolding is, why it's essential, and its purpose in supporting the neuro-diverse population.

Teachers were grouped by subject and given a video to watch, with a QR code provided for future reference and were asked to write three takeaways from the video closely aligning with their subject expertise. This served as an example of scaffolding, promoting independence by allowing teachers to revisit the material as needed.



The workshop emphasized how scaffolding fosters engagement and motivation by involving learners actively in their skill development. SEN department also shared strategies for effective scaffolding, using examples and demonstrating a sample worksheet tailored to different learners' needs.

The session concluded with each department planning a worksheet using the strategies on the specific format shared by the SEN Department.

ECA Star of the Month Awards

The 'ECA STAR OF THE MONTH' is a novel initiative, introduced this year for the first time in Junior School. It aims at acknowledging and celebrating the hard work and dedication of students in their respective ECA activities. The criteria for selecting the deserving students for this accolade were carefully thought out, considering factors such as the class size and specific requirements for each activity.



Chess - Arjun Bagaria (4A)
with Coach -
Mr. Haradhan Chakraborty



Basketball - Miraaya Agarwal (3B),
Aarav Nirmaal(3A), Amay Pasari (4A) &
Shivdutti Jalan (5B) with Coach -
Mr. Abdul Samad



Cricket- Daksh Jain (4A),
Vivaan Mookherjee (5A) &
Daksh Sureka (4B) with
Coach - Mr. Kaushik Sinha



Football-Shiv Trivedi (4B)
& Vian Agarwal (3B) with
Coaches - Mr. Rohan
Banerjee and Mr.
Subhadeep Chakraborty



Taekwondo- Pearlva Nevaeh Yonzone
(3A) & Mannat Kulthia (4A) with Coach
- Mr. Raja Das



Table tennis -
Shreyaan Kajaria (3B)
with Coach - Mr.
Abhijeet Roy

ECA Star of the Month Awards



Robotics- Adhvik Sengupta (3A) (left) & Burhanuddin Rampurawala (4B) (right) with Coach - Ms. Priyanka Singha Roy



Western Dance- Abigail Shuhan Chung (4B) & Aishwarria Chamedia (5B) with Coach - Mr. Arjun Gurung



Vocals- Rai Mazumdar (5A) & Sitara Kaushik (3A) with Coach - Ms. Aneeshaa Seth

ECA Stars of the Month



SIP Abacus

The qualifiers of Round 1 of All India Arithmetic Genius Contest 2024, were distributed the certificates along with the orange hall ticket in their class on 17th September, 2024.



GRADE 1A

Prisha Hada, Shaurya Chopra, Aryaveer Prasad,, Mishka Tulsan, Darsh Bajaj, Devansh Shroff,
Yashvi Agarwal, Ganya Agarwal, Inaaya Bagchi, Nishant Agarwal, Atharv Bansal, Ishanjit
Dawn, Moulík Chakraborty, Avyaan Jhunjhunwala, Samarth Sarda



GRADE 1B

Arjun Tewari, Simone Pathak, Ananmay Modi, Divisha Manot, Pravara Nahata, Veer Raj Kandoi,
Uvaansh Bagla, Aaryan Jain, Atharv Gupta, Krishiv Halwasiya, Viraj Jain, Garvansh Agarwal, Parth
Sikaria, Vaavrit Raj Bhandari, Arjun Vora Kejriwal, Ishaanvi Tantia, Kabir Shahabadi, Siaraa Narula

SIP Abacus



GRADE 2A

Arzaan Khan, Viaan Kedia Choudhury, Arjav Goswami, Hridaan Gaurav Vera, Agustya Hrishi Chamria, Anirved Somani, Ahaana Churiwal, Dravin Chakraborti, Diya Agarwal, Neil Bagaria, Devangi Phumbra, Diya Singhvi, Nyssa Khosla



GRADE 2B

Anaisha Modi, Anay Churiwal, Arohi Kedia, Aiza Maheshwari, Dhruv Marodia, Darsh Lakhotia, Sitara Kayan, Aisha Bansal, Anaisha Nirmaal, Vaani Agarwal, Darsh More, Aneesh Chatterjee, Neal Gupta, Saanvi Ruia, Neera Surana

SIP Abacus



GRADE 3A

Tara Ghai, Aira Jain, Yuvaan Bhutoria, Samarth Sanyal, Vannya Fatesaria, Aarav Nirml, Zainul Abedin, Lucas Chen, Adhvik Sengupta, Asahi Ito (absent)



GRADE 3B

Vian Agarwal, Agastya Khilani, Shreyaan Kajaria, Sonam Nicholas Phurpa Ladenla Rhodes, Reyansh Sureka, Aryan Newar, Myra Agarwal, Kaveer Agarwal, Meher Bhatia Mukherjee, Anna Mehta, Meera Dalmia, Tanushree Saraff, Maisha Agarwal, Ayaan Kasera (absent)

SIP Abacus



GRADE 4A

Amay Pasari, Daksh Jain, Aadya Jalan, Eira Jhunjhunwala, Hua Fu Wogen Hsiung,
Hridaan Raza, Aarav Agarwal, Devyansh Shah, Asmit Banerjee



GRADE 4B

Kabir Karnani, Daksh Sureka, Hrian Kathotia, Abigail Shuhan Chung,
Namah Thirani, Tamanna Bhutoria (absent)

SIP Abacus



GRADE 5A

Ekansh Sethi, Atharv Narasinghani, Ayan Chakravarti, Aradhya Agarwal,
Samaita Praharaj, Aditya Chakravarti, Sanjh Chakraborty, Rai Mazumdar



GRADE 5B

Ayukt Agarwal, Shaswat Gupta, Kritika Thakur

Students' Achievements

On 7.09.2024, **Siaraa Narula** and **Saishaa Narula** participated in the 22nd open State Taekwondo championship. **Siaraa Narula** won the 2nd prize in sparring and 3rd prize in speed kicking. **Saishaa Narula** scored 2nd prize in sparring.



Samara Bagaria of Grade 2B has secured first places in Speed kicking as well as in fighting in the Open State ITF Taekwondo Championship in the under 7 category.



Ayra Agarwal (4B) secured the second place in the recently conducted Open ITF Taekwondo And ISKA Kickboxing State Championship under Master Mrityunjay Roy.

Arna Mehta of 3B secured the first place in the Karate fight in the 3rd Captains Cup. The International Karate Organization (IKO) official website in Japan has featured photographs and details about this event. Osu. Arna does kyokushin karate and she has got a blue belt.



Students' Achievements

Dhruv D Patodia of 4B took part in the West Bengal State Championship, a Golf tournament organised by the Bengal Golf Association held on the 11th and 12th September, 2024. He ranked 2nd in this tournament.



Neil Bagaria and **Agustya Chamria**, students of Grade 2A recently participated in a State U-11 Open FIDE Rated Chess Tournament. The tournament spanned over 4 days. There were 8 rounds in total. The prizes were given age wise. **Agustya Chamria** came 1st (under 7 category) and **Neil Bagaria** came 3rd in under 11 open West Bengal state FIDE rated chess championship, in under 7 category in the tournament.

Arjun Vora Kejriwal participated in the 22nd Open State ITF Taekwondo Championship in which he secured first place in sparring and third place in speed kicking.



Viaan K Chowdhury of 2A participated in the 22nd Open State ITF Taekwondo Championship held on 7th September, 2024, organized by the Traditional Taekwondo Association, Bengal. He secured first place in the "sparring event" held that day under the category of age 8. He is a holder of the green stripe belt.

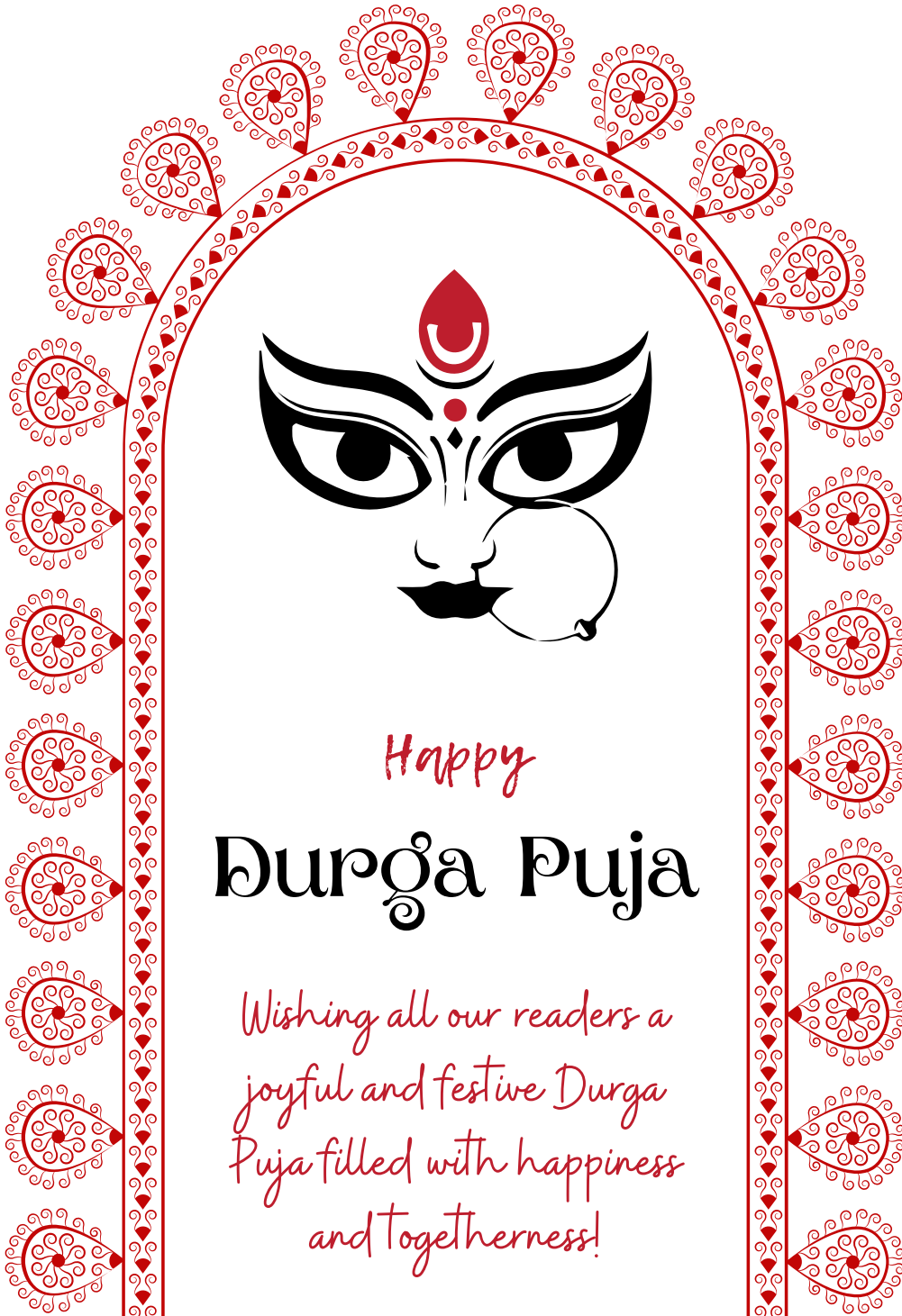
Awards and Recognition

We are proud to announce that Mrs. Mousumi Guha and Mrs. Preeti Roychoudhury have been awarded the IIHM Teachers' Day Awards 2023 for their outstanding contributions as educators in the holistic education and development of the students at CIS.



Corrigendum

In last month's issue of Herald there was an error. Diya Agarwal of Grade 2A's name was listed incorrectly as a winner at the Annual Swimming Meet. We apologise sincerely for the error and congratulate Diya Singhvi on her achievement.



Happy
Durga Puja

Wishing all our readers a joyful and festive Durga Puja filled with happiness and togetherness!



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