

NAVAL KINDERGARTEN, NAUSENABAUGH,
VISAKHAPATNAM
ACTIVITY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2021

1. TEACHER'S DAY CARD MAKING ACTIVITY



Teacher's Day is a special day for the appreciation of teachers which includes celebration to honour them on this particular day. In order to express gratitude and utmost respect towards a teacher, children on this particular day make cards for their teachers.

This activity was conducted live on MS Teams by teacher-in-charge Mrs. Pooja Singh for UKG and LKG sessions. She explained the activity in a simple step by step process and encouraged children to do this activity at home.

A revision video was also posted on 1st September 2021.

2. TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

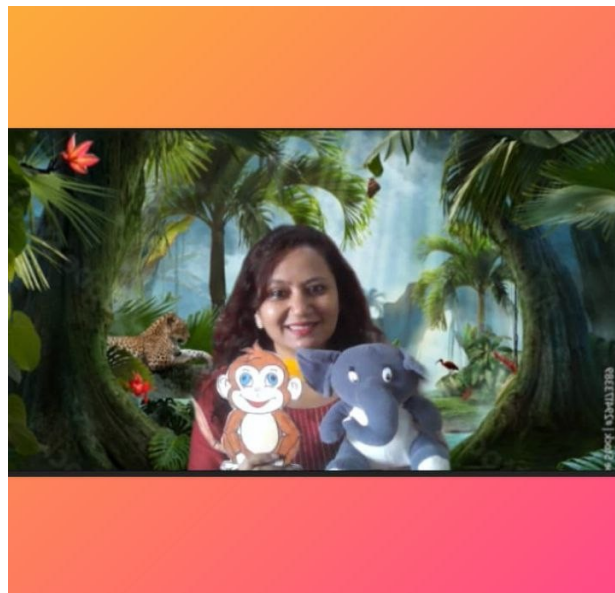
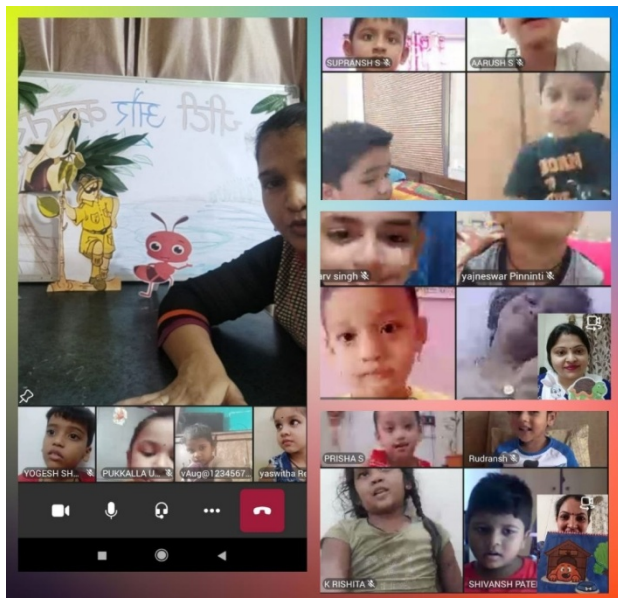


In India, 5th September is celebrated as Teacher's Day as a mark of tribute to the contribution made by teachers to the society. It marks the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radha Krishnan. On this wonderful occasion, a beautiful video was presented to all the class groups of NKG, NSB. It was indeed a wonderful surprise for all the teachers by the little kindergarteners.

The special feature was the performances by the little ones. Students performed dances and sang teachers day songs. It ended with a lovely short thank you note by children.

Later, on behalf of our Headmistress and all teachers, Mrs. Megha Pant offered her thank you to all our children for showering us with their love and wishes.

3. FRIDAY STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTION - LKG



The first student teacher interaction for the month was conducted on 3rd September 2021, Friday through Teams meeting. Teachers narrated Hindi story with props and voice modulation. It was a very good experience for children as they loved to see their teacher narrate the story. Further to make the session more interactive, children were called one by one and were encouraged to answer the question related to the story. Teacher explained the moral of the story and asked the children to repeat the moral after her. The session was conducted smoothly.

4. FRIDAY STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTION - UKG



In the first student teacher interaction for the month, UKG covered revision topics like - 'What comes after?' and 'Hindi Akshar' .

After the revision work, virtual scavenger hunt activity was conducted. It was totally a brainstorming and fun activity for children conducted under the guidance of our Headmistress Mrs. Swati Adak. The interesting questions framed by her amazed the students and parents appreciated the school for conducting this fun filled activity online. Questions such as 'find something that makes you happy' , 'find something you made' , 'find something that smells nice' , 'find something with buttons' and so on....

The session was conducted smoothly.

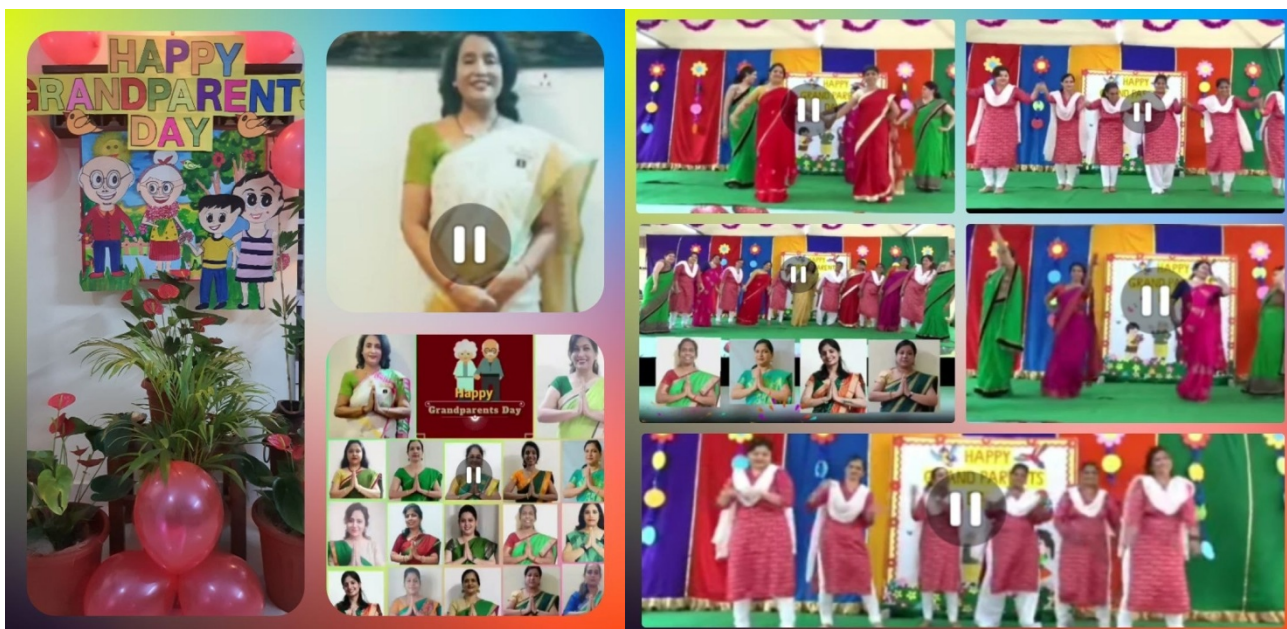
5. GRANDPARENTS DAY CARD MAKING ACTIVITY



On the occasion of Grandparents day, to express love, gratitude and to make them feel special, a card making activity was conducted live on MS Teams by the teacher-in-charge Mrs. Pooja Singh on 6th, 7th and 8th September. The teacher demonstrated the card making activity in a very simple step by step process.

Later, a revision video was also posted in all the classes of NKG NSB.

6. GRANDPARENTS DAY CELEBRATION - 12TH SEPTEMBER 2021



Ganesh Chaturthi is a prominent Hindu festival celebrated throughout our country. It is celebrated as a symbol of wisdom, prosperity and good fortune . The festival is marked with the installation of Ganesha clay idols privately at homes or publicly on elaborate pandals.

People do prayer, offer modakas/ laddoos to Lord Ganesha. On this auspicious day a video was posted to all the cast groups of NKG NSB. The teacher-in-charge, Mrs. Neha Khare described the special day - Ganesh Chaturthi, as the birth of Lord Ganesha. She explained the reason behind the birth of Lord Ganesha through a beautiful story of Goddess Parvati and Lord Shiva. The highlight of the video was the pooja/prayer offered and the dance performances by our little kindergarteners.

8. INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY

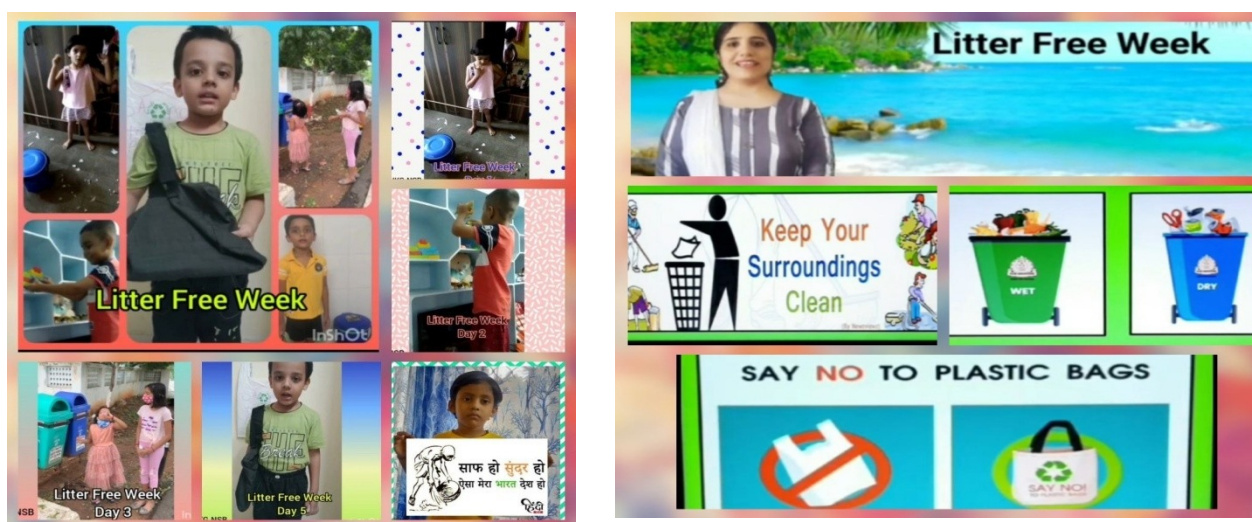


LITERACY CLASS FOR THE SAHAYIKAS BY THE HEADMISTRESS NAVAL KINDERGARTEN, NSB - MRS. SWATI ADA

This day is observed on 8th September every year across the globe to promote and support the development of literacy, access to quality education and learning opportunities for everyone. The theme for 2021, "Literacy teaching and learning in the COVID-19 crisis and beyond" especially highlights the role of educators and changing methods of teaching. The teacher in charge Mrs. Reena Yadav, aptly covered the theme of this year through the video and explained the importance of literacy in today's world. The video was meticulously supported by clippings from students reciting the poems about literacy, going to school and enjoying learning; as also adult literacy clippings.

Initiative for taking literacy classes once a week for the sahayikas was started by the Headmistress, Mrs. Swati Adak.

9. LITTER FREE WEEK SPECIAL ASSEMBLY



The school imparted the spirit of cleanliness to its children by celebrating a 'Litter Free Week' from 7th September 2021 to 11th September 2021. Due to the ongoing restrictions, various activities were performed by the children throughout the week at their home or nearby surroundings. The idea of these activities was to maintain the surrounding spic and span.

The essence of litter free was appropriately covered by Mrs. Bharti Shivani through a video. The video started with the basics of keeping environment clean, followed by a story on litter free surroundings, where in the spirit of cleanliness was highlighted. The video also explained about waste segregation (Dry and Wet) and the three R's - Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. Further, the importance of keeping public places clean and respecting the waste cleaning workers was also imparted.

10. CHOCOLATE WRAPPER ACTIVITY-BASED ON LITTER FREE(LKG)



Continuing with the spirit of cleanliness, the activity wherein the teacher in charge Mrs. Rekha Kuntal, through a video suitably covered one of the three R's i.e Reuse on 7th September 2021. The teacher explained to the children how chocolate wrappers can be utilised to make beautiful art and craft. Chocolate wrappers were used for making wings of butterflies. The activity was performed on the art and craft book for LKG.

11. THREAD PAINTING ACTIVITY



Thread Painting activity is not only a very interesting and fun activity to create beautiful abstract paintings in seconds but it also develops fine motor strength and grip. This activity was conducted live on MS Teams by teacher-in-charge Mrs Pooja Singh. A revision video was also posted on "Thread Painting Activity" and was posted to all the UKG classes of NKG NSB on 22nd September 2020. The teacher in-charge Mrs. Pooja explained & demonstrated the activity step by step to enable children to understand the activity easily.

12. HINDI DIWAS



Every year, September 14 is celebrated as Hindi Diwas across India. On this day in 1949, the Constituent Assembly of India adopted Hindi as the official language of the Republic of India and since then it is celebrated as Hindi Diwas every year.

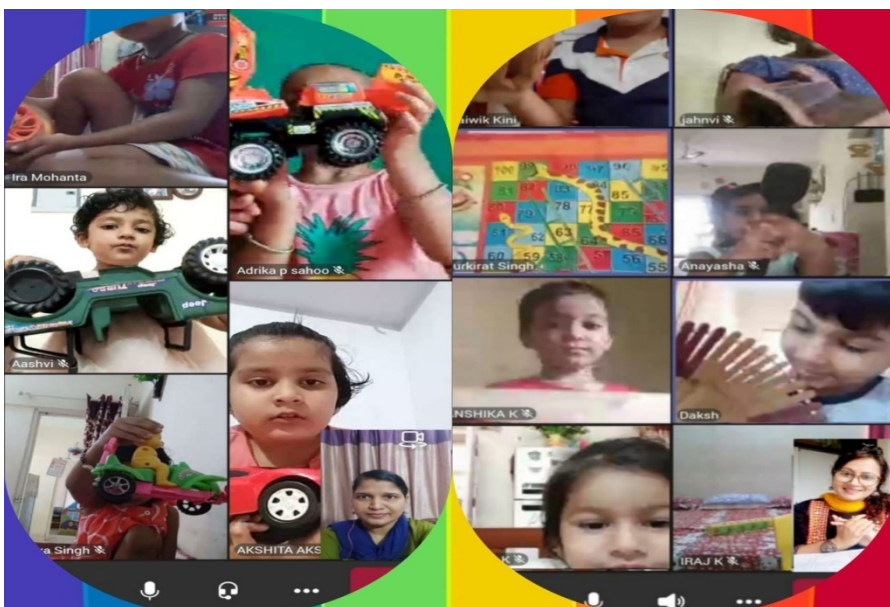
In order to inculcate love for the Hindi Language and get knowledge on importance of the Hindi Diwas a video was posted to all the class groups of NKG NSB on 14th September 2021. The teacher in charge Mrs. Anita Bisht through a video explained the importance of Hindi Diwas to all the children. This was further supported by short speech on Hindi Diwas by our little ones. Not only this, our kindergarteners also presented beautiful thoughts & poems on Hindi Diwas celebration.

13. THUMB PRINT ACTIVITY



Although thumb printing seems like child's play and it certainly is, it is also a teaching tool that can help kindergarteners build motor skills and more. It involves complex movements of the hand that can build hand-eye coordination & muscle control. This activity was conducted live on MS Teams. A revision video on "Thumb Printing Activity" was posted to all the LKG classes of NKG NSB on 24th September 2021. The teacher in-charge Mrs. Pooja explained & demonstrated the activity in a very simple step by step process, to enable children to understand the activity easily.

14. STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTIONS



The second student teacher interaction for the month was conducted on 9th September through teams meeting.

Student teacher interactions are always interesting as it is fulfilled and makes children rack their brain.

Scavenger Hunt Activity was conducted where random questions were asked so that students move around, think, and play the game.

Few such questions were :

- 1) Find something that makes a crunch sound.
- 2) Find something that makes you happy.
- 3) Find something sweet in taste.
- 4) Find something with buttons.

Students loved this session and were charged up.

15. STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTION, REVISION AND SCAVENGER HUNT ACTIVITY



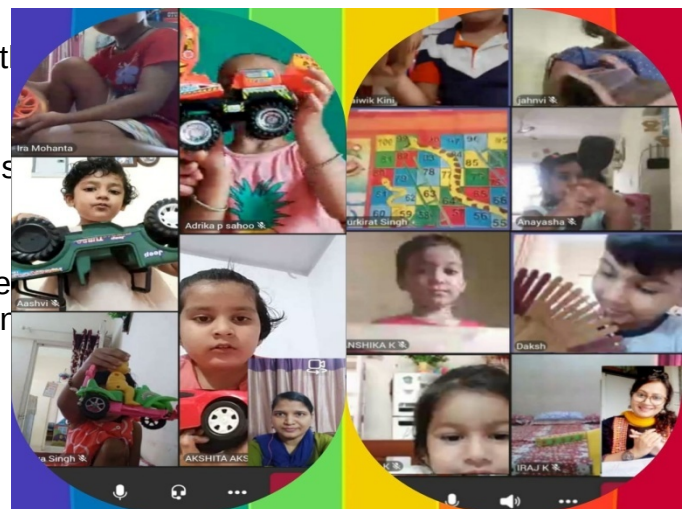
In the second student teacher interaction for the month, the focus was on vowel words and reading from the phono drill.

For 'e' vowel revision, a picture was shown on the screen, and students were asked to find the letter and read the word.

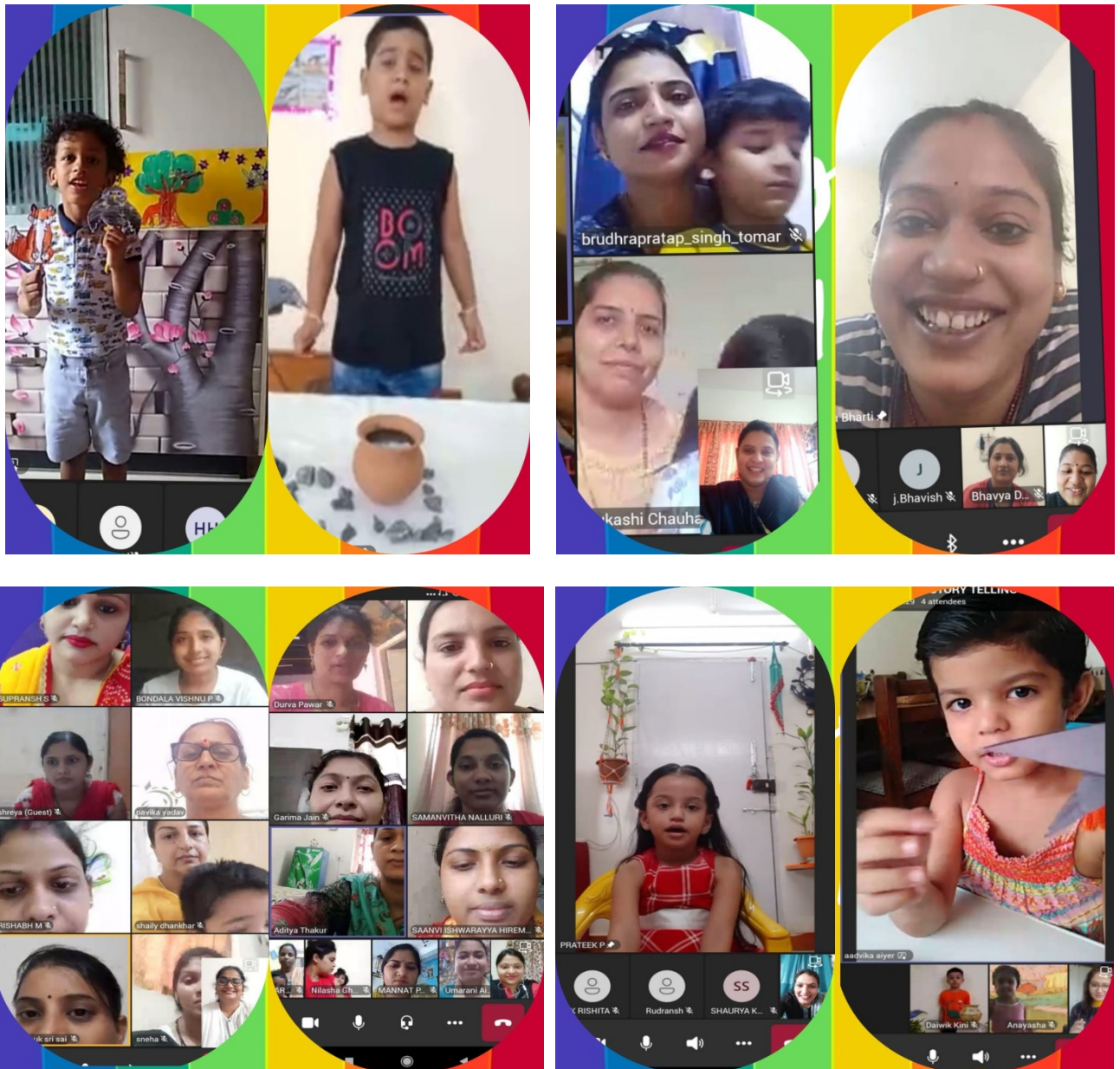
After the academic revision a fun filled scavenger hunt session was conducted, which was lively and interesting for students. In this session, students were asked to find out something that :

1. Has a number on it.
2. Has 4 sides.
3. Is longer than a pencil.
4. Is shorter than a tooth brush.
5. Has zip on it.
6. Find 2 socks that match.
7. Find a sticker.

It was a very interesting and brain racking activity session for UKG.



16. PRELIMINARY ROUNDS OF HINDI STORY TELLING AND PARENTS TEACHER INTERACTIO



On 17th September 2021 a session was specifically planned for conducting UKG and LKG Hindi story telling Preliminary rounds on Microsoft Teams.

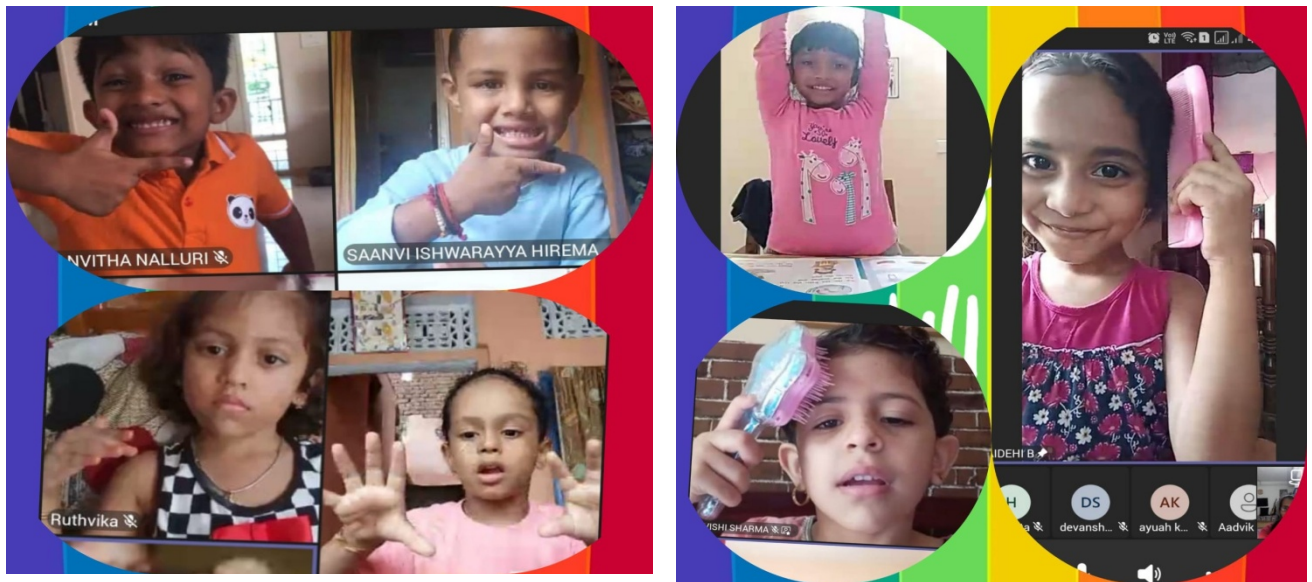
The session was short and crisp and students followed all the instructions carefully. This meeting was held slot wise. The students were called individually and were encouraged to say the Hindi story they had prepared for the session. The session was conducted smoothly and children also enjoyed participating in the activity.

Subsequently, the short listed students were told to prepare for the final round.

After the preliminary rounds, parent teacher interaction was conducted where in all queries were answered and teachers thanked parents for all their support for sending grandparents day and festivals videos.

All the parents were happy and expressed their gratitude for the smooth conduct of the online education of KG classes.

17. STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTION



The third student teacher interaction for the month was conducted on 24th September 2021 for LKG and UKG on Microsoft Teams.

Fun activity Act and Freeze was conducted for LKG, where students were asked to perform action on the music and freeze once the music is stopped.

This was eventually revision for action words. The few actions were brushing teeth, washing face, shaking fingers, laughing loud etc. The session ended with lot of energy as finally students were asked to dance on music and freeze as music stops.

UKG conducted reading from phono drill page 31. Students were asked to place their pointer finger and read after the teacher. They were encouraged to do reading practice daily.

After the reading a fun filled activity 'Inculcate Good habits' was conducted. Students were asked to open Enjoy and Learn EVS book to page 17 where 6 pictures were given. The teacher explained each picture and then showed action for each picture.

An audio was played and individually students were asked to do the action of good habits sequentially.

This was a very interesting and enjoyable activity for children.

18. VEGETABLE PRINTING ACTIVITY - LKG



Although vegetable print seems like child's play and it certainly is, it is also a teaching tool that can help kindergarteners build motor skills and inculcate creativity in them. It can involve complex movements of the hand that can build eye-hand coordination and muscle control.

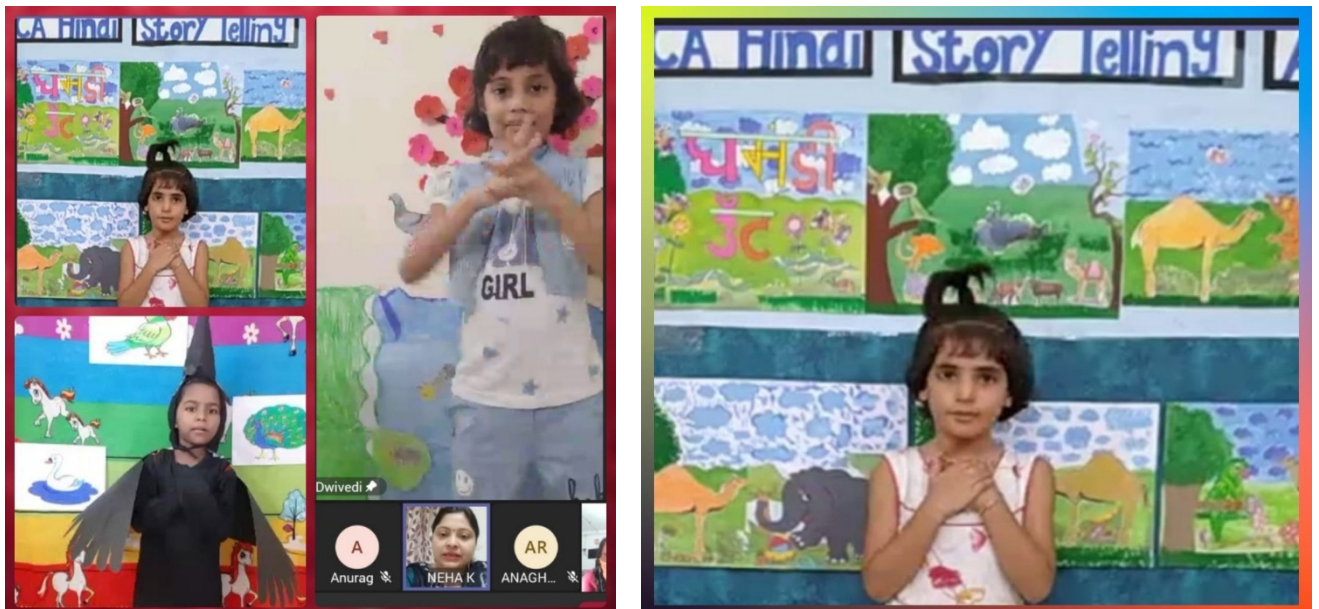
This activity was taken up live, by the teacher-in-charge Mrs. Pooja Singh on Microsoft Teams on 20th and 21st September 2021. The activity was explained and demonstrated in a very simple, step-by- step process to enable children to understand the activity easily. A revision video was also posted.

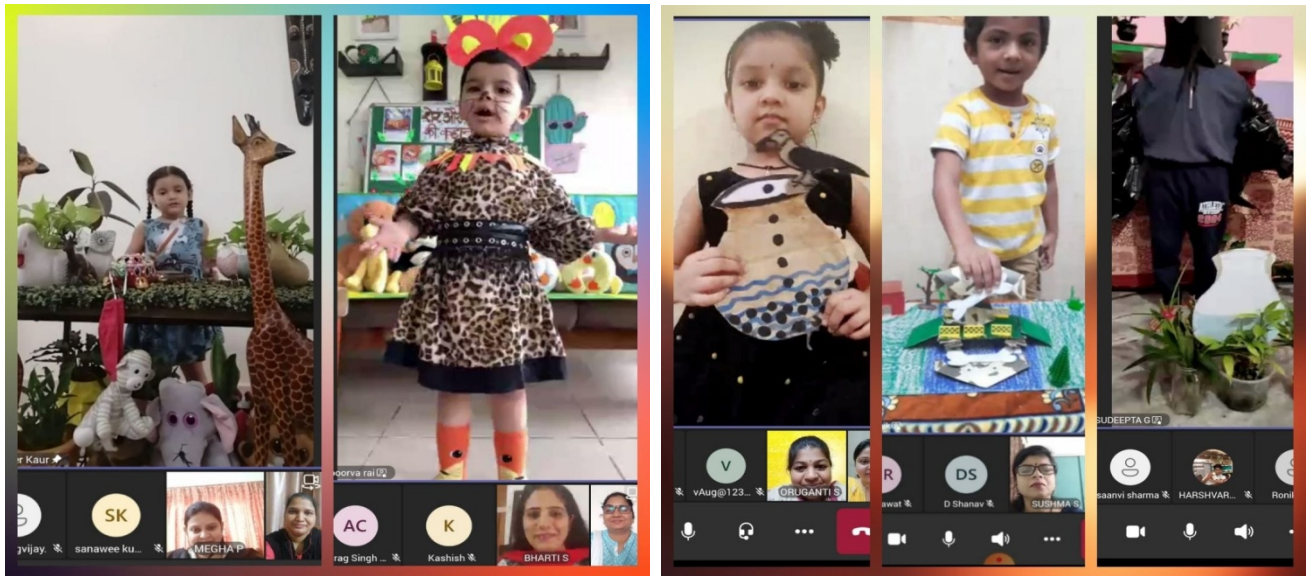
19. MUD PAINTING ACTIVITY - UKG



Mud play helps children develop tactile skills with sensory play. Mud play and other outdoor activities not only get them away from screens, but give children fresh air, exercise and sunlight. Mud play is also a teaching tool, that can help children boost creativity, imagination, independent learning and teamwork. This activity was taken up live, by the teacher-in-charge Mrs. Pooja Singh on Microsoft Teams on 20th and 21st September 2021. The activity was explained and demonstrated in a very simple, step-by- step process to enable children to understand the activity easily. A revision video was also posted.

20. HINDI STORY TELLING ACTIVITY





The fifth CCA activity - Hindi Story Telling Activity was conducted on 23.9.2021 for LKG and on 24.9.2021 for UKG students. The activity was conducted slot wise on Microsoft Teams. The parents were briefed on all the important aspects of the Hindi Story Telling Activity in advance, through a detailed circular.

The link to join the meeting was sent one day prior to the activity so that the parents could check if the link was functioning properly or not. For students having network issue, the activity was conducted on WhatsApp video call. It was a pleasure to see children enthusiastically participating and narrating the stories with beautiful props. The activity was conducted smoothly.

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