

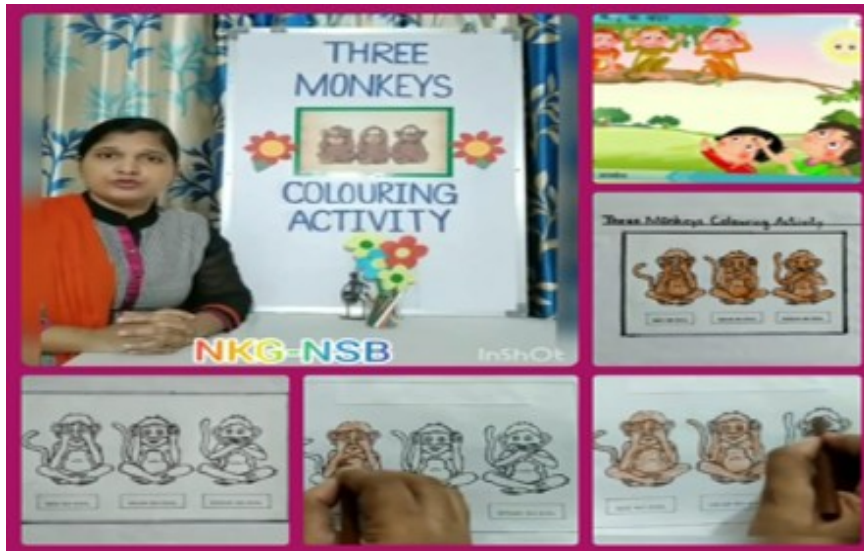
NAVAL KINDERGARTEN, NAUSENABAUGH
VISAKHAPATNAM
ACTIVITY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2021

1. GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION



Gandhi Jayanti is celebrated by the nation to commemorate the birth anniversary of the Father of our Nation, Mahatma Gandhi. This year NKG NSB virtually celebrated this day with great zeal and enthusiasm. On this special occasion, the teacher in charge Mrs. Rachel and students from LKG-E prepared a beautiful video which was forwarded to all the class groups of NKG NSB on 2nd October 2021. The celebration marking the importance of Gandhi Jayanti was appropriately covered by the teacher in charge. This was followed by a story on Gandhiji that gave a deep insight into the life and ideologies of Mahatma Gandhi. The special feature was the performances by our little ones. Students gave performance on Gandhiji's three proverbial monkeys which represented the principle "see no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil". The activity culminated with a lovely dance by our LKG children on "Bande mein tha dum, Vande Mataram" song. Later the teacher thanked & appreciated our little ones and their parents for their commendable efforts put in for conducting the virtual celebration successfully.

2. COLOURING ACTIVITY- THREE LITTLE MONKEYS



COLOURING ACTIVITY DEMONSTRATED BY THE TEACHER

In order to inculcate Gandhiji's values through the proverbial principle "See No Evil, Hear No Evil, Speak No Evil", an activity class on the colouring of Gandhiji's 3 monkeys was taken up live on MS Teams by Mrs. Pooja Singh. Later, a video on the same was posted to all the class groups of NKG, NSB on 1st October 2021. The teacher-in-charge Mrs. Rachel Seth through a Hindi Rhyme-"Bapuji ke bandar teen" beautifully explained the significance of Gandhiji's three wise monkeys & briefed students about the activity and the material required. She also demonstrated the activity, step by step to enable easy understanding for children. Thereafter, the children were encouraged to do the activity at home themselves.

3. DURGA MAA CROWN MAKING ACTIVITY



DURGA MAA CROWN MAKING ACTIVITY DEMONSTRATED BY THE TEACHER

Durga Puja, the annual celebration of Hindu goddess Durga, one of India's widely celebrated festivals was introduced to children through an activity called “Durga Maa Crown Making”. An activity class on Crown Making Activity, was taken up live on MS Teams, by Mrs. Pooja Singh. Later, a video on Crown Making Activity was posted to all the class groups of NKG, NSB on 13th October 2021. The teacher-in-charge Mrs. Pooja through this video demonstrated the crown making activity using craft paper and decorative items in a simple step by step process and encouraged children to do this activity at home. The activity was appreciated by the children and they had lots of fun making the crown at home. The children made beautiful crowns and posted the pictures



on the group.

DURGA MAA CROWN MAKING ACTIVITY BY CHILDREN

4. TEAR AND PASTE ACTIVITY-RAVANA



TEAR AND PASTE ACTIVITY DEMONSTRATED BY THE TEACHER

Tearing paper into small pieces can be fun and satisfying for young children. The act of tearing not only encourages useful finger co- ordination skills, but it also enhances the fine motor skills, eye hand coordination & tripod grip. So, continuing with the spirit of celebrating festivals & involving children in the fun and educational activities, a video on Tear and Paste activity of the picture of Ravana was posted to all the class groups of NKG NSB on 20th October 2021. The teacher in charge Mrs. Neha Khare aptly covered the story of Ravana and explained the importance of celebrating Dussehra which marks the victory of Good over evil. Children were explained the activity of tearing and pasting with colourful papers and crayons.



TEAR AND PASTE RAAVAN ACTIVITY BY CHILDREN

5. DUSSHERA CELEBRATIONS



Dussehra or Vijayadashami is an important Hindu festival which signifies the victory of good over evil. This year Dussehra was celebrated in a very special way as we celebrated it virtually with participation from our little ones from their homes.

On this auspicious occasion, a beautiful video on Dussehra celebration was posted to all the class groups of NKG NSB. The teacher in charge Mrs. Megha Pant through her video not only explained the significance aptly but she also made the celebration very colourful & lively. The celebration began with a message for our little ones “Unity in Diversity” as Dussehra is celebrated all over India with great zeal. The special feature was the Garba/ dandiya dance, Durga Puja and Vehicle Puja performance by our kindergarteners. Children were dressed up as Lord Ram, Sita, Laxman, Hanuman and Ravan and performed their roles confidently and each one conveyed a positive message. Eventually the end/killing of the demon king Ravana was explained to children which signifies the triumph of good over evil. The teacher emphasized that as the festival is concluded by burning the effigy of the demon Ravana, we too should burn one evil habit which we might have.

6. AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV



NKG, NSB has been a part of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations and has been hosting events in full galore. The latest event conducted under the guidance of esteemed

headmistress, Mrs. Swati Adak, was a cleanliness drive on 23rd October 2021. The teachers of Naval Kindergarten, Nausenabaugh teamed up to clean the school. the school was cleaned with strict adherence to Covid protocols. The cleanup started early in the morning and lasted for 2 hours.

Caught up in the enthusiasm, the teachers also decided to put a friendly foot forward and continued the cleanliness drive at Rishi Konda Beach, Visakhapatnam.

This initiative was taken up, in order to instill the feeling of cleanliness next to godliness in the little kindergarteners.

7. HAIR DRESSING ACTIVITY (LKG)



When kids use their fingers to manipulate art materials they are developing their fine motor skills as they use those small muscles in their hands. Wool pasting activity is one such activity through which their bilateral coordination skills improve as they learn to use both hands at the same time. An activity-Paste wool to make hair for the two children was done. Children were given simple instructions to do the activity under parental guidance.

8. THUMB PRINT ACTIVITY(LKG)



The art activities play a critical role towards cognitive development in early childhood and thumb print/finger print art is one such activity. It is a simple and fun activity which boost fine motor skills, creativity and imagination in kindergarteners. Children love pressing their fingers into paint and create cute and surprising shapes & images.

In order to encourage the same a video on Hand Print Activity- 'Put the thumb impression and complete the animals', was posted in all the LKG class groups of NKG NSB on 1st December 2020. The teacher Mrs. Rekha Kuntal through a video explained & demonstrated the activity, step by step and children were encouraged to do this activity at home under parental guidance.

9. STUDENT TEACHER INTERACTION

A) 1st Student Teacher Interaction - 1st October 2021



The first student teacher interaction for the month took place on 1st October 2021 for LKG and UKG.

KG focused on fun games to engage children so that at the end of the week children feel happy to interact with teacher in a playful manner. Innovative clap exercise was taught by the class teacher under the guidance of Headmistress, Mrs. Swati Adak NKG, NSB.

The activity of clapping hands was done for a number of benefits. It is a powerful mental and physical stimulant as it activates the energy and improves blood circulation.

The different types of claps include butterfly claps, firework claps, chapati clap, twinkling clap, number claps.

Children thoroughly enjoyed the activity and wanted to play more.

B) 2nd Student teacher Interaction - 29th October 2021



The second student teacher interaction session for the month was conducted on 29th October 2021 to get abreast with student's progress in academics. LKG children were asked oral portions on topics like A-Z with phonic sounds, number recognition, shapes conversation skills etc.

Similarly UKG students were asked oral questions on

- 1) Number names - One to Six
- 2) Names of Domestic and wild animals
- 3) Public Speaking - My pet dog

The session was observed to be very useful as teachers could assess the children's progress and students also enjoyed interacting with their teachers.

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