

NAVAL KINDERGARTEN
NAUSENA BAUGH, VISAKHAPATNAM
ACTIVITY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2020

EID UL FITR



“Eid is a day to cheer and to laugh with all your heart. It is an occasion of sharing the love and caring for the people who need to be loved and cared.”

A beautiful video on the festival of “ID-UL-FITR” was posted to all the class groups of KG NSB on 1st June 2020. The duty in-charge teacher Mrs. Kokab explained the significance & customs behind this festival in the form of a wonderful story. She explained that Eid-UI-Fitr is a festival celebrated by Muslims all over the world at the end of Ramzan. The festival of Eid teaches us to share our blessing with poor and needy. A mesmerizing dance performance and pictures of children from UKG-D in festival attire (during this lockdown) was an added feature to the video. A “Thank you” note was sent to the parents for their support and cooperation to pay gratitude.

WORLD HEALTH DAY



**“It is health that is real wealth and not pieces of gold and silver.”.....
Mahatma Gandhi.**

The World Health Day is a global health awareness day celebrated every year on 7th April to draw worldwide attention to a subject of major importance to global health. With this motto & to inculcate healthy eating habits a video was posted to all the class groups of KG NSB on 3rd June 2020. The duty in-charge teacher Mrs. Deepa Mahesh explained the importance of World Health Day. She shared various tips on having a balanced diet, importance of regular exercise, maintaining personal hygiene & avoiding junk food etc. A melodious rhyme on eating healthy food was sung by the teacher. She added that we should all thank and pay gratitude to all the Health workers who are working hard to save people and make this world a healthy place to live.

WORLD HERITAGE DAY



A special video on World Heritage Day was posted for students of KG NSB on 4th June 2020. The duty in-charge teacher Mrs. Bharti Shivani explained World Heritage Day & its importance with a PPT (presentation), to make it easy for the students to understand and watch the different heritage sites. The highlight of the talk in the video was to inculcate the responsibility, to educate our tiny tots about Indian heritage, to create awareness to protect and conserve the world heritage sites. She described various steps to protect and conserve it.

E-ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

In order to Welcome the parents to the new era of online Learning & to equip children to face the dynamic world, Naval Kindergarten NSB Visakhapatnam, organized & conducted E-Orientation programme for the parents of LKG & UKG (NSB) on 4th June 2020 in 3 slots. Our Headmistress Mrs. Swati Adak welcomed all the parents present there. The class coordinators(Mrs. Rekha Kuntal & Mrs. Soumi Ray Mandal) commenced the meeting by a formal introduction, followed by introduction of all the Class teachers section wise along with Health & Wellness In charge & Special Educator. The Academic coordinator Mrs. Asha Kumari explained various points on how we will conduct and go about with the academics till the time school reopens. Emphasis was given on following & maintaining everyday set routine, followed by prayer & completion of notebook work on daily basis. Eventually the forum was open for parents to give feedback & suggestion.

Gratitude Day



Gratitude is the feeling of being thankful and appreciative. We have so many special people who live and work in our community & perform some jobs that helps improve the overall well-being of the community. In order to inculcate the attitude of gratitude in the mind of our young kindergarteners, a video on Gratitude Day was posted on 5th June 2020. The teacher in charge Mrs. Khushbu explained the meaning of Gratitude & the importance of Celebrating Gratitude Day. She explained various helpers like bus driver, Policeman & security guard etc who make our community a better place to live. She also discussed about different ways by which we can thank these people, by giving smileys, flowers or a thank you card.

Mother's Day



“A mother’s love is more beautiful than any fresh flower.” —Debasish Mridha

Mother’s Day.....we celebrate this exclusive day when each one of us in our own way honour Motherhood and its essence. The day is celebrated on every second Sunday in the month of May. In order to celebrate the mothers and show gratitude, a lovely video on Mother’s Day was posted to all the class groups of KG NSB on 5th June 2020. The teacher in-charge Mrs. Sushma Singh explained the importance of Mothers in our life & how she takes care of her children in the best possible way. A beautiful rhyme was sung & taught to the little ones to pay gratitude to all the mothers. And the icing on the cake was heart melting Mother's day message, amazing dance performance & lovely song by the students of UKG - A.

World Environment Day



Every year World Environment day is celebrated on 5th June to spread awareness, to encourage people to take action and to protect the environment. With the same aim & to instill the responsibility towards saving our mother earth at the early age we asked parents to encourage their ward to plant saplings at their own home. The parents wholeheartedly contributed & encouraged their children to do the activity and shared some pictures of their ward doing the activity enthusiastically.

Academics and correction of daily activities

In the new era of online Learning, the focus of education on every possible level is to assist learners in the ongoing growth and development of their academic, intellectual, and even personal development. But for institutions, this transition to online education is neither quick nor seamless. It takes intense coordination and planning among administrators & faculty. KG Nsb under the able leadership of **Headmistress Mrs. Swati Adak** has taken up this challenge as an opportunity. And with the aim to ensure smooth academic process till the time school reopens, the school came up with a carefully planned schedule based on the feedback from the parents. The schedule included information on academics, children interaction, parent interaction etc. Everyday videos on various topics along with work to be done was posted in the morning. Parents were asked to encourage their children to do the work regularly and post the picture of work done

the next morning. The corrected copies with positive comments are sent in the class group one by one by the teacher to motivate children.

FATHER'S DAY



The importance of Fathers in our lives cannot be undermined. They are our super heroes and are the pillars of our strength. In order to express this love and gratitude, Father's day is celebrated on third Sunday of June every year. This year it was celebrated on 21 Jun 2020. The teacher Mrs Sanjana Oruganti through a video explained children, the importance of our fathers in our lives and why we should always respect and love them. Further, this was also beautifully supported by rhymes by other children, which they sang for their fathers. In order to make it creative, card making was also explained to the children.

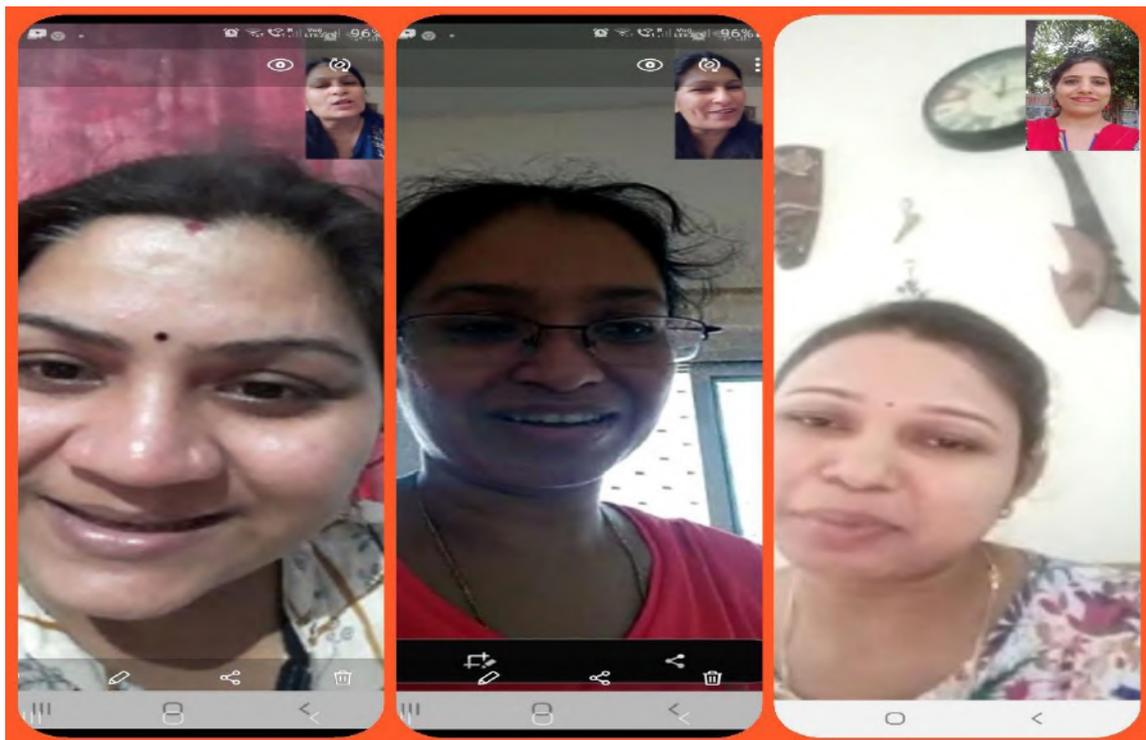
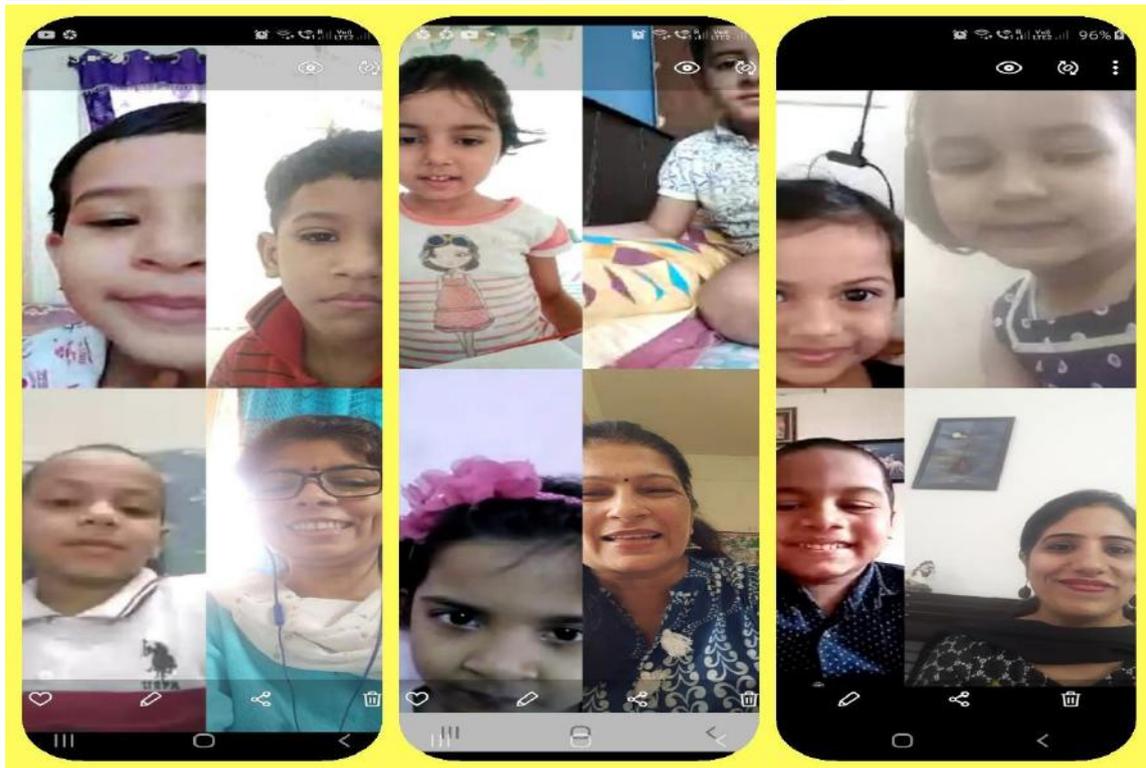
YOGA DAY



“Yoga is a symbol of universal aspiration for health and wellbeing . It is health assurance in zero budget” – PM Narendra Modi

Since its inception in 2015, 21st June is celebrated as the International yoga day all over the world. This idea was proposed by our own Prime Minister Narendra Modi. In order to explain the importance of Yoga to our Kindergartners, the teacher in charge Mrs Reena Yadav prepared a video. The video beautifully explained, how Yoga makes us beautiful from inside as also outside. Adding to that, various simple yoga asanas were also depicted. The ease of Yoga was explained using demos from little Kindergartners, who performed Padma Asana, Wajra Asana, Dhanur Asanas and various other Asanas.

TEACHER STUDENT & PARENT INTERACTION



The Coronavirus pandemic has produced a variety of challenges for teachers *viz.* one to one interaction with students and parents which is not feasible due to ongoing restrictions. Interaction with students and parents is one of the key pillars of learning especially for the young children in Kindergarten, who have a special bond with their teachers as they are beginning their educational journey. While for the higher classes, the interaction of students and teachers was happening due

to online classes, this was observed to be missing with kindergartners, wherein, the teachers only posted videos and children saw it in their time. In order to overcome this impediment and make students and parents comfortable, with their teacher, our headmistress Mrs. Swati Adak came up with a unique idea for promoting Teacher-Student and Parent-Teacher Interaction through online platform. The implementation began with a well-planned schedule, wherein the students interacted with the teacher on every 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Friday through WhatsApp video call. During the interaction, the teacher interacted over topics like daily routine, hobbies, interest of children etc. Similarly, the parents interacted with the teacher every fourth Friday and queries of parents were addressed as also methodology of teaching with the ongoing restrictions were explained to parents. This methodology has been proved to be very effective and parents have also acknowledged the same.

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