NAVAL KINDERGARTEN NAUSENABAUGH, VISAKHAPATNAM ACTIVITY REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2023

1. TEAR & PASTE & PAPER CRUSHING ACTIVITY(LKG and UKG)





The third CCA activity paper tear and paste and paper crushing for UKG was conducted on 7th August 2023.

The parents were briefed on all the important aspects pf the Activity in advance through a detailed circular.

Students enthusiastically participated and created beautiful and colourful images with paper tear and paste and crushing. This activity aims to strengthen the muscles of the fingers and hands.

The judges for LKG activity were Mrs. B Deepthi and Mrs. Anjana Mishra and judges for UKG were Mrs. Swati and Mrs. Bhawna.

2. MILLETTASTIC DAY





Food and Agriculture Organisation and United Nations has recognised 2023 as International Year of Millets or IYM 2023 for awareness about health and nutritional benefits of millets. The Indian Government proposed to celebrate 2023 as International Year of Millets.

Accordingly Naval Kindergarten NSB also celebrated 'Millettastic Day (Millets day) on 04 Aug 23. The day started with a special morning assembly wherein the stage and the venue was decorated according to the theme 'Millets'. Parents were also invited to participate in the assembly along with their wards. As part of the celebrating this event, community participation was encouraged which saw active involvement of parents too. Headmistress Mrs Rashmeet Minhas and teachers welcomed the parents and thanked them wholeheartedly for their involvement.

Parents explained the benefits of various Millets used in our daily lives to the kindergarteners and also prepared different dishes using millets. Children also expressed their views on millets in a very confident manner. LKG students were holding placards of millets such as 'Bajra, Ragi, Sorghum, Jowar and Korra.

After the programme the food items prepared by the parents were displayed in a Millets corner and students lined up to observe and understand each millet along with its corresponding dish. The dishes prepared by parents using millets were 'Dosa, Idly, Upma, Laddu, Porridge etc'

As part of this event the parents were directed to provide food items prepared using millets for their wards Tiffin Break. All parents accordingly provided millet items in tiffed boxes which were relished by the young ones in the Break Time.

The participating parents were later invited over tea with Headmistress Mrs Rashmeet Minhas and were provided with a small token of appreciation.

3. INDEPENDANCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

Independence Day is extremely important in the history of India since it marked the end of nearly 200 years of British rule. This day in particular serves as a reminder of the numerous sacrifices made by our warriors to advance the liberation movement and secure our Independence from British rule.

With the aim to mould the minds of children towards the nation and remember the sacrifices made by the freedom fighters and soldiers who protect the country, Independence Day was celebrated on August 15th 2023.

1. SPECIAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE DAY:

As a part of celebrations flag hoisting was undertaken in KG Wing in three areas of the school. Headmistress Mrs Rashmeet Minhas unfurled the national flag in front of portico and special assembly area. Teacher In-charge of the Special Assembly Mrs Sushma Singh show cased the Independence Day struggle by our freedom fighters. Children were dressed as freedom fighters and they presented skits on freedom struggle and performed spectacular group dances which was an icing on the cake.



2. MERI MITTI MERA DESH:



To drill home the importance of our motherland, 5 students from each class undertook the activity "Meri Mitti Mera Desh" where in they held "Mitti" in their respective palm and the teacher explained its importance to the children.

3. CLASSROOM CELEBRATIONS:



As a part of classroom celebrations the importance of National Flag was explained to the children by the respective class teacher. As a part of this day all the students (as per earlier instruction given) brought a tricolour each to the school.

The teacher explained to the students the significance of each colour namely- Saffron-it stands for Sacrifice, White- It stands for peace and Green- It stands for prosperity.

4. ACTIVITIES FOR THE DAY:





Different Activities were also conducted to commemorate this great historical day. LKG students undertook colouring of TIRANGA with great ferrous where as UKG students undertook group activity by decorating and colouring our National Flag by vegetable print technique.

5. DISTRIBUTION OF CHOCOLATES:

Towards the end chocolates were distributed to all the children. The entire event was successful in bringing a lot of happiness to the students of Naval Kindergarten, NSB (V).

The entire event was an enriching experience for the students and they went home with cheerful and happy memories of the day.

6. PRABHAT PHERI



On the morning of 15th August 2023, a prabhat pheri was conducted which is a walk across Nausenabaugh starting from the school. Students of naval Kindergarten, Nausenabaugh also participated in the pheri. They confidently dressed up and spoke like various freedom fighters of the nation. The walk was from the secondary wing of the school till Sankalp and it culminated at Naval Kindergarten, where the headmistress hoisted the national flag.

Overall, the event was brimming with patriotism and children also learnt to respect the country.

4. FIRE DRILL



A Fire Drill was undertaken at NKG NSB involving the entire Staff and the Kindergartener's on 16 Aug 23. The aim of the Drill was to educate the children regarding actions to be undertaken during an actual emergency. The students were made aware of maintaining their calmness and alertness in case of an emergency and thereafter an evacuation drill was also exercised. As part of imparting training the Headmistress Mrs Rashmeet Minhas took the lead and explained the evacuation plan before conducting the fire Drill. Thereafter the actual Fire Drill was executed with the ringing of the 'Bell'. The students of LKG A, B and C were mustered in Kulkarni Park , UKG A to F and LKG D, E, F mustered in the parking area outside Gate No 3. The entire activity was conducted immaculately and smoothly.

5. STORY TELLING-LKG & UKG



Story telling can teach young kids so many things about the world and life. It gives them plenty of opportunities to learn wonderful ideas and things they have never encountered before. The story of "The Disobedient Boy" Storytelling was performed by the students for UKG children on 17th August by using relevant props to instill the morale "Elders are our well-wishers, we should always obey them". It was a very good experience for children as they loved to see their teachers enacting the story.

The story of "The Fox and the Crow" was enacted by the students for LKG classes on 18th August during the morning assembly by using relevant props to instill the morale "Do not blame others if you can't do it yourself".

6. CONVERSATION SKILLS



A role play is an important activity for kindergarteners and is something that our little ones to foster and develop a number of essential skills necessary for life. It allows a "social space" for children to develop basic speaking and listening skills as well as providing opportunities to explore the greater and wider world whilst using creativity and the imagination. In view of the above, a Role Play was conducted for LKG classes during morning assembly on 26th August. The topic was My Family. Children were taught roles of different family members and how the family members help and protect each other. Mrs. Asha Kumari was the teacher in charge.

A Role Play was conducted for UKG classes during morning assembly on 23rd August. The topic was "Care for your surroundings". Children were taught about importance of keeping our environment green and clean. They also learnt new words and sentence formation. It also help them in developing physical mannerisms and communication skills. Mrs. Aruna was the teacher in charge.

7. THREAD PAINTING



String painting or pulled string art is a great way to develop kids' fine motor skills, and strengthen grasp and manual control. In view of the above, a thread painting activity was conducted on 18th August 2023, where children were made to make many patterns on paper with the help of threads and paints. They felt a sense of accomplishment upon completion of the activity.

8. LKG GROUP ACTIVITY ON MISSING FACE PARTS



Group Activity on missing face parts was conducted for LKG classes on 22nd August. It was a structured activity in which the children were first asked to identify the missing face parts and draw the missing parts under the teachers' guidance. This activity was aimed to teach different parts of the face in a fun-way method. Children enjoyed identifying missing parts and sticking them.

9. HAND PRINT PEACOCK-LKG



Research has shown that art activities are important for brain development in early childhood. One of these is sensory play where kids learn through their senses. Hand printing is a sensory activity which improves fine motor skills, strengthens finger and hand muscles and enhances creativity and imagination. In view of the above, the teacher-in-charge, Mrs. Pooja Singh, took up Hand print peacock activity for LKG classes on 12th August 2023. She explained and demonstrated the activity in a step-by-step manner and children were encouraged to do this under her supervision.

10. HINDI RHYME ACTIVITY



The third CCA activity - Hindi Rhyme Activity for UKG was conducted on 29th August 2023 and LKG on 28th August 2023. The parents were briefed about all the important points regarding the rhyme activity in advance through a detailed circular. The activity went well. Most of the children enthusiastically participated with beautiful props and lot of confidence

The Activity for UKG was judged by Mrs Rashmeet Minhas, Headmistress, Naval Kindergarten, Nausenabaugh, Mrs.Kavita Raghuraman and Mrs. Roop Rathod. The judges for LKG were Mrs. Gaysu Pathak and Mrs. Tejaswini Indala.

Incharges for the activity were Mrs. RekhaKuntal and Mrs. Bharti Shivani.

11. RAKSHA BANDHAN SPECIAL MORNING ASSEMBLY



Raksha Bandhan is a Hindu festival celebrated in the month of Shravan. It is a symbol of love and commitment between brothers and sisters. On this day, sister ties rakhi around the wrist of her brother and prays for his prosperity, health and well being. The brother in turn offers gifts and promises to protect his sister in all circumstances. In view of the above, the special bond of love between brother and sister was celebrated on 30th August 2023. The children were told about the story, customs and traditions associated with the celebrations of Raksha bandhan followed by a skit and a colorful dance showing beautiful relationship of brother and sister.

12. VISIT BY NES OFFICERS





Cmde G Rambabu, Cmde(NE) accompanied by Cmde Vikrant Kishore, Vice Chairperson, NCS, Visakhapatnam, Cdr Shalini Nair, Director, NCS Visakhapatnam and Dr Parul Kumar Principal NCS visited NKG N SB on 30th August 2023. The entire visit was overseen by Mrs Rashmeet Minhas, Headmistress Naval Kindergarten, Nausenabaugh and the team was welcomed by the tiny tots with a handmade card. Thereafter they were taken around the classrooms and staff room. An insight into the various activities spread across the school wings was provided to the visiting dignitary. During the visit they interacted with the school children and were briefed on the extra curricular activities conducted by the school. The visiting dignitary was highly impressed by the facilities offered and the teaching methodology adopted by the school. Appreciating the entire teams effort Cmde G Ramde, Cmde (NE) congratulated Navy Children School, Visakhapatnam, for maintaining highest standards amongst all Navy schools.

13. VISIT OF CHIEF OF STAFF (ENC)



VAdm Sameer Saxena, AVSM, NM, Chief of Staff, HQENC visited NKG NSB along with Cmde Vikrant Kishore, Vice Chairman, NCS, Vizag and Cdr Shalini Nair, Director, NCS, Visakhapatnam, on 31st August 2023. The officers were accompanied by Dr Parul Kumar, Principal NCS, Vizag and were welcomed at NKG by Mrs Rashmeet Minhas, Headmistress, Naval Kindergarten, Nausenabaugh, Mrs. Deepa Mahesh and Mrs. Rachel Seth. The Admiral was given a tour of the facilities available in the school and was appraised of the teaching methodology adopted by the school. The visiting dignitaries also interacted with the teaching staff.

Before the departure of the team, a token of gratitude was provided by the Senior most teacher, Mrs. Asha Kumari.

(Mrs. Rashmeet Minhas)
Headmistress
NKG, NSB (V)