



<https://www.facebook.com/vissanjiacademy1963>



info@vissanjiacademy.com



WAVES

The Official Newsletter of Vissanji Academy



MONSOON WALL



PATRIOTIC SINGING



INDEPENDENCE DAY



FELICITATION

FRIENDSHIP'S JOURNEY

In the journey of life,
we walk hand in hand,
Through valleys of joy
and mountains so grand.



With laughter as music
and memories as art,
True friends are treasures
that fill up the heart.



We share our dreams,
both big and small.
In moments of triumph,
we celebrate them all.



When shadows fall
and the road gets tough,
A friend by your side
makes the journey enough.



Through whispers of secrets
and stories we weave,
In the warmth of our bond,
we truly believe.



So here's to the laughter,
the love, and the cheer—
In the book of our lives,
you're the chapter I hold dear.
Mishti Shah (Class 6A)



THE MAGICAL MONSOON

The magical raindrops
tap on the rooftops high,
A watery dance across the sky.
Clouds gather, grey and wide,
Monsoon season—nature's pride.



Puddles form, like mirrors clear,
Where paper boats set sail, no fear.
Petrichor whispers sweet secrets,
Rain-kissed earth beneath our feet.



Thunder roars, a mighty sound,
Lightening sketches patterns 'round.
Umbrellas bloom like flowers bright,
Chasing rainbows in the light.



So let the monsoon wash your day,
Splash in puddles, laugh and sway.
For in each drop a story unfolds,
Monsoon magic—nature's gold.



- By Vihaan Vadodaria (Class 6C)

हिंदी की कविताएं |



मेरी मातृभूमि, मेरी मान

हिमालय के सर्वश्रेष्ठ पर्वतों से
दक्षिण के नदी नर्मदा तक
पूर्व में राजस्थान से लेकर,
पश्चिम के बंगाल तक,
है मेरी माँ : भारत।



भारत की प्रकृति में है आकर्षक
चाहे वह शिमला हो या नासिक
यहाँ के पवन की चाल भी है अनोखी
फल-फूल भी है रंग- बिरंगी।

यहाँ के प्रसिद्ध लोग हैं हमारी पहचान
उनके कार्यों से है हमारी शान,
समाज की सेवा करके बढ़ाई हमारी कीर्ति,
जैसे कि गांधी जी और सुधा मूर्ति।



देश प्रेम की देने वाली सीख
है भारत के फौज़ की चीख
अपने देश की सुरक्षा के लिए जो करते लड़ाई,
वो हैं शहीद होने वाले निडर सिपाही।

इसलिए संघर्ष के मैदान से मत डरो तुम,
अपने देश के लिए कुछ करने की पूरी
कोशिश करो तुम,
चाहे वह हो कितना भी छोटा कार्य,
परंतु उसे करना है अनिवार्य,
क्योंकि मेरा भारत देश है महान,
मेरी मातृभूमि मेरा मान।



सारा पवार (10B)
(काव्य अभिव्यक्ति प्रतियोगी विजेता -प्रथम स्थान)

वन की माया

अंबर में मेघ गूँज उठे हैं,
नभ में चाँदनी फैल रही है,
वर्षा की चंचल बूंदें खेल रही हैं,
और धरती खुशी से झूम रही हैं।

रात्रि में झींगुरों की झनझनाहट
बारिश के बूंद की टिप टिपाहट
इन सभी के भीतर दिखाई देती
एक नई दुनिया,
नई किरण आशा की लाई है,
ढेर सारी खुशियाँ

चंदा मामा को कहकर अलविदा,
पुनर्जन्म होता है रवि का,
बादलों का संगीत समाप्त हो गया है,
पक्षियों का गीत आरंभ हो रहा है।

हैं अंधकार तो होगा उजाला भी,
हैं कुसमय तो होगा सुसमय भी,
मौका मिलता है सबको बराबर
हैं जीवन की यह माया अपरंपार।
खुशी फाडिया ४ 'A'

Riddles & Giggles

- What has hands but can't clap?
- What is yours but others use it more than you?
- There's a one-story house where everything is yellow. The walls are yellow. The doors are yellow. Even all the furniture is yellow. The house has yellow beds and yellow couches. What color are the stairs?

World Wide Web Day

World Wide Web Day is observed internationally on 1st August each year, highlighting the crucial role of telecommunication in today's modern world. This day emphasizes how the internet has brought the world closer together, allowing people to connect despite being miles apart. It has not only stabilised global connectivity but has also revolutionized trade and commerce worldwide. The theme for 2024 reflects these ongoing advancements.

The origins of this day trace back to late 1989, when British computer scientist Tim Berners-Lee proposed the concept of a global information space. His vision was to integrate computers and data networks into a unified, user-friendly global system. Berners-Lee initially presented his idea in March 1989, outlining a "universal linked information system." A year later, he refined this concept in collaboration with Belgian systems engineer Robert Cailliau, finalising the proposal in November 1990. By the end of that year, Berners-Lee had developed the first web server and web browser at CERN, where he worked. The inaugural website, info.cern.ch, was launched on 6th August, 1991. This simple page explained the World Wide Web project and provided users with instructions on how to navigate and use the system.

Berners-Lee's vision continues to hold significance today. In 2024, we still rely on the World Wide Web for advancements in healthcare, media, education, travel, and scientific research, fundamentally transforming lives.

Nishi Sampat (10C)

INDIA'S OLYMPIC TURNOUT

India's campaign at the Paris 2024 Olympics was a resounding success, with the country securing six medals, including one silver and five bronze. The contingent, comprising 110 athletes competing across 16 sports, showcased exceptional talent and determination, cementing India's growing presence on the global sporting stage.

Shooter Manu Bhaker etched her name in history by becoming the first Indian woman to win an Olympic medal in shooting, clinching bronze in the women's 10m air pistol event. Bhaker's achievement was further amplified when she and Sarabjot Singh won another bronze in the 10m air pistol mixed team event, making them the first Indian shooting pair to win an Olympic medal.

Javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra, the reigning Olympic and World champion, narrowly missed out on gold but secured a silver medal with a season-best throw of 89.45m.

The Indian men's hockey team continued its rich Olympic legacy by winning the bronze medal, defeating Spain 2-1 in a thrilling match. This was India's 13th Olympic medal in hockey and the first time since 1972 that the team had secured back-to-back medals.

Vinesh Phogat's experience at the Paris 2024 Olympics was marked by both promise and heartbreak. After a stellar performance that included victories over top competitors, she secured a place in the gold medal match. However, her hopes were dashed when she was disqualified for being 100 grams over the weight limit, despite having confirmed at least a silver medal. This disqualification followed her previous Olympic disappointments in Rio and Tokyo, leading Vinesh to announce her retirement.

India's overall performance, ranking 71st on the medals tally, was the country's joint second-highest total medal haul after the previous Games. The six medals won in Paris were a testament to the hard work, dedication, and talent of the Indian athletes, who continue to inspire a nation and raise the bar for future generations.

- Nihal Shah, 9A

INTER-HOUSE DECLAMATION COMPETITION

The English Department organised the Inter-House Declamation Competition for the students of Classes 8 to 10 on 29th July, 2024. The event was organised with an aim to promote public speaking and boost the confidence of young speakers. The students guided by their English teachers showcased their oratory skills, which were highly appreciated by all.

The participants were evaluated based on content, delivery, pronunciation, confidence, and overall impact.

After intense deliberation, the judges announced the winners;

Each grade had one winner :

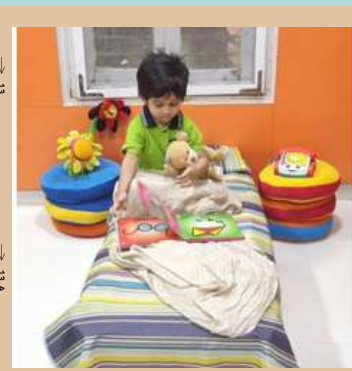
Grade 8 - Miss Nicole Andrades

Grade 9 - Mast. Krishna Smart

Grade 10 - Mast. Arnav Misra

The Playschool World

CHALK DOODLE ART



ROOMS IN MY HOUSE

For Jr.
KG

The Nursery World

Number 4 Recognition Activity



The Monsoon Wall



For Sr. KG

LETTER - G : GARDENING

On 26th July, 2024



Nurturing nature and knowledge.

LETTER - P & J : MAKING POPCORNS AND JELLY

on 1st August



Jazzy jelly and perfect popcorns with letter J and p. a tasty adventure.

MAKING A WALL HANGING

On 16th July



Creating our way through the week!!

SR. KG PATRIOTIC SONG SINGING COMPETITION



HOUSE BOARD WINNER MONTH OF AUGUST



Myra Sangelkar
Winner in U 13
category at 2nd State
Ranking in Nagpur



Can you spot the 5 differences?

HOUSES AROUND US

On the recent bagless day, Grade I students participated in an EVS activity on "Houses Around Us," crafting houses with materials like ice cream sticks and leaves, and completing their artwork with crayons to create impressive masterpieces.



TRICOLOUR FOOD ACTIVITY

Grade I students celebrated Independence Day on August 14th, 2024, with a tricolour food activity, preparing and sharing patriotic dishes like sandwiches, pasta, cake, pulao, and idli, fostering joy, love, and respect for our country.



SHOPKEEPER AND CUSTOMER ROLE-PLAY ACTIVITY

Students of grade-2 played the shopkeeper and customer role-play activity in a fun way for the children to learn about using money in everyday situations. By practicing transactions and making change, children develop essential mathematical skills and social skills.



Addition

The students of std I engaged in a fun way to cement their understanding of Addition. They solved a puzzle which challenged their fine motor skills and cognition . It was indeed a fun activity that the children thoroughly enjoyed.



Young Scientists at work

Light At Play.

Grade 4 students make learning science easy and fun by bringing light to life into the classroom.



Rainbow in the class with a CD and light.



Refraction of light.



FLYING SOUTH

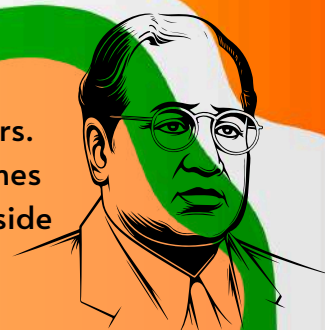


Students of Std. 4 performed a skit on 'Flying South' - a story from their textbook



OUR NATIONAL LEADERS

The students of class 3 had put up a show on - Our national leaders. Each student was dressed up as a national leader and spoke few lines about them . The students learnt about various national leaders beside the textual names .





IIT Bombay Techfest

Our school received a trophy in recognition of our active participation in the Techfest Olympiad examination, organised by IIT Bombay.

Around 100 students from Grades 8, 9, and 10 participated, and more than 20 were selected for the final round at IIT Bombay during Techfest week.

CMCA PROGRAMME

On 7th August, 2024, the students of Grade 7 launched their Children's Civic Awareness Club (CMCA). This event marks the beginning of activities aimed at educating and involving young minds in civic matters. The students of Grade 7 presented three skits to raise awareness.



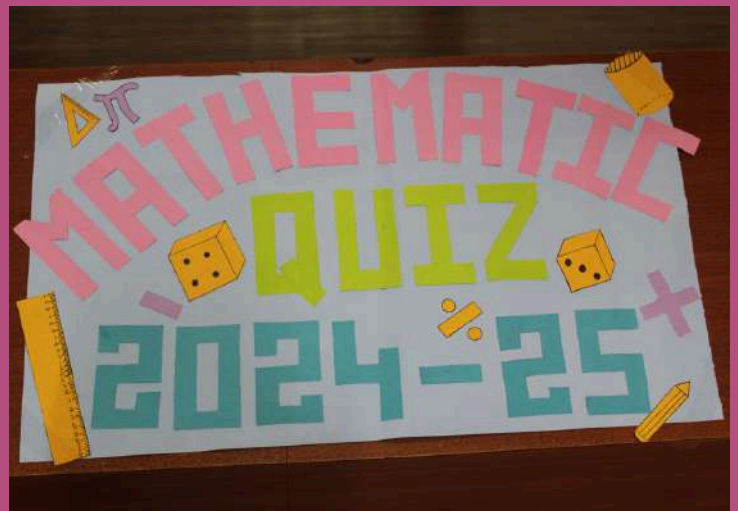
अंतर सदन प्रतियोगिता

६ अगस्त 2024 को अंतर सदन हिंदी काव्य अभिव्यक्ति प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन संगणक कक्ष में किया गया था। इस प्रतियोगिता के अंतर्गत विद्यार्थियों को 10 हिंदी के शब्द दिए गए थे। कम से कम पाँच और यदि चाहें तो सभी शब्दों का प्रयोग करके काव्य की रचना करनी थी। विद्यार्थियों ने उत्साहवर्धक लेखन कार्य किया। प्रथम स्थान की विजेता दसवीं कक्षा की सारा पवार (जोकेंग हाऊस) की विजेता रही। द्वितीय स्थान पर दिव्यांशी मिश्रा (ड्रेपंग हाऊस) की रही। विजेताओं के नाम सुबह की प्रार्थना सभा में घोषित किया गया और उन्हें यथा योग्य प्रमाण-पत्र भी दिया गया।

MATH QUIZ

The only way of learning Mathematics is to do mathematics!

An Inter-House Math Quiz Competition for Class VIII , IX and X was conducted on 1st August 2024 by the Math Department. Four students from each house participated in the quiz . The quiz consisted of six rounds; Logic legends ,Who Am I , Math Jamboree, Data crunching , Double trouble and Rapid Fire. Students participated with a lot of enthusiasm showcasing their potential. The first prize was bagged by Vihaan Kotecha ,Moksh Bothra, Nihal Shah and Dalika Shah from Garden House.The event helped the students in identifying their capabilities and motivated them to learn and expand their knowledge for Mathematics.



INDEPENDENCE DAY 2024

On August 15th, our school celebrated the 78th Independence Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervor. The event commenced with the hoisting of the national flag by our Trustee, Ms. Aarti Vissanji, alongside the school topper, Mast Yug Shah, and the Chief Guest, Mr. Jyotiraditya Shetty. This was followed by a brief speech from the Head Boy, Abhyansh Agarwal, and a March Past by the four school houses.



ICSE FELICITATION 2024

The ICSE Felicitation Ceremony, held to honor the outstanding achievements of students during the 2024 academic year was held on 15th August, 2024. The event began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, followed by the introduction of the Chief Guest, an alumnus of our school.

The ceremony commenced with the felicitation of students who achieved 90% and above in their examinations. This was followed by the recognition of the Math toppers, presented by Dr. Dargad, and concluded with the felicitation of the overall school toppers. The program ended with a Vote of Thanks delivered by our School Topper, Mast Yug Shah.



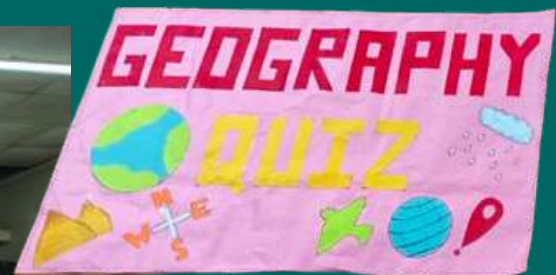
INTER-HOUSE SCIENCE QUIZ COMPETITION



RESQ Session-3



INTER-HOUSE GEOGRAPHY QUIZ COMPETITION



PARTICIPATION IN CASCADE 29

Students from our school participated in Cascade 29, an event hosted by the Jamnabai Narsee Alumni Association. The event provided a platform for students to showcase their talents across various domains, fostering a spirit of healthy competition and camaraderie. Their achievements reflect the dedication and hard work of our students.

3rd position in two events:
Basketball (Girls Team)
Mixed Relay (Grades 9 & 10)

2nd position in:
Shot Put (Girls - Grades 9 & 10)



PARTICIPATION AT EUNOIA COMPETITION AT CNM SCHOOL

Four of our students took part in Eunoia, an inter school competition hosted by CNMS School. Eunoia by CNM is an amalgamation of talent, creativity, fun, intellectual ability, and above all, beautiful thinking. Naman Daftari (10A), Veer Vora(10B), and Pratham Dodia (10C) participated in Stock Market Simulation and bagged the 3rd position. The objective of the competition was to achieve the highest portfolio value at the end of the competition.



The Bytes and Brushes competition presented a unique platform for students to explore the intersection of technology and art. Idhant Kothari (9B) secured the 2nd place in this competition for his winning artwork which exemplified a high level of talent and innovation.



बूझो तो जानें

क्या आप इन पहेलियों को सुलझा सकते हैं?

मुझे न कोई पा सके, चीज़ बड़ी मैं खासा
मुझे न कोई खो सके, रहती सबके पास।

छोटी-सी है देह पर, मेरे वस्त्र पचासा
खाने की इक चीज़ हूँ, मैं हूँ सबसे खास ॥

लम्बा-चौड़ा ज़िक्र क्या, दो आखर का नामा
दुनिया भर में घूमता, शीश ढकूँ यह काम ॥

विश्व के किसी छोर में, चाहे हम आबाद
रख सकते हैं हम उसे, देने के भी बाद ॥

वो ऐसी क्या चीज़ है, जिसका है आकार
चाहे जितना ढेर हो, तनिक न उसका भार ॥

देखा होगा आपने, हर जगह उगर-उगर
हरदम ही वो दौड़ता, कभी न चलता मगर ॥

घेरा है अद्भुत हरा, पीले भवन-दुकान।
उनमें यारों पल रहे, सब काले हैवान ॥

(1) परछाई (2) प्याज (3) टोपी (4) वचन (5) अक्षर (6) डंजन (7) सरसों

CISCE Zonal Taekwondo Championships 2024



Category: U12 Boys

Vivaan Sampat gold medal 🏆

Samar Parekh Bronze Medal 🥉

Under 17 boys results

Ranveer Singh gold medal 🏆

Meherzad Mody gold medal 🏆

Aashutosh Badiya gold medal 🏆

Shaurya pillai silver medal 🥈

Sharva Nabar Bronze Medal 🥉

Veer Gala Bronze Medal 🥉

U12 girls

Kimmayra Joshi Bronze Medal 🥉

U10 girls

Sara Patwardhan gold medal 🏆

Graciana Bronze Medal 🥉

Aniska Agrawal silver medal 🥈

Under 17 girls results

Felisha Joshi gold medal 🏆

Dalika shah silver medal 🥈

Heartiest congratulations to all the participants !

Celebrating Success Beyond the Campus

A Puzzle-Solving Prodigy :

Rohan Rao

Former student, Rohan Rao, excelled in puzzles and sudoku after starting with chess tournaments, winning the Mumbai Sudoku Championship in 2006. He won the National Sudoku Championship three times and the National Puzzle Championship in 2010, 2011, and 2012. Representing India globally.

He achieved a top 10 sudoku ranking in 2012. Rao credits his school and teachers for supporting his success, highlighting the importance of early talent recognition and nurturing.

(Source : Vissanji Library)

OUR ALUMNI ACHIEVERS



HOUSE POINTS

Jokang - 179

Sera - 169

Ganden - 146

Drepung - 130

Dear Students,

*We are excited to invite you to contribute to our school newsletter's **September** edition! You have the opportunity to showcase your talent by submitting self-composed articles, poems, jokes, and sketches. The finest submissions will be featured in the magazine.*

Send your work to our official email address at waves@vissanjiacademy.com.

STUDENT EDITORIAL TEAM

HIYA SHAH

NISHI SAMPAT

TISHA JAIN

KRISHA CHINDARKAR

SUHANA JOSHI

ARFA SYED

BHARGAVI RAYKAR

NIHAL SHAH

Teachers' Compilation and Editing Team

Ms. Jezebel Creado, Ms. Krisha Maniar, Ms. Marilyn Rebello, Ms. Neeta Dastoor, Ms. Kavya Trikha, Ms. Rutuja Sawant, Ms. Navina Fernandes, Ms. Laxmi Maurya, Ms. Ratan Tripathi, Mr. Jaspal Singh Digwa, Mr. Aniket More, Mr. Vishnu Mestry.