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INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR SCHOOL
HYDERABAD

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“Although no one can go back and make a brand new start, anyone can start from now and make a brand new beginning”

- Carl Bard

Dear Parent,

First off, here's wishing you a wonderful and exciting new year ahead.

December was an eventful month commencing with the Sports Day for juniors. Our Nursery, Reception and PP1 children put up their best show comprising the march past, races and the mass drill. We appreciate all the parents for being encouraging and for participating in the race in the true spirit of sportsmanship.





Followed by the Sports Day was 'Gender Sensitization Week' observed from the 4th of December. Female volunteers from the organization 'Break the Silence' conducted a session for students of all the grades on the 'safe and unsafe touch', personal safety and the do's and don'ts of gender awareness. It was interactive and the students were responsive to all the information they were provided with.



Elocution was conducted for students from Reception to Grade 2. We would like to thank you for preparing your child for the performances. They surely did exhibit their skills of speech and intonation. Each child was awarded for their strengths in pronunciation, clarity and charisma.

Students of Reception, PP1 and PP2 visited the 'Steam lab'. Connections were made to the central idea 'Animals and people interact in different ways and contexts' by making the children of PP1 choose the algorithm, or the correct number of steps to reach the destination. Relating it to the line of inquiry on 'Shared natural resources', they made their choices with water, wood, minerals and so on by choosing the appropriate buttons on the robots. PP2 students constructed water containers using Lego blocks and fed instructions to the BEEBOT to travel to the desired spot.



Children of Reception learnt about the roles and responsibility of fire fighters, received hands-on experience by making use of tools and equipment to save us from fire, and also pretend-played with suits and made fire trucks with Lego blocks. This helped them gain a deeper understanding of the unit on 'Community helpers'.



Grade 1 students visited the nearby post office to post greeting cards that they made to convey their Christmas and New Year wishes to their parents. They raised their doubts with the post master who answered all their questions and helped them to better understand this means of communication which is less used in today's world, relating to their unit of inquiry on 'impact on communication'.

The Christmas Carnival was fun and exciting for the children. We thank you for supporting this event. They thoroughly enjoyed the carol singing, the live band, and all of the joy rides and games.





The second term concludes in January. Progress reports will be sent online, and this will be followed by the Parent-Teacher meeting.

We hope you have a fantastic start to the New Year and we look forward to seeing you upon reopening.

Important dates:

2nd January – School reopens

15th & 16th January – Holiday (Sankranthi)

26th January – Republic Day

30th January – Reports go online

31st January – Parent Teacher Meeting

Sincerely,

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