

THE FOUNDATION SCHOOL



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BOMALLA GOLU FESTIVAL

A spectacular display of artistic expression was presented with the 'Bomalla Golu'- a unique regional festival from the states of Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu, co-relating with the School theme of the year – The East Coast of India. The presentation was showcased on 15th October 2018 by the children from Grades I–III with a collection of folk songs and dances. Our School believes in the diversity of India and this amply represented that spirit. There was the traditional display of colourful dolls tastefully arranged on the ritual 5 steps. And to contrast this on stage was the 'Gollu' of students frozen in their frames which came alive by turn. The programme had all the elements of a blockbuster- dance, music, and drama with a delightful entwining story of the legendary story of Tenali Raman, one of the eight poets in the court of Emperor Krishna Devaraya of Vijaynagar, lost in the forest while out on his travels! And of course the SDG's woven into them in the finale!











INTER HOUSE POSTER MAXING



Let's fill on the occasion of Diwali, students of classes IV-VII participated in an Inter-House Painting competition on 1st November 2018. They made beautiful posters on the topic 'Green Diwali, Safe Diwali'. While the students of the Pre- primary made colorful floral rangolis. They were very creative and their reflected their sensitivity towards Mother Nature.









Jugalbandi @ TFS 2018



For the second consecutive year, TFS, proudly hosted Jugalbandi 2018 with a flourish on 30th October 2018. Jugalbandi is an inter school primary level competition of dance and music with the participation of numerous schools of Delhi. This year the theme of the competition was States along the East Coast of India. The dance and song entries were to be a fusion of any two styles from the regions. The programme began with a lively welcome song and felicitations to the guests with potted plants in an ecofriendly spirit. This competition comprised of two events 'Rendezvous' (Dance) and 'Tarang' (Music). Delightful fusion innovations followed based on the theme integrating the folk traditions of the long coast. The Foundation School bagged the 1st position in Rendezvous and 2nd position in Tarang. The Indian School bagged the 1st position in Tarang and 3rd position in Rendezvous.









Annual Day 2018

On 22nd December 2018, the young Foundationers took us on a splendid expedition down the states along the East Coast of India, which is the School theme of the year – there was song/rap, dance, drama, and a riot of colours at the Annual Day 2018, aptly named, 'Down the East Coast in 60 Minutes'. The pageant wove together a dramatized amalgamation of sustainability and culture of the states along the East coast of India from West Bengal to Odisha and then down Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh. The highlight was the Sustainable Development Goal-14 (SDG-14) i.e. Life under water. An eye-opening Pollution Rap showcased the reasons behind pollution of water bodies of our planet. The Baul dance of West Bengal, Mayilattam of Tamil Nadu and the Sambhalpuri and Chau dance forms of Odisha seemed like a vast elevated tapestry of the rich Indian cultural heritage. Our eminent guests released balloons with messages of 'Save Water'.











GANIT WEEK CELEBRATION

(21 - 25 JANUARY, 2019)

The Ganit Week is celebrated with the aim of facilitating our students to develop an inclination for math through learning in fun. The word 'GANIT' stands for Growing Aptitude in Numerical and Innovations Training. Students from Grade 1 to 4 came together showcasing the diverse activities and competitions in numeracy, especially designed for their level. The week culminated with 'Math Magic' an Inter-House Math Quiz of high standard and eliciting an enthusiastic response from the participants and the audience alike. Some questions were posed to the audience which they answered enthusiastically. The entire week was packed with educational, motivating and fun-filled activities. All the students welcomed each activity with great interest and spirited enthusiasm absorbing information and enjoying the stimulating exercises of brain. The competition among the teams was very tough but at the end, the most exciting, thrilling and evenly contested battle was won by Saturn House. The Saturn House (Naitik Kashyap, Amogh Rao, Veer Nagar and Hrishita Jangra) bagged the 1st position with an outstanding performance. The 2nd position was held by Venus House (Saksham Shiv Singh, Karan Rawal, Achintya Vishnu and Riddhi Solanki). During the entire week, the students assessed their mathematical skills, proficiency and aptitude.



Skype in the Classrooms

A class conducted as an interface with peers across the world is both a novel and an invaluable leading tool. At our School, students are being oriented to interact so, from an early age. Distant and unfamiliar cultures, accents, languages, even time zones and perspectives lends itself to stretching the young imaginations, as it were.



Date	Country	Name of the School/Educator	Participant Class
26.10.18	Italy, Rome	Instituto Marymount Roma	Grade III
19.12.18	Italy, Rome	Instituto Marymount Roma	Grade III
13.02.19	Portugal	Ms. Manuela Correia	Grade V, VI & VII
28.02.19	Hungary	Ms. Dondi	Primary Teachers (I-VIII)
19.03.19	Russia	Malmyzh Lyceum	Grade IV







INTERACTION WITH SCHOOL

CHAIRMAN



On 5th February 2019, the students of Classes IV to VII had the privilege of interacting with Chairman Sir, Mr. Prafull Goradia about, "The Iron Man of India," Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel. A lot of valuable facts and teachings were shared about Sardar Patel's experiences throughout his lifetime which enlightened the students immensely.



Accolades

Date	Event	Prize
30.01.2019	INTACH- Report Writing Competition	1 st position- Alvira Imam, Anshika Priya Patel, Diya Mishra, Saaim Akhtar, Sarthak
		Ghosh, Yamini (V-A), Divyanshi (VI-A) Mehar Sagoi (VII-A)
30.01.2019	Monument Speak 2019 held by INTACH	1 st position- Divyanshi & Tazeen (VI-A)
20.11.2018	HT-PACE Inter-School Essay Writing Competition	3 rd position- Mehar Sagoi (VII-A) Encouragement Prize- Alvira Imam (V-A)
12.02.2019	'On-the-Spot' Children's Painting Competition at the Hungarian Embassy	Director's Special- Arohi Sen (IV-A) & Divyansh Makwana (V-A) Consolation- Hrishita Jangra (IV-A), Simran (V-A) & Arumay Salodia (V-A)

Adventure Camp

At the School Eco-Park- Class III to VII



