

THE INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL CLARION (2023-24) NEWSLETTER - VOLUME 1: JUNE '23





New Beginnings, New Mindset, New Focus
New Start, New Intentions

Dear Parents,

Warm Greetings from the entire TIPS family!

The start of the new academic year, 2023-2024, brought with it an air of excitement and anticipation. The halls of The Indian Public school were abuzz with energy as students reunited with friends and teachers, ready to embark on a new journey of learning and growth.

For many students, this academic year marked significant milestones. Freshmen stepped foot onto their respective classrooms with a mix of nerves and excitement, eager to explore the uncharted territory of higher education. Children with a sense of determination, knowing that this academic year would serve as a stepping stone towards their future endeavors.

Teachers, too, embraced the start of the academic year with enthusiasm. They had spent their summer break honing their teaching skills, attending workshops, and preparing engaging lesson plans that would captivate their students' minds. The start of the new year provided them with an opportunity to put their efforts into practice and make a lasting impact on their students' lives.

We promise you that the coming academic year will be full of learning, fun, and exciting for our curious learners.

To make this academic year more engaging, and to keep you abreast about the monthly activities that we celebrate at school, here's our first newsletter of the year.

Happy Reading

With Regards TIPS Hyderabad

Training for Trainers!!!

"Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow."

Continuous professional development of teachers and upgradation of teaching skills and strategies is crucial for any institute. We at TIPS, never fail to equip our teachers with the best practices and methods, that empower them on various teaching strategies and approaches. In a week long training session held at TIPS, South Campus, the staff gained valuable insight into various techniques and modern pedagogy strategies that helps them to better connect with, manage, and teach their students in a manner which ensures better leaning among students. Along with this, the entire staff of TIPS were oriented on POCSO Act which helped in enhancing the safety of our little ones.

The workshop utilized videos, pictures and teacher participation to transfer important information related to the Act. Our training also included "Safety and First Aid" sessions from a team of doctors from Ankura and Rainbow hospitals. Practical approaches were used by the doctors to make the staff understand the importance of giving First Aid at the right time.

Last but not the least, we had called upon a renowned nutritionist, who provided a guiding hand in any nutrition concerns, that the teachers came up with.

Overall the training sessions were very fruitful, and undoubtedly these sessions increase productivity, knowledge, and focuses on holistic development of a teacher.





POCSO ACT

The training session was also focussed on The POCSO Act. This act was enacted to protect children from sexual offenses. The Act has been enacted to protect children aged less than 18 from offences of sexual assault, sexual harassment and pornography and provide for the establishment of Special Courts for the trial of such offences and related matters and incidents. The Act was amended in 2019, to make provisions for enhancement of punishments for various offenses so as to deter the perpetrators and ensure safety, security and dignified childhood

for a child.

Being a part of TIPS Team this information was given to all the teachers and the non-teaching staff as well. Childhood is a beautiful gift and we should learn to save it.

Key features of the Act

- 1. It is a gender-neutral act
- 2. It is an offense to not report an abuse:
- 3. No time limit for reporting abuse:

FIRST AID & CPR

The workshop sessions focused on the basics of first aid, and how to provide first aid in wounds, bleeding, musculoskeletal injury, burns, heatstroke, poisoning, bites. Training was presented by Dr. Anjul Dayal, senior pediatrician, Ankura hospital. Teachers participated actively and understood the 5 golden rules for first aid. Standard first aid kit and uses were discussed in detail.

The session about healthy eating and balanced diet for children was elaborately presented by Dr Anubha Taparia Saraogi of Ankura hospital. Healthy eating is essential for a child's good health, growth and development.

CPR

Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) the session was presented by Dr Bhanu Varun Kumar Kadiri, from Rainbow Children's Hospital.

The team demonstrated and explained the difference between performing CPR in young children and adults. Faculties were also involved in this exercise, where they performed it on a model in front of the doctor's team.

Parent Orientation Programme:

We at TIPS, had organized Parent Orientation Programme for parents. The main objective of this programme was to lay the foundation for the parents, to familiarize them with the curriculum, teaching methodologies, enrichment activities, and various other programmes that are held at school.



Important information regarding the commencement of the new session, transport, mode of communication with the school and other relevant details were provided to the parents.

The importance of effective communication between parents and teachers and active collaboration between the school and parents was also discussed. The Orientation programme was a successful one as it made the parents aware of the readiness of the school to welcome the students in the New Academic Session .

Later, on that day school supplies like uniform , books , bags, shoes etc were also distributed for the smooth beginning of the new academic year .

We hope that the journey of students and parents with TIPS will be a happy and fruitful one.

First Day at School

First day of school after the summer break is a time for new aspirations and rejuvenating dreams. It is time to enter the school with new vigor and fresh vibes. Our TIPSians were embraced wholeheartedly with utmost jubilation and affection after a fun filled summer break which was full of adventures and relaxation.

The smiles on the gleaming faces were unparalleled as children were greeted ardently at the entrance by our teachers and they were exhilarated as there was an eagerness to meet their peers and teachers.

"The most important day of a person's education is the first day of school, not Graduation Day." Harry Wong Children shared thrilling experiences about their enticing summer vacations with their peers and strengthened their emotional bond. The teachers introduced themselves and the children looked charming with their new school bags and were seen exchanging pleasantries with their classmates. The much awaited first day of school, post vacations concluded with a lot of fresh memories and excitement to resume their academic journey.









ANTI-CHILD LABOUR DAY

"End child labour, educate for a better future."

The term "child labour" should not be confused with "youth employment" or "student work." Child labour is a form of exploitation that is a violation of a human right and it is recognized and defined by international instruments. It is the declared policy of the international community and government to abolish child labour. While the term child; covers all girls and boys under 18 years of age, not all under-18s must be removed from work: the basic rules under international standards distinguish what constitutes acceptable or unacceptable work for children at different ages and stages of their development.

Today, 160 million children are still engaged in child labour. They do not go to school and have little or no time to play. Many do not receive proper nutrition or care. They are denied the chance to be children. More than half of them are exposed to the worst forms of child labour such as work in hazardous environments, slavery, or other forms of forced labor, illicit activities including drug trafficking and prostitution, as well as involvement in armed conflict.

Our TIPSains made amazing posters and some slogans to create awareness amongst people to STOP child labour.







Meet and Greet Day



The meet and greet day was organized at the school campus. It was a planned occasion, where the parents got an opportunity to meet the teachers of their children.

A few days after the first day of school, parents had a peek into the new classrooms.

It was a great opportunity for parents to meet their child's class teacher, and highlight learning opportunities for the new school year.

Parent Handbook session was conducted in TIPS for all the grades from EY-1 to Grade V which is an informational guide for parents describing numerous nurturing parenting techniques, as well as cultural parenting concepts. Each and every parent was provided with the parent Handbook (PHB) during the session.

United Nations Public Service Day

Peace, dignity and equality on a healthy planet.

United Nations Public Service Day is a day to celebrate the achievements and focus on the goals for working together to build a better world for everyone. The day was first observed on June 23rd, 2003, to coincide with the anniversary of the signing of the United Nations Public Service Day and Awards ceremony. It's a day to celebrate and honor public service professionals around the world.

On this occasion TIPSIANS of Grade 1 to 8 created awareness by making posters and speeches on public service.





Father's Day

Father's Day is a special occasion dedicated to honoring and appreciating the incredible role that fathers play in our lives. Celebrated on the third Sunday of June in many countries around the world, it is a day to express gratitude for their love, support, guidance, and all the sacrifices they have made for their children. On this day, children and families come together to show their fathers how much they mean to them through heartfelt gestures such as heartfelt words, thoughtful gifts, and quality time spent together. It is a time to reflect on the cherished memories shared with fathers and to acknowledge their significant impact in shaping our lives.

Our young TIPSians celebrated this special day to understand the importance of this day. Children expressed their love and care for their father by making small artifacts, and giving it to them. Thus, making the fathers feel special on the occasion of "Father's Day".





International Yoga Day

- Yoga is a physical, mental and spiritual practice that originated in ancient India.
- June 21st celebrated as the 'International Day of Yoga' each year
- This year, the theme for International Yoga Day 2023 is 'Yoga for Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam

"Yoga is a light, which once lit will never dim.

The better your practice, the brighter your flame."

On the Occasion of the 9th International Day of Yoga, students and teachers at THE INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL celebrated with great enthusiasm. Students of grade Nursery to 8th grade demonstrated various yoga asana. They were encouraged to perform sitting and standing asana, and the benefits of these asanas were explained simultaneously. The session ended with meditation of 2 minutes and students were relaxed with full of positive energy.





Eid al-Adha / Bakrid:

"Eid al-Adha is a celebration of the accomplishment of an important obligation in Islam.

This event is a reminder of the values that bind us together - compassion, generosity, and sacrifice and it celebrates a spirit of universal brotherhood and sisterhood. The work of charity is encouraged during this season.

The students of The Indian Public School celebrated Bakrid by outlining its significance through a small get together. To mark the celebration, TIPSians were dressed in festive attire. They decorated the soft boards with tons of different Eid themed messages and craft work with glitters and brilliant colors. It was indeed a joyous celebration. The celebrations sent a clear message of Love, Devotion, Kindness and Equality. The significance of this celebration was invoked by short speeches by the high school kids followed by narrating an interesting story from the Quran. Children understood the importance of endurance and being empathetic as the key for joyfulness.



My Experience

I really found the training session fruitful. It was a wonderful experience attending this program. The sessions were very informative and instructive, linking my mind to ideas, possibilities, and unforeseen circumstances. It actually exceeded the expectations. The workshop greatly expanded my understanding and helped me to develop self-awareness and self-management skills. The trainer was very friendly and knowledgeable. She impacted a wholesome understanding that developed confidence in me. The resources that were provided will go a long way for further references. The sessions were engaging, interesting and interactive, which made it easier for me to stay focused and learn. The sessions were well-organized and maintained at a good pace. The workshop was beautifully executed to bring together research and practice and was equipped with lots of tangible and professional tools to leverage on and use in achieving excellent desired results. I enjoyed everything about the training.

I greatly appreciate TIPS for giving me this opportunity to participate in this program. I enjoyed every bit of it. I will be happy to do many more sessions to gain professional development in my career.

Ms. Reena Christina English Facilitator

Young Writer's Corner

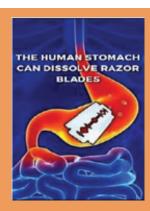
"Role of Technology in Learning"

Technology is built by AI, which is Artificial Intelligence and human. Technology helps develop critical thinking and problem solving skills. Children have equal access to quality education for all students. With learning apps, students can improve grammar, vocabulary, and writing skills. Technology aids communication between different cultures. The pandemic has had a dramatic impact on our society. Looking at the role of technology during the pandemic, it is clear that it marked the great convergence of digital and physical worlds. For example, online schools and free learning materials reduce costs that are incurred in purchasing learning materials. They are readily available online. In addition, they reduce the expenses that are incurred in program delivery. Technology enables teachers to serve the academic needs of different students. Technology helps make teaching and learning enjoyable.

Abhisyant

Grade: VII

FUN FACTS



Do you know?

The Human Stomach Can Dissolve Razor Blades
It may sound horrible, but it is another one of the most amazing facts in science that a human stomach is more capable of dissolving razor blades.

Faayidh Grade 4



A cat has 32 muscles in each ear

Cats can rotate each of their ears 180 degrees and move them independently from each other, to help them work out which direction a sound is coming from.

Varishitha Grade 4



Polar bears can live as long as 30 years

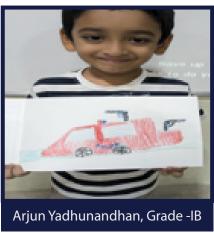
Polar bears can live as long as 30 years, though most don't make it past 25. The oldest captive bear on record was named Debby, and she lived to the age of 42.

Sarah Grade 4 "It's not about perfect. It's about effort. And when you bring that effort every single day, that's where transformation happens. That's how changes occur."

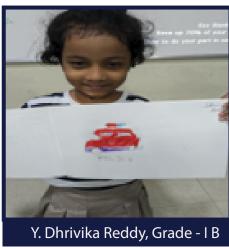
– Jillian Michaels

Children of Grade I were encouraged to draw free hand drawing which is the basis for other creative activities like painting, craft making and many more.

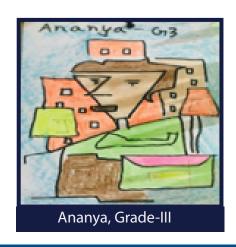














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