



ANNUAL REPORT OF ACTIVITIES

2021-22

I am pleased to share with you the Annual Report of Sanskara School for the academic year 2020-21. Before I begin, let me acknowledge the service and contributions of all the Principals and staff who served this institution, which made the foundation of this school really strong.

The academic year 2021-22 was a continuation of online classes with the onset of the pandemic caused by the COVID-19 virus. The classes were handled through the next NLP platform. The online interactions were through the integrated zoom platform. The students started partially coming to school from February 14, 2022. The classes were shifted to hybrid mode where the students could either attend from school offline or attend from home online. We are also using an online quiz based platform called Q-Series to introduce curiosity driven learning and to improve the general knowledge of students. We have associated with Eduvanz which is a company providing educational loans for helping the parents to manage the fee payments as loan EMI.

School reopened for grade 9 on May 24, 2021 and for the rest of the school on June 7, 2021. Extensive training programmes were organized for teachers through CBSE platforms and through Sahodaya. We started the year with 302 students and a dedicated team of 22 teaching faculty who sets a strong academic back up for students. Programmes were organized on special occasion and the videos and photographs published in WhatsApp groups and the School's facebook page.

OBITUARY:

Master Hridhaan Sanjay Kumar who was our student studying in grade 1 B passed away after a long struggle with leukemia on December 25th 2021. Special prayers were offered for the departed soul and his family in a virtual assembly attended by the whole school.

Kindergarten

This academic year of year 2021-2022 saw a lot of changes in Kindergarten. Our preschool calendar was filled with activities that were not only fun for our little minions but were also enlightening as always. As our aim has always been to impart knowledge through joyful events since we are firm believers of the saying, **“Children are not things to be moulded, but are people to be unfolded.”**

Special assemblies were conducted separately for both LKG & UKG until they settled down. Teachers enacted a few stories ,sang some rhymes and live activities Next week slowly classes were separated from the common meet and each class was split into two batches as BATCH A & B. Add ons of this academic year were, separate sessions for music, sports, art & craft and also conducted various Talent time programmes every month.

The Major events conducted during the year were National doctors day, paper bag day, card making for Bakrid, world refreshment day. International Tiger day and colour day. Independence day was celebrated on August 13th and gave awareness about our country, presented the story of Independence and sang patriotic songs of India.

Talent Time Learning gives creativity, creativity leads to thinking, thinking provides knowledge and knowledge makes you great. Onam was celebrated through the zoom platform

Teachers“ Day was celebrated on 5th September with children given an opportunity to enact their favorite teacher. Chrysalis conducted a virtual webinar about student engagement In October, Smiley day, Gandhi Jayanti, Breakfast with teacher and colour day and Talent time were celebrated.

Other celebrations for the year included Kerala piravi, Diwali, Children's day .The children were given the opportunity to come forward and express their true talents with great joy and happiness. Christmas is a season of joy, giving, and sharing. On December 22nd, we had a virtual Christmas celebration in which our students performed 25 acts of kindness and raised awareness about the importance of assisting others.

Sanskara KG reopened to hybrid mode on 21st February 2022. From 28th onwards children came to school regularly. The first day of school is often met with some anxiousness and excitement from teachers, parents, and students, as they consider

the challenges and successes they will encounter over the course of the school year. Considering all covid protocols the children enjoyed the activities and learning with peers during this month.LKG had classes only on every Monday.

Graduation day was celebrated on 26th March. It sparks hope for the future and pushes students to dream big. Our children proudly wore their graduation caps and capes, holding their graduation scrolls in front of beautifully created backgrounds. They sang Graduation songs and performed a dance .The chief guests were Mr. George M George and Executive Director Mr. George Varghese.

ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR :

Some of the important programmes were:

June

- **World Environment Day**- A variety of activities including planting of saplings, Poster designing, etc. were organized.
- **International yoga and World music day (21.06.21)** - The day was celebrated with yoga exercises and talks related to the topic. Our Physical education teacher Mr. Ratheesh lead the students in performing breathing exercises. As part of Music day commemoration, the students presented songs in different languages with a classical touch. Students from Grade 1 to 9 participated in the above programmes.
- **Reading Month Programmes**- On 29-6-21 a special assembly was held to begin the reading programme in school. Special assemblies were held throughout the month in relation to book reading.

July

- **Interaction with Guest speaker on Cyber security and safety:**

An online session for parents and children were organized in association with Swaraksha, an NGO which does online training programmes in the field. The program was held on 14th July 2021.

- **Olympics Opening** ceremony special assembly on 23-7-21

Students were shown clips of facts about Olympics. All the Grades did assemblies of History of Olympics, Olympians of India and Famous Olympians.

Class wise special assemblies were held throughout the week. A prediction challenge was held for parents and children in which they had to predict the number of medals which India would win the Olympics

August

- **Interaction by Guest speaker on Parenting Challenges during pandemic:**

An interactive session was held for parents on 11th August, 2021 on the topic 'Parenting Challenges during COVID times'. The program was helmed by renowned psychologist, trainer and counsellor Mrs. Sudharshana Manoj.

- **Independence Day (15.08.21):**

The school celebrated independence day on Sunday 15th August. Flag hoisting and special message by principal. The children put together a beautiful video presentation which included skit, patriotic songs and patriotic dances to depict their love for the nation.

- **Onam Celebrations (13.08.21 to 18.08.21) :**

Sanskara School has a weeklong Onam Celebrations. It began on 13-8-21 and finished on 18-8-21 with the culmination of programmes from all classes and the teachers Onam dance and song.

Class wise programmes were organised on different days. Each program included a variety of songs, dances and skit by the students. Parents involvement in the programs made the event a big success.

September

- **Teacher's Day (06.09.21):**

Teachers day was commemorated on September 6th with a special assembly in which the students organized programmes wishing the teachers.

- **International Literacy Day (08.09.21):**

Presentation done to show the importance of literacy.

- **Hindi Day (14-9-21):**

There was poetry recitation and speeches on the importance of learning hindi.

- **International day of Peace (21-9-21):**

Presentation on the importance of peace. Recovering now for a better and equitable and sustainable world.

October

- **Gandhi Jayanti (01.10.21):**

There was a short play, dance and song to pay a tribute to Mahatma Gandhi who contributed to the freedom struggle.

- **World teacher's day (05.10.21):**

The students made a video to thank their teachers for their care and selfless work.

- **Navaratri Day (13.10.21):**

The students showcased the festive spirit of the nine days, showing that good wins over evil.

- **World Food Day (18.10.21):**

Our actions are our future. The students know the importance of eating healthy food and keeping fit to help build a better environment.

- **Talk on Nutrition (18.10.21):**

A talk on 'Safe food now, for a healthier tomorrow' was given by Mrs. Rajeshwari, Consultant nutritionist of Healthify Wellness Ltd.

- **Milad un Nabi (19.10.21):**

A presentation done on the significance of the day.

November

- **Kerala Piravi (01.11.21):**

A day celebrated with great grandeur. The videos, dances, songs and monoact by the students in malayalam enhanced the understanding of their culture.

- **Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (02.11.21):**

National unity day falls on 31st October. We celebrated Rashtriya Ekta Diwas the birth anniversary of the Iron man and the architect of modern India Sardar Vallabhbhai Patil with a presentation.

- **Diwali (03.11.21):**

Diwali the festival of lights was celebrated in pomp with song dances and rangoli making. Children spoke about the sweets they eat on Diwali and the importance of socialising with family and friends.

- **Childrens day (15.11.21):**

A day commemorated with immense joy, enthusiasm and magnificence. There were several programmes including Nehru's message. All the teachers wished them with a special message.

December

- **Salute to the Defence Forces (04.12.21 to 07.12.21):**

Navy Day Dec 4th /Armed forces flag day Dec 7th/ International Civil Aviation Day Dec 7th - Observed the above days with presentations honouring the martyrs and great soldiers who serve the county. To see how they serve the country tirelessly.

- **Swachh Bharath(07.12.21 to10.12.21):**

The students took an oath to keep their environment clean,save water and electricity . Presentation on Swachh Bharat.

- **National Mathematics Day(22-12-21):**

This day was done to honour the birth anniversary of the mathematical genius Srinivasa Ramnujan .Quiz in math conducted.

- **Christmas Celebration(23-12-21):**

Christmas was celebrated with ardor and zeal. The joy and love of Christmas was portrayed by dancing, singing carols with Santa Claus and the stories of Christmas. They gave gifts to the helpers and others.

January

- **Himachal Pradesh Day (25-1-22):**

The geographical features, the culture and lifestyle of the people of Himachal Pradesh depicted.

- **Republic day (26-1-22):**

Republic day began with the flag hoisting to show our patriotism. Children showcased many programmes like the latest patriotic songs and dance. The teachers gave a surprise shadow play of excellent standards which was new to the children. A speech of Dr. B R Ambedkar was delivered by a student. The components of the preamble of the constitution was also depicted. The changes in history of independence that happened in India was depicted through the play.

February

- **Explorica(14-2-22)**

Science Exhibition and Art Exhibition was done on this day. Students made working and still models of science. They spoke about their exhibits and experiments. Art Exhibition showing the art and craft work of students done during the academic year was presented.

March

- **Annual Examination:**

Annual examination was held in the month of March in offline mode. The examinations were completed on March 30th and the school closed for summer vacation.

Conclusion

Before I wind up this report, let me place on record our gratitude to all those who made it happen.

Our MD Mr. George Alexander Muthoot has been the driving force behind all our activities lending timely guidance and resources. Our executive directors Mr. Eapen Alexander Muthoot and Mr. George Varghese were always there to show the right path.

I would also like to thank all our dear parents and well-wishers who have been contributing consistently throughout the academic year to make it a grand success.

Thank you very much once again!

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Principal

