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LOYOLA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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International School
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WELCOME

As the gates of Loyola International School are now open after a long vacation to the new academic term, we are delighted to have you all back, gracing the campus again!

A very hearty welcome to all the new students who have joined the Loyola family this term. We hope that you all have fruitful and productive learning experiences in the days to come!



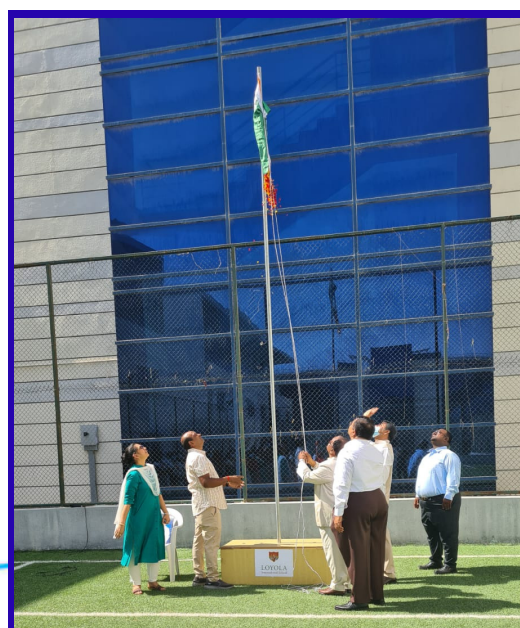
Indian Independence Day Celebrations

15 August 2022



As India celebrated its 76th year of Independence, LIS school community proudly gathered in the Oasis campus to mark the observance. It is pivotal to remember the importance of this day, the history of our nation, and the sacrifices our great freedom fighters made to gain this independence. Loyola International School believes that the achievement that we celebrated on this day is just a step, an opening of opportunity, to the greater triumphs that awaits us as a nation and its people both within the country and beyond.

Hoisting the National Flag, the Nation's pride, is a prime event on this occasion. The celebrations began on the school ground with the flag hoisting by the chief guest, Mr. Prasad Koduru (Chairperson of Advisory committee to ICC, Qatar) along with the School Principal, Mr Pramod Kumar Ranwaka and Mr Jayanth Lakkaraju (Manager of Administration of LIS, Al Nasr branch). This was followed by the singing of the National Anthem by a group of students.





The programme resumed at the Multi Purpose Hall in the esteemed presence of the chief guest and other special guests. Students performed a series of cultural programs viz dances, speeches, songs, recitals and other enactments to portray the sense of one-ness and nationalism. The ramp walk by the young students from the primary section, dressed as different national heroes won everyone's hearts. The chief guest, Mr. Prasad Koduru, stated in his speech, the importance of the day and how these celebrations are pivotal in our lives. Honouring the day, the celebrations concluded with the National Anthem.

Representing Loyola International School in external forums, a student troupe danced at the Independence Day Celebrations by ICC in DPS on 15th Aug. They also performed on the final day of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, ie., on 19th August, in Al Arabi stadium.



Stars of the Month-June

"**LIS Champ**", a badge that students take pride in! Students compete for excellency in not only academics, but also in having a well-round personality. Recognizing and strengthening the positives in students and encouraging them to strive for greater achievements, LIS honors a student from each class, every month with the "LIS Champ" badge.

Student of the month is selected on various criteria like academic performance, participation in co-curricular activities, personal hygiene, behavioural discipline, regularity and uniform.

Congratulations to all the students who have set an example for everyone around!



Teachers put their heart and soul into what they do. Their sincerity and dedication is commendable. Applauding their contributions to the school and their students, LIS honoured them with the "**Educator of the month**" title.

Ms.Afra Tarranum (KG section) and Ms. Tamilselvi (Primary Sections) were awarded the title. Thank You, and Congratulations Teachers!



Stars of the Month-June

Class and Section	Name	Class and Section	Name
KG 1A	Evan Mathew	3A	Brity Roy.
KG 1B	NeelaRaksha Neelam	3B	Vidita Fulara
KG 1C	Ruhaan Aziz	3C	Lona Adnan Almasri
KG 2A	Ibrahim Jainullabdeen	3D	Ibrahim baig
KG 2B	MidraRemya Manu	3E	Arun Palaniappan
KG 2C	Aafiya Batool	4A	Akarshana Rajeshkumar
KG 2D	Vaishvi Rishin	4B	Zoha Khan
1A	Omar Fazeel Haris	4C	Aryananda
1B	Vaibhav Bhimal	4D	Monish Uggumoodi
1C	Salwa Maryam	5A	Abdul Rahman Khalid Hassan
1D	Joann Maria Thomas	5B	Irene Jewel Jacob
2A	Aalia Singh.	5C	Mohammed Hasan Abdulrahim Petiwala
2B	Gasser Elreedy	6A	Merin Jewel Jacob
2C	Reha Sheryl Karminder.		
2D	Nirav Nankulangara Nishanth		

Glimpse of Activities

Mob Dance - 100 Days - 100 Students

(12 Aug 2022)

FIFA is just around the corner with only few days to go! This very conviviality in Qatar is viral, and Loyola International School yet again has joined the beat, welcoming and exalting the sensation. LIS celebrated "100 Days to Go" with a video of 100 students dancing in the school premises on the official song of FIFA - "Hayya Hayya".

Choreographed by the dance teacher of LIS, Ms. Shirin Chandrashekar Dhage, the video has received love and appreciation from everyone.



Parents' Orientation Day (13 Aug 2022)

Parents and School coming together to make the best things possible for their children is essential, and Parent Orientation is the first step that gives a good understanding to new parents about the journey that the child is going to make in the school. Parent Orientation program was organised in the campus where the parents were given an idea of the functioning of our school, the policies, curriculum and activities. Parents were also taken for a tour of the campus and the school amenities.



Principal Forum hosted by LIS (24 Aug 2022)

Loyola International School hosted the monthly meeting of the Principals' Forum in the hotel Radisson Blu where Principals of 16 Indian schools of Doha gathered to discuss various matters concerning imparting education in a supreme way and ways to bring out the best in students!

Spell Bee Competition (24 Aug 2022)

"Spelling is the foundation of reading and the greatest ornament of writing."

-Noah Webster

An Inter-House Spell Bee Competition gave students a platform to learn spelling in different ways. This competition helped students improve their spelling, increase their vocabulary, learn concepts, and develop the usage of correct English. Children participated enthusiastically in the competition and their efforts were much appreciated by everyone.



Super Saturdays (27 Aug 2022)

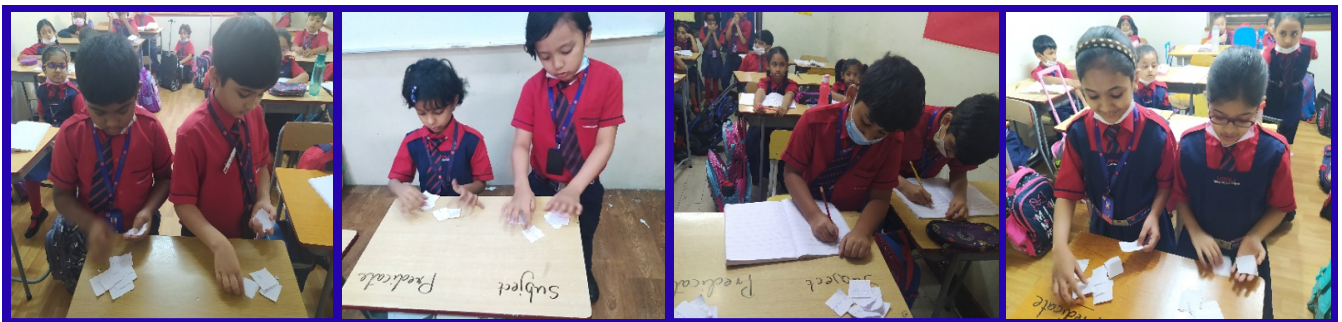
Super Saturdays were organised in LIS for all the parents and teachers to meet and discuss strategies to enrich student's learning experience and bring out the best in them. Attendances of parents were high starting from primary level to high school.



Subject Enrichment Activities - June

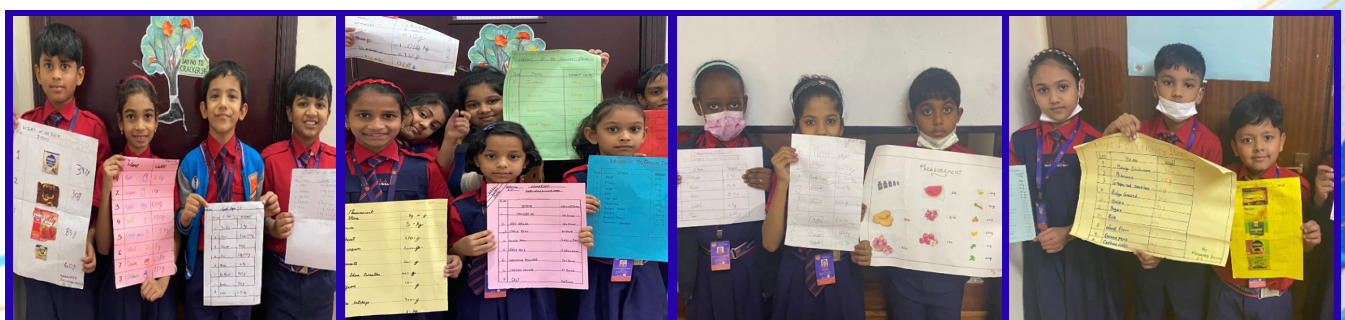
Subject and Predicate (1 June 2022)

Importance of identifying the subject and predicate in a sentence is unquestionable. To emphasize the learning through an activity, students were grouped into 2 and were asked to find subject and predicate, form a sentence using them, and write it in the notebook. This helped the children build a solid foundation of grammar and helped them understand the type of the subject. Through this activity, students were able to form a correct structure of a sentence using subject and predicate, and improve their writing skills.



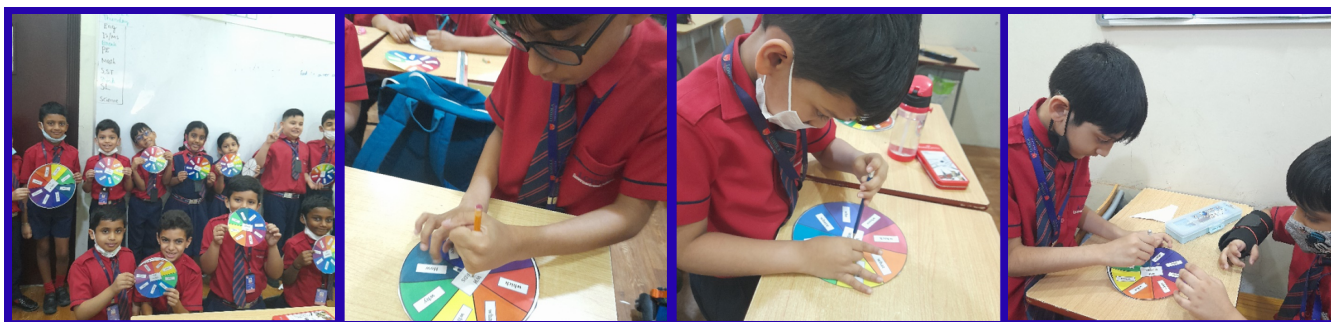
Weights and Measurements

Role of measurements in our day to day lives can be well appreciated while shopping for grocery. Students of grade 3 learnt about weight measurements as they sat down to make a list of the items they purchased along with their weights in Kg and grams. This gave them a fair idea about the quantities and the measurements associated with it.



Spin the wheel- WH words game

Grade 3 students learnt the WH question words. In order to reinforce their learning, they played a game of spinning the WH words wheel. They spun a pin in the center of their wheels and had to form questions using the WH word which the pin stopped at. The students enjoyed playing this fun language game.



Short Story Writing

Story writing is a wonderful way to boost children's creativity and imagination. Grade 4 students were divided into 5 teams of four, and were given pictures of different stories. Students arranged the pictures in a sequence and formed stories. Through this, the students were able to organise their ideas and put them into words, enhance their vocabulary power and develop team coordination.



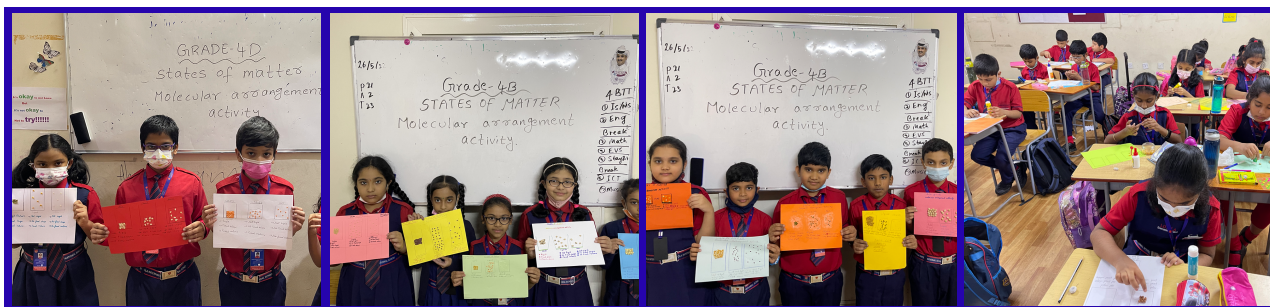
The Food I Eat

Grade 2 students were asked to bring different kinds of fruits, vegetables, nuts & cereals. The food items were then segregated into three categories - Energy giving food, body building food and Protective food. Through this activity, students learnt about the importance of food, and the purpose of each category of food in our growth.



States of Matter

Matter is all around us. In the air we breathe and all we touch and see. Understanding the concept of molecular arrangement in different states of matter was the objective of the activity. Students of grade 4 used various pulses to show how molecules are arranged in solid, liquid and gaseous states.



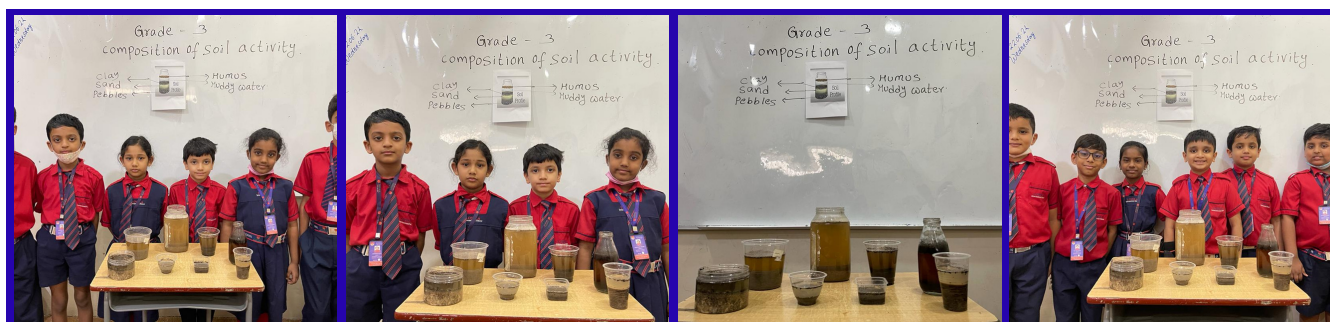
Time to Learn Time

Time is precious and we should not waste any. Activities help students grasp concepts effectively. This time, it was all about time! Students of grade 2 enjoyed drawing a clock and colouring it. Through this activity, they learnt to draw a clock correctly and differentiate between the Minute Hand and the Hour Hand.



Soil Composition Activity by Grade 3 Students

It is no secret that children and soil pretty much go hand in hand. Children usually love to find a dirt patch and dig or romp in it. They were gripped while they learn that the soil is the basis for life and growth! Teaching children “Caring for the Planet starts from the Ground” was one of the major goals of the Soil Activity. Students of LIS demonstrated an activity which emphasized the differences in soil types and what these differences mean to people and to plants.



General Knowledge Activity

Learning about things that we come across everyday, and associate our observations to the learnings can get very interesting. Grade 3 students learnt how sound waves travel through different mediums by creating a string telephone and communicating through it. They also learnt about how this simple idea of sound travelling through strings led to the invention of telephones.



Students' Corner

The best entries of the contests that are a part of the CCA would be published in the student's corner of the newsletters.

Comic Contest



- Erin Jinu George, Class 6A

Peek Into the Future

Loyola International School believes in development of a student's all round personality along with their academics. And hence has lined up multiple cultural and educational programs for the students.

- 8th Anniversary of LIS in Doha
- Teacher's day celebrations
- Half yearly Examination
- Inter-school competitions
- Photography contests



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