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Anger Free School

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We Celebrated ...

Virtual Hindi Diwas

Virtual Hindi Diwas was celebrated on 14 September, 2020.



Reading week - Grade 1 and 2

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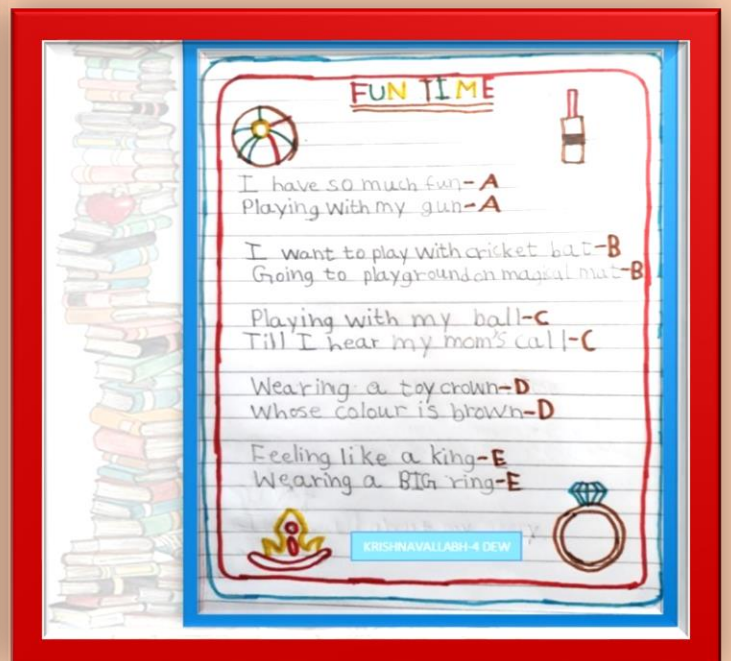
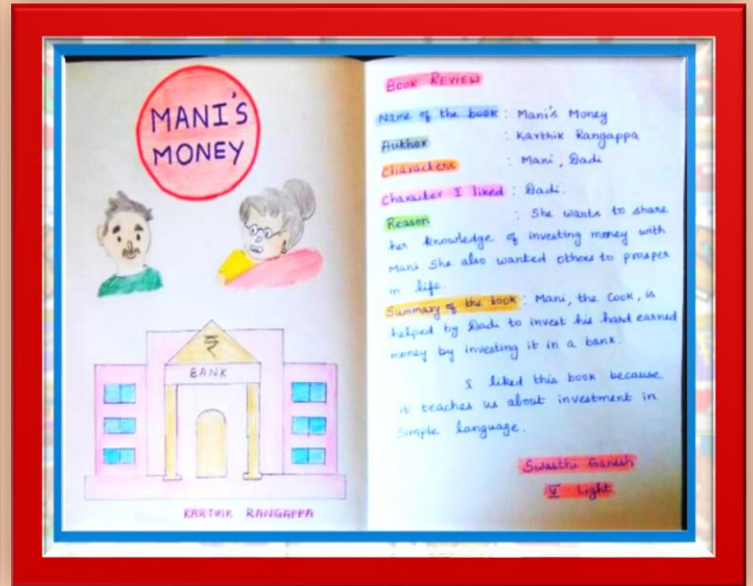


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We Partook in...

RJ Funny Bone Radio Jockey Competition

Every child has a unique talent, which is to be identified, developed and prepared for the fast moving competitive world.

In an effort to nurture young children on confidence and speaking skills, Bangalore Sahodaya Schools Complex Association(BSSCA) came up with an exquisite idea of Radio Jockey competition which was organised by Whitefield Global School under the guidance of HOI Dr Sarada Chandrasekharan, Primary HM Ms Nina Mukhopadhaya, Upper Primary coordinator Ms AshaKiranPuli and the Activity In-charge Ms Kalaivani. The theme of the event was 'Looking Back at Pandemic 2020'. More than 45 students participated in the competition across 30 schools in Bangalore. 'Back to school after Covid' was the topic for round 1 and the students participated with great enthusiasm and fervour. Round 2 was organised as virtual live performances where the students enthralled the judges with their humour, creativity of mind and songs on the topic, 'Looking back at Pandemic 2020'. The competition brought about the innate talents of the participants and their eagerness to return to their second home, i.e. their schools. The judges Ms Bibhudutta Satpathy and Ms Ridhi Gupta were indeed impressed with all our talented artists, that they had a tough time in deciding the winners.



Saesha Pareek from Presidency School, Aharshi Roy, Deens Academy, Bhoomika Baid, Whitefield Global School, Ayaan Anugrah Lall, DPS, Idanth B, Sindhi High School bagged prizes keeping the rest away just by an inch.

We congratulate all our future RJ's for their outstanding performances.

Spell Bee Competition

Language plays an important role in the all round development of a student. Appropriate words with correct spellings convey the right message. A Spell Bee Competition was organized by Rotary Club on the 5th of September.



Many children across the schools of Bangalore, participated earnestly in the competition. Around 52 schools and 440 students took part in the competition. After the first round of MCQs, 32 students were shortlisted. Next, they were put through 14 rounds of gruelling oral spelling challenges and in the finals our own Aliyah Khambhaty of Grade 4 was declared the 1st Runner- Up. We, at WGS, are extremely proud of her achievement.

Congratulations!

CCA – Story Telling with Puppets

Storytelling is the most powerful way to put ideas into the world today. One such means rarely used today is with that of Puppets. Puppetry is an art form that appeals to all age groups. It is a medium that helps in developing imagination, creativity and observation skills in children.

In an age where our children know only about animated puppets on television, we organized the 2nd CCA activity for Grade 1 and 2, by encouraging our tiny tots ignite their passion in telling stories on the topic “Peace is always beautiful” using puppets made from waste in relation to our theme of Anger-free school for this year.



Nishaad Joshi



Shruti P



Dhiyaa Gandhi



B. K. Aadya Shree

The participants presented their immaculate work by making colourful and mesmerising puppets. A big thank you to all the parents who along with the children put their best foot forward in helping our lovely. All your efforts are much appreciated.

The stellar performances by the participants gave a tough time to our judges Ms. Shyba Dhar and Ms. Garima Kudeshiya to decide on the winners. After considering the rubrics like content of the story, puppets made, presentation skill and confidence, the judges were able to decide on the winners.

CCA – Monologue Competition

A monologue is a speech presented by a single character, most often to express their mental thoughts aloud. The Primary Wing of WGS organized a CCA Competition to give an opportunity to the budding artists to sharpen their drama skills through the Monologue competition which was held on 16/09/2020 (Wednesday). The artists of Grades 3, 4 & 5 performed on the topic of 'Leaders Who Propagated Peace'. Participants depicted the theme with their magnificent dramatic performance, brilliant gestures and body movements. It was a great show as all participants tried their level best to leave a lasting impression on the audience, making them think about the theme presented. They left no stone unturned in giving their best on the virtual platform.

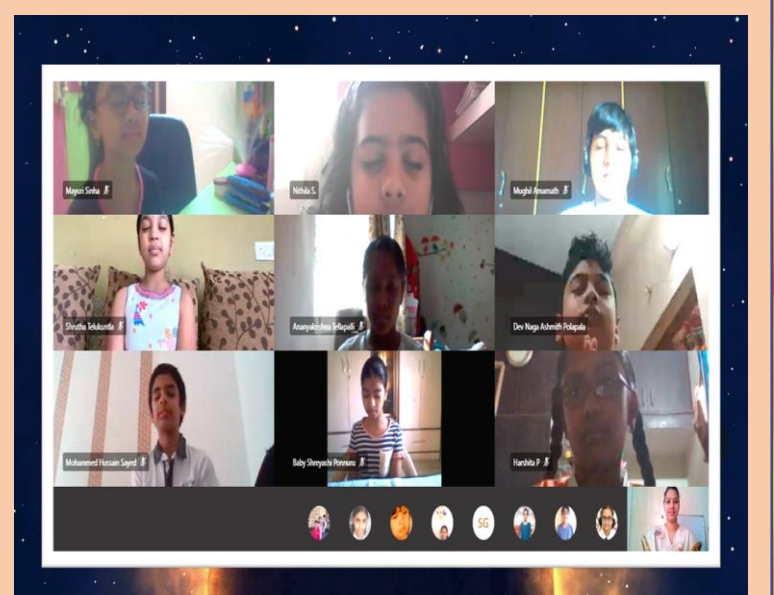
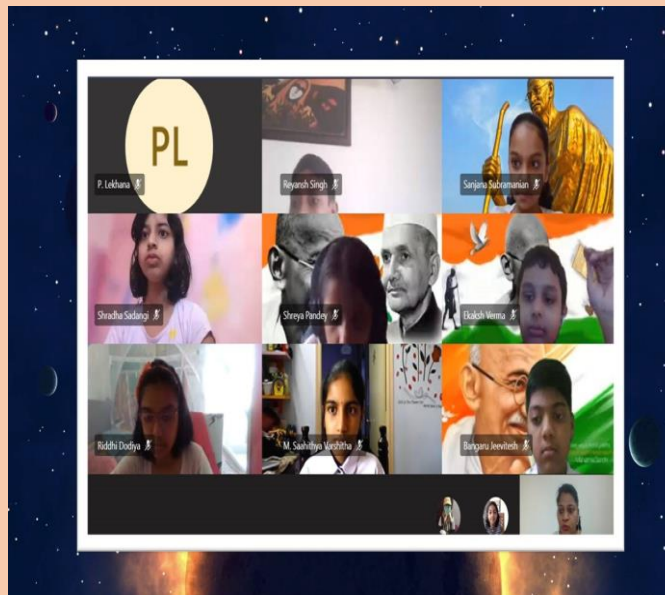
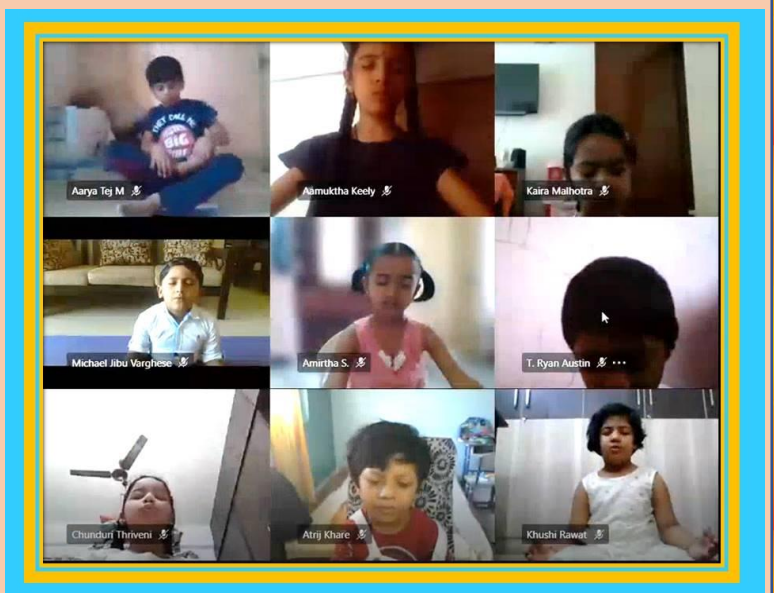


Students were judged on different rubrics that included Presentation, Memorization, Characterization and Emotion. The enthralling performance of the participants gave a tough time to our judges to decide the winners.

We Celebrated ...

White and Whisper

Gandhiji is acknowledged by all for his doctrine of non-violence that led India to its glorious freedom. On June 15th, 2007 the UN General Assembly passed a resolution which declared his birthday, October 2nd to be celebrated as the International Day of Non-Violence in commemoration of his life that impacted humanity to its core. This day is also known as Gandhi Jayanthi and is celebrated as a National holiday in India. To mark this occasion, under the year's theme of 'Anger Free Zone' in our Whitefield Global School, we held a Special Program called "White and Whisper."



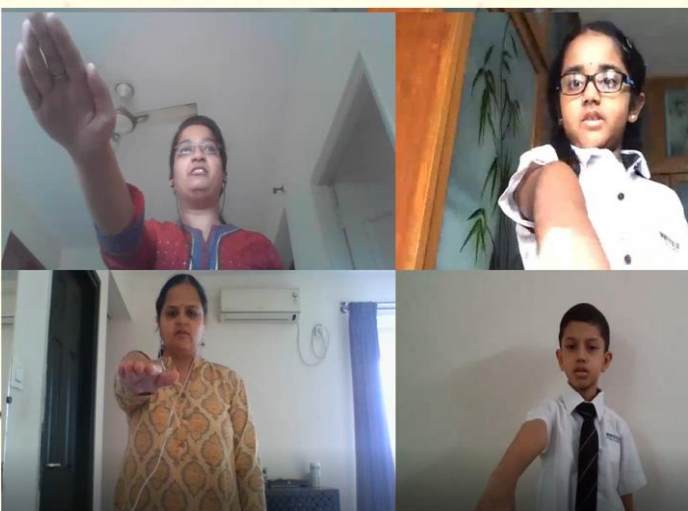
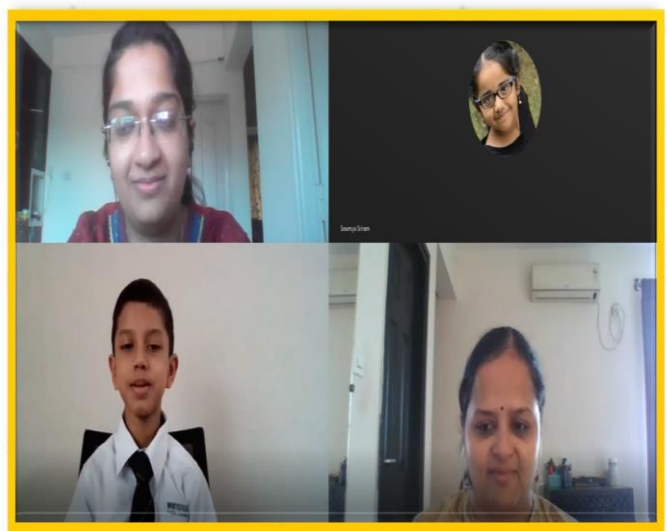
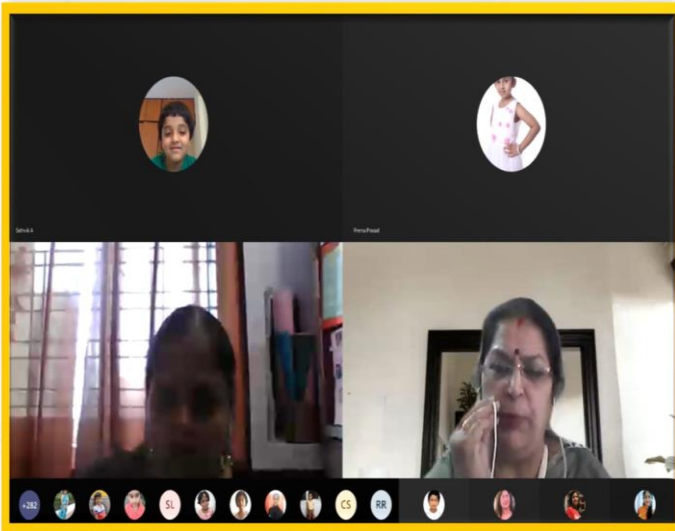
Students and their families from grades 1-5 took part in the event and enjoyed a very peaceful session of meditation with Om chanting. Reciting the Om Mantra purifies the environment and creates positive energy that results in happier and stress-free surroundings. On this occasion let us pledge to keep balance in our body, mind and soul to give best of ourselves in any and every situation.

We Partook in...

Virtual Assembly – Grade 1 & 2

The morning sets the day and the assembly paves the way for our students to rejuvenate their spirits, remain rooted to the moral values and unleash their vitality.

We at WGS believe that the morning assembly plays an incredible role for children to share their thoughts about various topics.



We successfully conducted our Virtual Assembly on 14th October, 2020. A day started on a positive thought, followed by children sharing their thoughts about their experience on Virtual classes, about Dussehra and also rendered a beautiful song.

Virtual Assembly – Grades 3,4,5

On the beautiful morning of the 16th of October 2020, the Upper Primary Segment's students of Whitefield Global School conducted the first virtual assembly of this term. Students came together with immense enthusiasm for a live web link assembly. The host for the assembly was Nithila of grade 5. Students started the day by invoking the Almighty with our national song, “Vande Mataram”, followed by the thought for the day by Adwaith of grade 3. Archit of grade 4 spoke about his virtual class experiences. Pranavi of grade 5 conveyed the implications of Dussehra, with the festive season fast approaching. Ramneek of grade 4 gave an insight about the do's and don'ts to celebrate in Covid times. Danshika of grade 5 led everyone with a Covid Pledge.



The students were delighted and thrilled by the words of motivation and encouragement by Primary HM Ms. Nina Mukhopadhyaya who appreciated the efforts of students in these trying times. The Head of Institution, Dr. Sarada Chandrasekaran, through a simple yet highly insightful story, reinforced the safety measures during these Covid times. Students were encouraged to face these uncertain situations with a smile on their faces and with positivity. The assembly ended with a recorded audio of the National Anthem.