

# PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



JANUARY 2015

Dear Parents, students and well wishers,

The School reopened after the brief 'End of Year' sojourn. The break was a welcome one for one and all as it packed celebrations of Christmas and New Years. All students appeared refreshed and looked forward to moving on in academics, from where they left off. January is usually a month of catching up with academics as most of the planned activities of the School are usually completed. So it was academics in all its hues for the students.

### Republic Day Celebrations:

The country celebrated the 66<sup>th</sup> Republic Day on 26 January 2015. In keeping with the upbeat mood of the nation, students of classes III, IV & V participated in the celebrations with unbridled fervour. The theme for the attire for the celebrations was 'Vêtements pour Profession' in which they held the Republic Day parade in different dresses of professionals. It was a perfect way of generating enthusiasm amongst them and the eagerness to display their choice of profession was indicative of the big choices of life that they had already made. Cultural activities including patriotic dance and singing too followed the parade. It was a perfect way of celebrating and driving home the true significance of this momentous day.



### Organic Farming:

In this world where fertilisers and pesticides have



predominated our food chain 'Organic Farming' has acquired a whole new meaning. The return to basics form of farming is gaining prominence in this contemporary world. It was in the appropriateness of things that the school took to educating

the young minds on the unbounded advantages of Organic Farming. Students grew their own plants in recycled bottles. The joy of watching seeds grow into plants always remains unparalleled for young minds.



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### **CCA in the primary segment:**

There was immense excitement in the primary segment amongst the students to participate in CCA activities. The energy levels on display bears testimony to enthusiasm.

Students of class 1, 2 and 3 participated in the solo dance inter-house competition. The audience of their peers cheered on as the little ones showcased their talents.

Students of classes 4 and 5 continued with their indulgence in literary activities. The final round of 'Story Telling' competition, wherein a story had to be narrated impromptu based on the picture shown, left the audience spellbound with their imagination and oratorical skills. The student's vivid imagination had us awe-inspired too.



As we await signing off the month of January and the ushering in of February, the continued emphasis on academics would only incrementally grow till the Final Summative Assessment. Wishing all a wonderful month ahead....

**With Best Wishes,**

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