

# NEWSLETTER

LATEST EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS AT  
ASN PRE PRIMARY WING

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CLASS - NURSERY

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At-A-Glance

- Principal Ms. Swarnima Luthra has been felicitated with the prestigious 'Exemplary Pandemic Edu Leader Award' by the Education World for maintaining learning continuum and fostering social emotional well-being amongst all stakeholders.
- ASN Senior Secondary School in collaboration with KCCI (Korean Cultural Centre India) marked the 57<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Hangeul Day and celebrated it with great zeal and fervor.
- ASN under the aegis of DLSA (Delhi State Legal Services Authority), East conducted an 'Awareness Program on Traffic Law'.
- The 'Clean Air' ambassadors of the primary wing along with Grade IV B conducted a special e-assembly as part of the School's collaboration with Centre for Environment Education for the International campaign, 'Freedom to Breathe' launched by Global Action Plan and Blue air.
- ASN organized a Virtual Conference on World Teachers' Day in collaboration with United Nations Information Centre for India & Bhutan
- ASN celebrated the momentous occasion of the 76th anniversary of the United Nations, by way of some wonderful and stimulating activities.
- ASN in collaboration with Safai Bank of India Program, Mumbai Sustainability Centre, launched Mega Litter Less engaging 25 schools of Delhi NCR for adopting sustainable pathways in waste management heralding collaborative and collective actions for creating cleaner and greener cities and societies.

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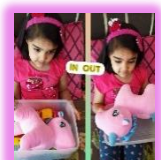
### Design Thinking



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*Message from the  
Incharge*



**“Don’t go through life, go through life.”**

**- Eric Butterworth**

Dear Parents

Greetings!

The children now are keen to play and run about with other friends, even though presently the serious risks of the same cannot be ruled out. However, in interest of the mental wellbeing of all students, it may be best to permit them to mingle, with reasonable precautions as advised by the government, once the pandemic shows signs of receding and the official directives are issued by the government administration to resume physical school activities on campus. This may be permitted as a gradual process, under strict observation and control, and we would definitely like to ensure the mental and physical well-being of all our students and teaching/ non-teaching staff at the school as well. Whereas we are only a medium who can arrange the activities, precautions would need to be followed by all concerned and we would ensure strict control, monitoring and discipline to ensure that laid down norms of safe conduct are not violated at all. It would be in the best physical and mental interest of all students to then participate in actual school as and when it starts under government directions. It would give them an avenue to redirect their energies afresh towards academics with renewed vigor which has fallen lately due to continuous online learning activities, with little physical interaction. Our students are going through a rough period and would indeed find life much easier and happier once school restarts, although with some restrictions on safe interaction. The mere presence of their friends, teachers and the ambience of the school premises would surely help to release several negativities that may have crept into their delicate minds.

It is with utmost sincerity that we would like to exhort all parents at once school is reopened under government directives, they must encourage their wards to attend regular activities at school, as per laid down norms. On our part, we would always endeavour to provide the safest environment for the students and school staff. We look forward to the reopening of the school once the situation improves and assure parents of our best efforts to ensure a safe environment for the students.

As always, I look forward to your continued cooperation and support.

With warm regards,

**Sarika Srivastava**

**Incharge – Pre-primary Wing**

# Events

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# CELEBRATION



MAHATMA  
**GANDHI JAYANTI**  
OCTOBER 2



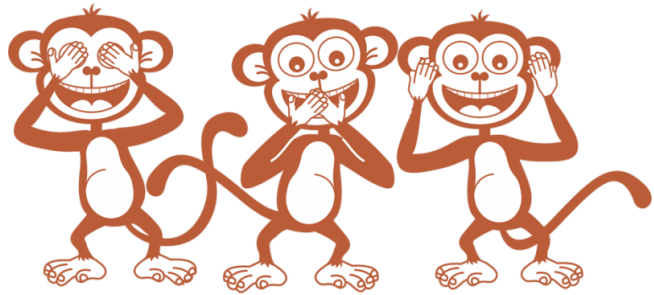
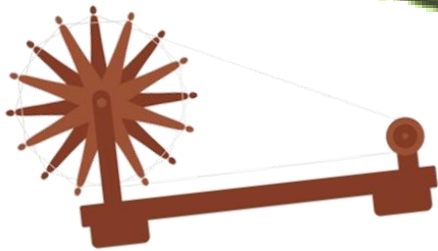
## Role play

"The Father of the Nation", Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi has left many powerful messages and life lessons for the generations to come. Children, being the face of tomorrow, can gain so much from his life-stories, values and struggles. Keeping this in mind our students enacted and participated in role play and show and tell from Gandhi Ji's life.

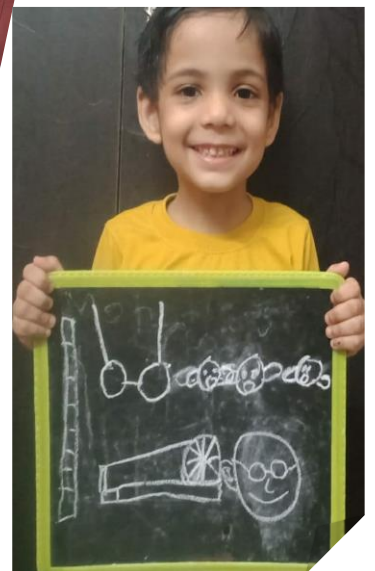
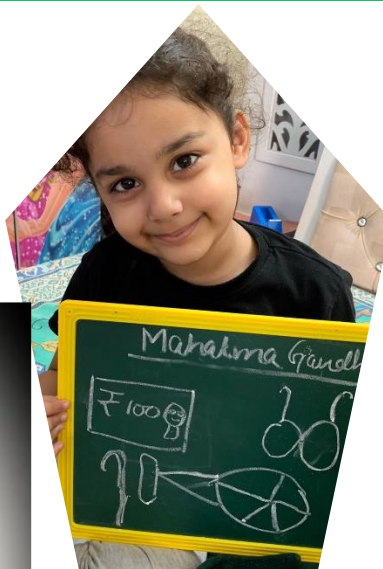




# ART CONNECT



The tiny tots made beautiful drawings related with Mahatma Gandhi like his charkha, three monkeys etc.





Dussehra is an important Hindu festival which signifies the victory of good over evil. Our little ones got familiar with this festival through a virtual visit to Ramlila ground. They could see the effigies of Ravan, Meghnath and Kumbhakaran reduced to ashes by Lord Ram.





# CRAFT CONNECT

Students showed their creativity by making Ravan in their scrapbook.





# AQUA LIFE

The little ones dressed up in beautiful costumes and spoke about aquatic animals in the Fancy Dress Competition. Some of them shared different ways to save the aquatic life.



Fruits contain important vitamins, minerals and fiber which must be included in daily diet of kids. Keeping this in mind our tiny tots were guided to make fruit chaat in virtual class which they relished and shared with their family.

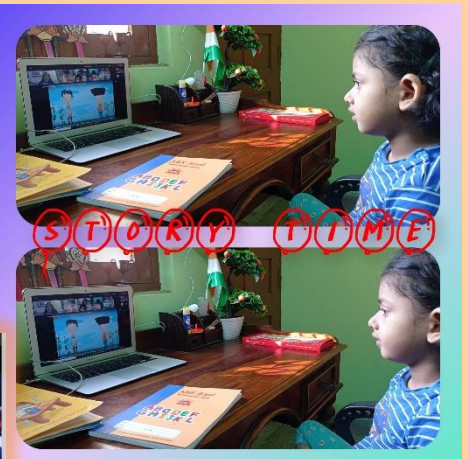




# Social Emotional Learning Curriculum



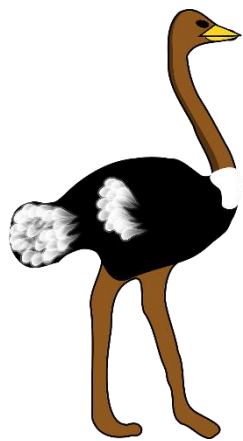
Different stories were showed in the class to sensitize our little ones towards the essential Life Skills like; responsibility, relationship and empathy



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# ANIMAL

# Connect



## Developing fascination towards the Bird and Insect world

Birds seem to be just about everywhere you look and they really fascinate our little ones. Their cheerful chirping in the mornings and nesting habits in the spring are just a couple of the favourite things that our children love learning about birds. The kids dived into learning about their nesting habits, migration, and even the many species of birds through some fun activities.





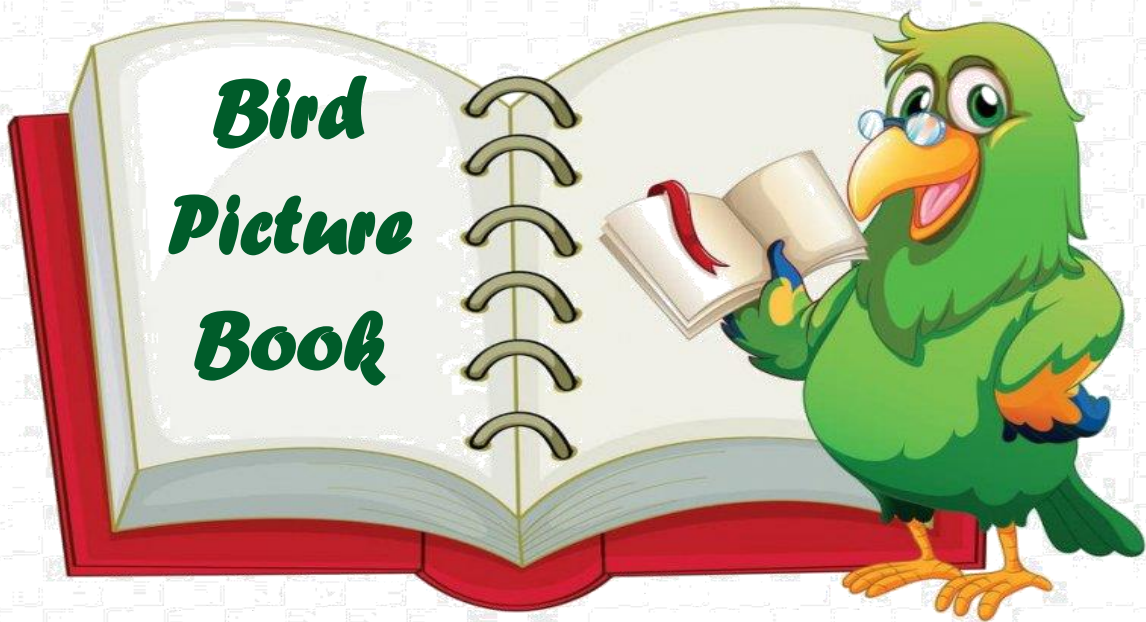
# Birds

## Role play



Little ASNites looked adorable dressed up like birds. They spoke about the amazing facts and habitats of birds. Some of them chirped melodiously like birds.





Students made beautiful bird picture book which depicted the bifurcation of birds like- nocturnal bird, aquatic, flightless birds etc.



# Clay



## MAKING OF INSECTS AND BIRDS

Students showed their creativity by making beautiful birds and insects with clay.

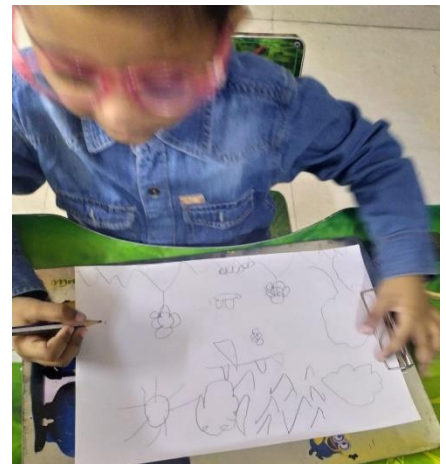




# GARDEN SCENE



The little ones expressed their love for nature by drawing a beautiful garden scene.



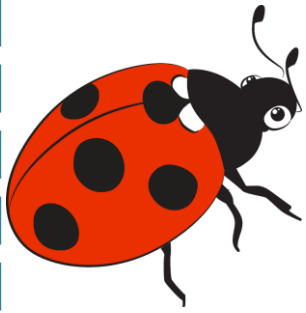
# Promoting Design Thinking



BIRD FEEDER



Students showed their love towards birds by making bird feeder and placing them on their terrace/balcony or gardens to feed the bird.

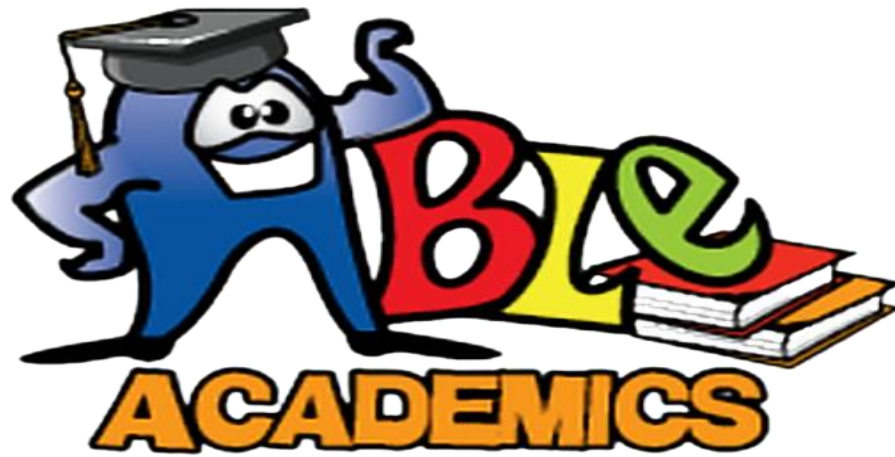


# Global Citizenship Curriculum Activity

Our little ones made beautiful stick puppets of insects and spoke a few lines about them.

## MAKING OF INSECT PUPPETS





## Introduction of Number



Number five was introduced with the help of amazing facts and number and quantity association games. They even counted on number frame with ease. Students loved making different things with the clay related with number 5 and drew the same too. They also enjoyed making set of four things.

## Introduction and Recap of letters



Students enjoyed learning letter sounds with the help of magic bag, sound stories, jingles, PPT, art and craft activities, semolina tracing, simple drawings and many other thrilling activities. Recap of letters was done with help of educational games like bingo, word builder and I spy with my little eyes.. . Blending of CVC words was done with help of ice cream sticks/word builder.

# EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

## Introduction of Pre – Number Concepts



# PARENT

# TIPS & TRICKS

**DOES READING ALOUD REALLY MATTER?** YES!

More than one in three children arrive at kindergarten without the skills necessary for lifetime learning.

Research shows that reading aloud is the single most important thing you can do to help a child prepare for reading and learning.

**LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT**  
The number of words that a child knows on entering kindergarten is a key predictor of his or her future success.

**LITERACY SKILL BUILDING**  
Vocabulary, Phonics, Familiarity with the printed word, Storytelling, Comprehension. Reading aloud builds literacy skills.

**WHY READ ALOUD?**

**INSTILL A LOVE OF READING**  
Your example demonstrates that reading is important, pleasurable and valued.

**BRAIN DEVELOPMENT**  
From birth to age 3 are critical years in the development of language skills.

**KNOWLEDGE GAINED & SHARED**  
Books are a pleasure, yes, and they are also informative. You and your child can learn something new as you read aloud.

**BONDING**  
Is anything better than sharing a good book?

More than 15% of young children, 3.1 million, are read to by family members fewer than three times a week.

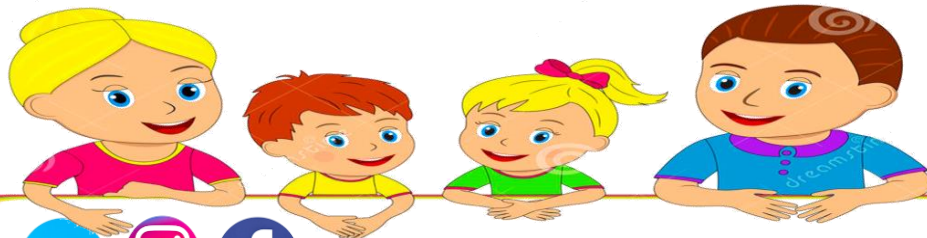
**DON'T GOOD PARENTS ALREADY READ ALOUD DAILY?** NO

Only 48% of young children in this country are read to each day.

Reading 15 minutes every day for 5 years: 27,375 MINUTES

456.25 HOURS

**IS 15 MINUTES ENOUGH TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE?** YES!



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