

TIPS BEACON

THE INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL, COIMBATORE

Spark Plug

“Cheers to a new year and another chance for us to get it right”- Oprah Winfrey

We at TIPS wish all our students, their families and friends, a prosperous and happy new year. We ended 2023 with the Arts fest whose theme was 'Echoes of nature'. Every exhibit was made by reusing and recycling available materials. Our young learners confidently exhibited their learning using various models and illustrations. It was heartening to see our little stars coming up with solutions to save planet Earth. What a proud moment for all of us. Watching our young vibrant learners blooming is our dream and providing the platform for them to express their views freely is our responsibility.



New year brings with it a ray of hope to start afresh and embark on a journey of new learning and excitement for the future. We started off with 'Pongal celebrations', beginning with 'Molappari', wherein our students planted the seeds well ahead of the festival. They were involved in the making of Pongal, singing songs related to the festival and dancing to traditional numbers with full fervor. Thirukkural and drawing competitions were conducted which gave our children a chance to showcase their talents.



Next was 'Republic day celebrations which kick started with the unfurling of our national flag , followed by speech and patriotic songs by our budding performers.



“New year a new chapter, new verse, or just the same old story? Ultimately we write it. The choice is ours.” Alex Morritt.
Let's create a beautiful chapter for ourselves.

MEENA SUNDAR
Homeroom Teacher

Learning Curve

"One learns from books and example only that certain things can be done. Actual learning requires that you do those things."

— Frank Herbert.

As we inquire into the effects of Earth's movements around the Sun, along with the rotation and revolution, our students got an opportunity to find out how people read time before the invention of clocks. They made models of Sundial and used the shadow of sun's rays to read time.

It was an opportunity for our young scientists to explore, extend and apply their learning in real life situations.

In the end we retain from our studies only that which we practically apply." — Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe



PARENT CHRONICLES

Parents often bring a unique cultural or family perspective to storytelling. Storytelling involving parents enhances social skills by encouraging communication and active listening. Children learn to engage in conversation, ask questions, and express their thoughts and feelings. It transforms learning into a more engaging and interactive experience. It makes learning memorable, as children connect the educational content with personal experiences.



Here at TIPS, we invite the parents to come and share a story with our students, as parent's participation in school activities like storytelling, helps build a supportive community, creating a sense of togetherness among parents, teachers, and children, contributing to a positive school environment and strengthening the partnership between families and school creating a more holistic approach to a child's education.

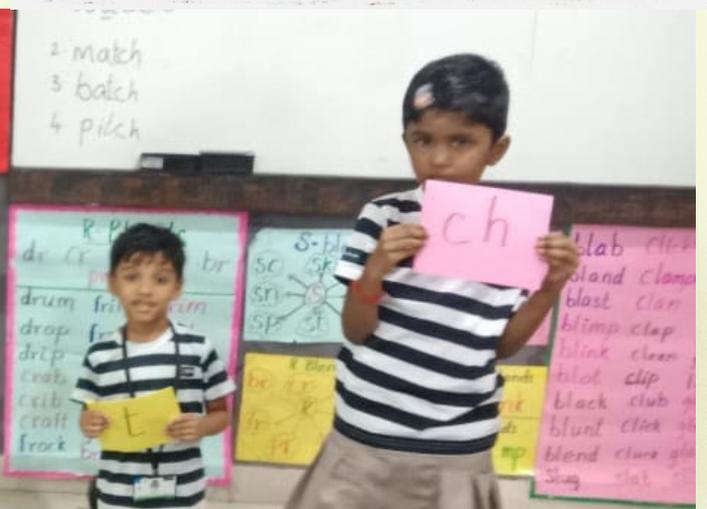
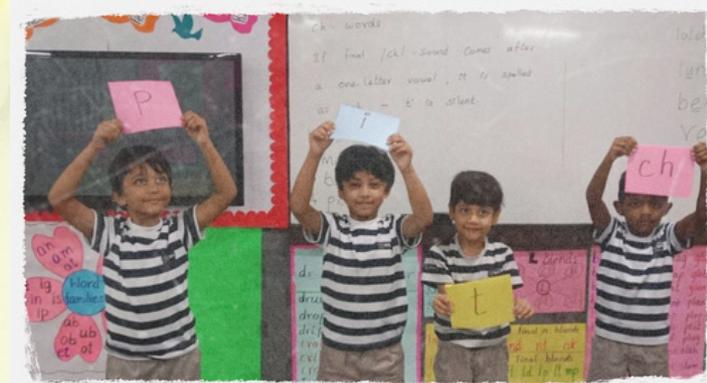
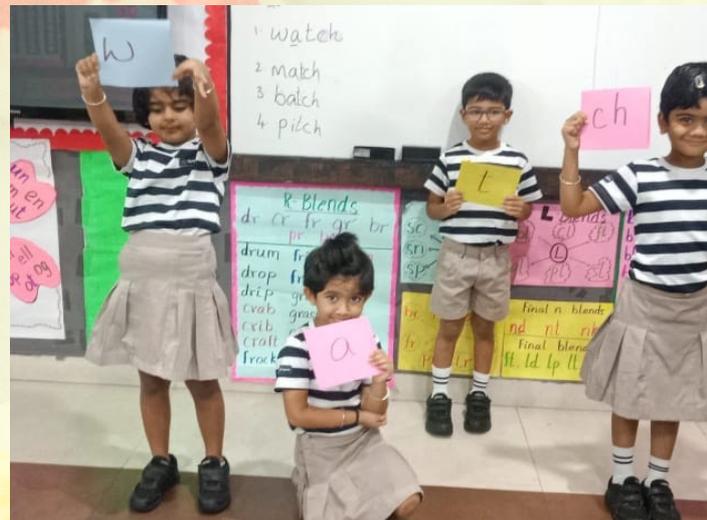
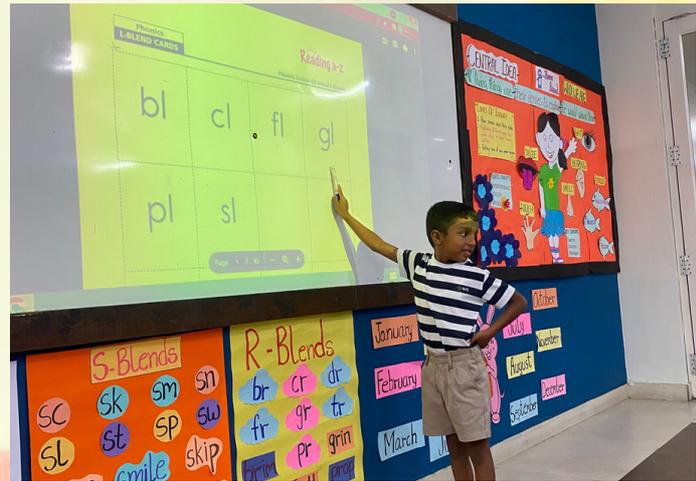
Our parent, shared the experience- "TIPS school has played a critical role in the holistic development of my child. The school provides a supportive environment that has encouraged my daughter to learn and grow. TIPS as a school has mastered the formula of helping the child to deal with academic and non-academic factors that impact their confidence as an individual. My 5 year old has had a joyful learning; I completely owe it to the value system of the school".



Mrs. Deeksha
Parent of Aviraa

POCKET PHONICS

Phonics plays a crucial role in building children's reading and writing abilities. Our kids actively participate in activities like reading aloud and recognizing sight words and letter sounds. Children eagerly demonstrate their understanding of phonics while learning new words and using phonetic skills to decode unfamiliar words. Understanding phonics has helped our students to manipulate, compare, and analyze words and sounds, which fosters critical and creative thinking in them. They are familiar with the sounds, the consonant digraphs, and open vowels where a few letters take different sounds. Students' initiative in reading the decodable book showed that they are thorough with phonics. It always helped develop students' confidence and sense of self.



HEALTH AND BEYOND

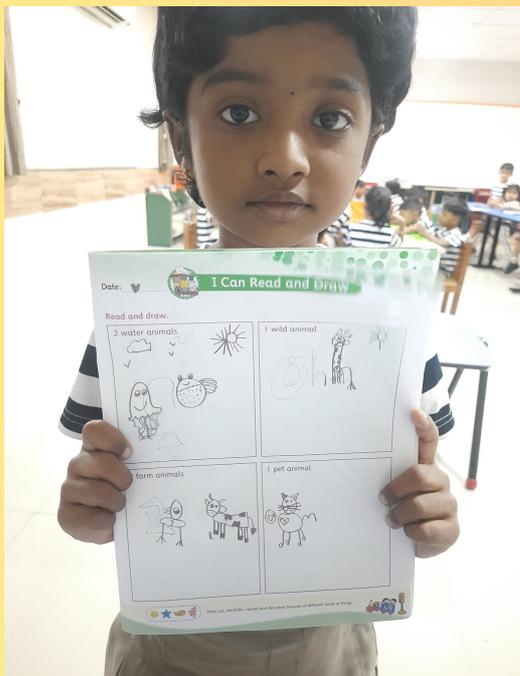
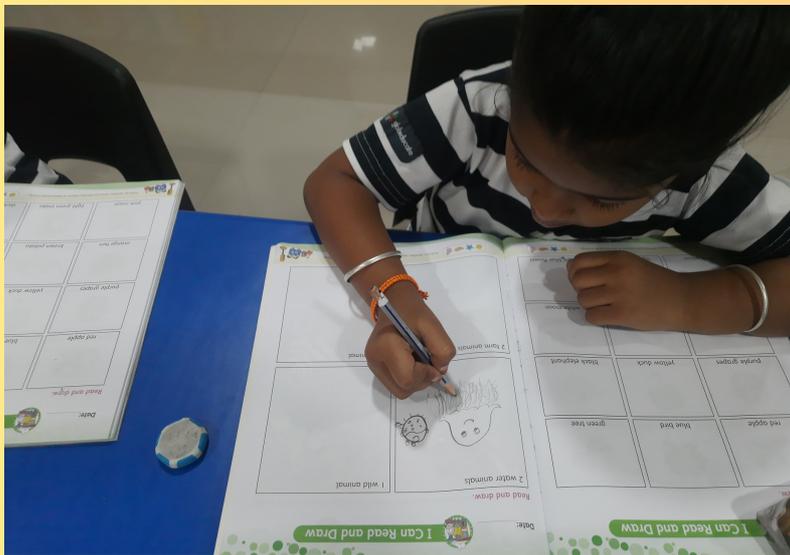
Cookery is a fun and enjoyable activity for children, and also a valuable learning opportunity that enhances their health and wellness. It helps to foster our children's social and emotional skills, as they can learn to share, take turns, collaborate, problem-solving skills among their peers, express their feelings and opinions, listen and respect others' perspectives, and cope with challenges. Students participated in a wonderful activity of cooking sweet pongal a traditional sweet dish made with rice, moong dal, jaggery, ghee, nuts, and raisins, while preparing the dish the kids learned by observing and experimenting with different cooking methods and nutrition they got from the ingredients. Students express their happiness after tasting and enjoying the sweet pongal with their friends. Cooking a traditional dish also helped in exploring and appreciating different cultures and cuisines.



BUDDING INFLUENCER

EVS instills a love for nature from an early age. Children who grow up appreciating the beauty of the natural world are more likely to develop a lifelong connection with the environment. This love of nature can lead to a greater likelihood of environmentally conscious choices and actions as they grow older.

At TIPS the kids learn any topic of EVS through doing lesson based activities, projects, drawings, role plays, field trips, nature walk, rhymes etc. The kids of KG 2 depict their understanding of the topic "ANIMALS" through their drawings. By intergrating the age appropriate concepts the children begin to realise their role in preserving the planet.



Potpourri

Echoes of Nature.

Green Vibes Only! - A motto that is currently etched on to everyone's hearts at KG . Titled 'Echoes of Nature' the theme for this year's Arts Expo is Conservation of Nature. A subject that is need of the hour and imperative for the little ones to understand and act upon it. Right from protection of wildlife, embracing nature , addressing climatic changes ,our TIPSCIANS took it upon themselves to get down to the bottom of it all. The entire campus was atmospheric to sync with the theme. The corridors & pod areas resembled that of a Tropical rain forest.

The objective of the Arts Expo was to instill the love for nature and to be proactive towards achieving it apart from showcasing their creativity in the field of Arts & Craft. TIPSCIANS believe in creating a happy and healthy world around us, hence crafted out beautiful art work which is eco friendly. Natural materials such as wood, jute, and cotton were used that not only makes the products environment-friendly but also gives a unique look and feel. Children prepared projects that covered topics such as Weather, biodiversity, living & non living things, healthy eating habits, recycling etc. It was overwhelming to see the kindergarten children take over the center stage to confidently brainstorm ideas to protect nature! TIPSCIANS ,truly a global citizen!

Celebrating festivals in our school has become an integral part of growing, and learning new activities. It brings children closer to each other's cultural beliefs and traditions. In TIPS, we encourage our students to celebrate and enjoy every occasion, as it makes the students aware of the festivals in a happy way. Lately, the festival of Pongal has been celebrated with immense joy, the students participated in reciting the Thirukural competition, the pongal pot coloring competition, and a fancy dress competition. The celebrations foster an enriching learning experience for students. Children were delighted to witness the celebration of Pongal by actively participating in all the competitions. It was a wonderful way of imparting cultural knowledge and awareness among the students.

ART FEST

Art fest is a great way to showcase the artistic talents and skills of our students, it is a wonderful way to celebrate the student's creativity. It also helps them to learn and appreciate new skills, and have fun with their peers. On 16th December, our budding artists actively took part in the art and craft fest, the students showcased their talent and creativity in the art and craft fest organized by the school, and the parents, teachers, and guests were impressed by the students' enthusiasm and skills.

The fest had two themes: Rhythms of the Sea and Mystical Blossom. The students took part in various arts and crafts activities related to these themes, such as painting, drawing, and origami. Rhythms of the Sea theme was inspired by the sea and its wonders. Our students created colorful and lively artworks depicting sea creatures, waves, and shells. The theme "Mystical Blossom" was inspired by the flowers and nature. Children created charming and delicate artworks depicting flowers, gardens, butterflies, and fairies using bright colors to enhance the beauty and magic of their creations. The whole event was successful and memorable for our students, who did justice to the themes and their artistic expression. The fest was a great opportunity for the students to express themselves, learn from their friends, and have a joyful moment.



CANDID MEMORIES



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Lookout Notice



**KG
Open
Forum**



**Expert
Talk**



Field Trips

ReACH Out



12 COUNTRIES, 60 + SCHOOLS and 1 Global Family