

# THE INDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

## SPARK PLUG

As we transition into the adventurous month of March, it is exciting to reflect on the multitude of enriching experiences our school community has actively engaged in. From leadership development to scientific exploration, our students continue to highlight their talents and passion for learning.

Our students embarked on an exhilarating Adventure and Leadership Camp where they learned valuable life skills, resilience, and problem solving in the outdoors. We are incredibly proud of their adventurous spirits and the leadership qualities they have demonstrated.

Our field trips were both educational and enjoyable. It provided students with hands-on learning experiences outside the classroom environment. Students had the opportunity to delve into Tamil food culture at the Tamil Language Department's Food Exhibition, where flavours and traditions came together to celebrate diversity.

Our budding chemists at the Chemistry Expo amazed us with their knowledge. From exciting experiments to fascinating demonstrations, our students were eager to highlight their understanding of the molecular world. In the spirit of democracy and civic engagement, our students participated in a Mock Parliament session. The invaluable experience allows them to debate and enact legislation, fostering a deeper understanding of governance and public policy.

The Student-Led Conference provided a platform for reflection, goal-setting, and meaningful dialogue between students, parents, and teachers. The Robotica Champions League was an electrifying showdown. It was a showcase of technological prowess and teamwork.

As we near the end of the academic year, I encourage you to stay engaged and support our students' endeavours. Together, we can nurture their passions and aspirations, and shape them into tomorrow's leaders and innovators.



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# LEARNING CURVE



## SLC

During the student-led conference, students demonstrated their knowledge and understanding through a variety of presentations and projects. Students showcased their learning journey by selecting a topic that resonated with them personally and academically. Through research, experimentation, and critical thinking, they gained a deeper understanding of the subject matter. The conference provided a platform for them to showcase their learning by presenting findings, insights, and reflections.

Students approached presentation in creative ways such as through multimedia, interactive activities, or engaging visuals. The event encouraged participation that allowed students to share their knowledge with peers, parents, and teachers. The conference instilled a sense of personal ownership in students' learning process, inspiring a love for exploration, inquiry, and lifelong learning.



# PARENT CHRONICLE



Dear TIPS team,

Thanks for organizing an engaging and interactive mock parliament session for grade 4,5,students. It was an amazing experience for my daughter. Firstly, she understood what Indian parliament is, its houses, role of MP's, ministers and most importantly speaker. Discussing an issue, passing a bill, making amendments, creating a law was all something new and she felt herself an MP of ruling party. Like a real parliament the sessions were well planned and it happened from morning till evening for two days. This session indeed helped children to boost their public speaking skills and critical thinking skills.

Being refugee support, her topic of discussion, she clearly researched about India's role and support for refugees and exhibited a clear understanding on the subject. She debated on several topics and learnt about the democratic process. In fact she is eager to participate in more such events in future. This session also created an interest in her to know more about politics. My special thanks to TIPS teachers and DP students who made this extraordinary effort!



**Ms. Ramya**  
**Parent of Shanmitha, 5B**

# UNLOCKING MINDS

1. Which Union Ministry has launched the 'Company Law Committee (CLC)'?
2. Who is the head of the RBI's working group on internationalisation of the rupee?
3. Which country clinched its maiden Women's Junior Hockey Asia Cup title?
4. 'Synchro' is associated with which sports?
5. Which country has banned use of foreign words to 'protect' its language?
6. Recently, the Government of India has declared which airport as an 'International Airport'?
7. Which city is the location of recently inaugurated India's first Girls' Military School?
8. In which organ RBC are selectively destroyed/ recycled by macrophages?
9. What is the word used for a disease that people can catch from animals?
10. Which is the smallest flowering Plant?



- ANSWERS:
1. Ministry of Corporate Affairs
  2. Radha Shyam Ratho
  3. India
  4. Swimming
  5. Russia
  6. Surat Airport
  7. Hindon
  8. Spleen
  9. Zoonosis
  10. Wolffia

# HEALTH AND BEYOND

## உணவுத் திருவிழா

### “உணவவனப் படுவது யாவதனில் நிலத்தொடு நீரே”

என்ற புறநானூற்றுப் பாடலை சான்றாகக்கொண்டு எப்படி குடிநீர் இல்லாமல் நீண்டகாலம் வாழ முடியாதோ அதுபோல சத்துள்ள இயற்கை உணவுகளை புறக்கணித்தாலும் நீண்டகாலம் வாழமுடியாது என்பதை நமது பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் உணர்ந்து சிறுதானியங்களால் ஆன உணவுகளை காட்சிப்படுத்தினர்.

சிறுதானியத்தை உண்போம் வளமாய் வாழ்வோம்” என்று நமது ஐந்தாம் வகுப்பு மாணவர்கள் சிறுதானியங்களால் ஆன தினை உருண்டை, கம்பங் சவுழ், ரகிவடை, சுக்கு காபி, தினை முறுக்கு, தேனும் தினைமாவும், சாமை லட்டு, பொட்டுக்கடலை உருண்டை, சிறுதானிய கொழுக்கட்டை, கம்பு லட்டு போன்ற விதவிதமான உணவு வகைகளை காட்சிப்படுத்தி அதனை செய்யும் முறைகளையும், அதனால் கிடைக்கும் நின்மைகளையும் மற்றும் சத்துகளையும் பகிர்ந்துவகாண்டார்.



இதனால் மாணவர்கள் மற்றும் ஆசிரியர்களிடையே துரித உணவுகளை தவிர்க்கவேண்டும் என்பதும் சிறுதானியங்களில் பலவிதமான சுவையுள்ள உணவுகளை செய்யமுடியும் என்ற விழிப்புணர்வை ஏற்படுத்திய காட்சிகளில்

Grade 5 students learned about millets, grains with numerous health benefits, and an integral part of India's traditional cuisine. They explored various millet varieties, experimented with tasty and nutritious recipes, and raised awareness within the school community about healthy eating and living.



# BUDDING INFLUENCER

**“Dive into a world of elements and reactions, where young minds ignite the spark of scientific curiosity.”**

Unlocking the mysteries of matter with the budding chemists of Grade 4. Our Grade 4 Chemistry Expo was an engaging event where young minds delved into the fascinating world of chemistry. Students showcased their enthusiasm for Chemistry through colourful displays, interactive experiments, and creative presentations. From simple chemical reactions to exploring the periodic table, the expo highlighted the foundational concepts of chemistry in an accessible manner.



Parents witnessed the students' excitement as they explained the mysteries of atoms, molecules, and the wonders of the scientific method. The event not only promoted scientific curiosity but also fostered teamwork and communication skills among the budding scientists, laying the groundwork for a lifelong love of learning.



**Exploring the magic of molecules – where curiosity meets discovery at our Chemistry Expo!**

**“In the world of atoms and reactions, every discovery is a tiny revolution”**

# POTPURI

***"If happiness is the goal – and it should be – then adventure should be a top priority" – Richard Branson***

The adventure camp held on 24th February 2024, in the sprawling lawns of TIPS aimed to set up teambuilding activities to encourage groups to work together and communicate. Thrilling and exhilarating entertainment, the sensory experience of being in the lap of nature; learning to relate with the team activities; enhancing of life skills and being able to understand the interdependence, were the objectives of the camp.

Young adventurers from Grades 1, 2, and 3 enthusiastically joined the adventure camp, eager to partake in the array of thrilling activities. Their spirits soared as they embraced the fun-filled experiences awaiting them, creating cherished memories and forging bonds amidst the excitement of the outdoors.

Throughout the day, the campus pulsed with energy as campers immersed themselves in a flurry of activities. Commando Net, Valley Crossing, and Ziplining sent pulses racing, igniting instant rushes of adrenaline. Zorbing emerged as the team's beloved pastime, captivating their hearts with its exhilarating twists and turns. Additionally, Tree Climbing, Soft Archery, and Balancing Rope provided further thrills, captivating the children's imaginations. Witnessing their daring spirit and unyielding enthusiasm for adventure was truly exhilarating, as they fearlessly embraced every challenge and soared to new heights. The campus echoed with laughter and excitement, a testament to the indomitable spirit of youthful adventure.



# READER'S RAVE

"Who Moved My Cheese?" is a motivational business fable written by Dr. Spencer Johnson. This book was published in 1998 and still it is one of the most famous books, selling more than 30 million copies. The book uses a simple story to convey powerful messages about change, adaptability, and the importance of accepting it in both personal and professional life. This book's major focus is about the change. Throughout life each and every single person faces a lot of changes in life. That may be a sudden change of job, a new house, a promotion or even some concept that didn't result as expected. For sure change is constant in human's life. The essential theme of the book is that change is a natural part of life, and one should be prepared to adapt to it.

The story revolves around four characters: two mice, Sniff and Scurry, and two "little people," Hem and Haw, who live in a maze and search for cheese, which symbolizes happiness and success. The cheese in their designated location eventually runs out, forcing each character to respond differently to the change. Instead of fearing or avoiding change, the book suggests that one should learn from it. Instead of fearing change, the book is about analysing the reasons behind change and its consequences can lead to personal and professional growth.

For me, the best part of this book is its simplicity of the narrative and the relatable characters make the book accessible to a wide audience.

## Title of the book – The Naval Journey of India by Amar Chitra Katha Publication

The Naval Journey of India is a book filled with immense knowledge and interesting facts about history of India. The story is narrated by a grandfather to his grandson about the history of Indian Navy.

This book gives us detailed knowledge about why India was called as 'Golden bird', and how Britishers conquered, and how India got freedom. I have also gained more facts about Harropan, Kalinga and Chola civilization.

Reading this book, made me proud to be an Indian and inspire me to be like our brave heroes.



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# EXPLORING EXCELLENCE

## ***Robotica***

In the thrilling Robotica League competition, students showcased their innovative minds and technical skills as they embarked on a journey of creativity and competition. With a passion for robotics, these students formed teams and worked tirelessly to design and build their own robots. They eagerly explored concepts of engineering, programming, and problem-solving, combining their knowledge to overcome challenges. Dedication and teamwork were evident as they spent countless hours collaborating, tweaking, and refining their creations. The competition itself was a platform for students to demonstrate their robots' capabilities through a series of exciting challenges.



# CANDID MEMORIES

## GRADE 1



## GRADE 2

# CANDID MEMORIES

GRADE 4



GRADE 3



GRADE 5

# LOOKOUT NOTICE



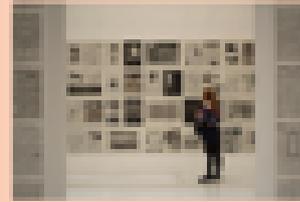
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PA Fest**



**G5 Trade  
Fair Expo**



**Col's &  
Field Trip**



**G5 Unit  
Exhibition**



**PTM**



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Day**

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