



# JVK'S BULLETIN

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## Principal's Desk

Activity-based pedagogical approach and modern classrooms are innovative and effective educational strategies that prioritize student engagement and learning outcomes. In this approach, students actively participate in their learning process through hands-on activities, group discussions and real-world problem-solving tasks. Modern classrooms are designed to facilitate this approach, equipped with interactive whiteboards, digital learning tools, and flexible seating arrangements to encourage collaboration and creativity. Teachers act as facilitators, guiding students rather than simply delivering information. This method fosters critical thinking, communication, and teamwork skills, preparing students for the challenges of the future. By integrating technology and diverse learning resources, activity-based pedagogy and modern classrooms can cater to individual learning styles, making education more inclusive and enjoyable. These methods empower students to take ownership of their learning, fostering a deeper understanding and lasting knowledge retention. Overall, they create dynamic, engaging, and learner-centered environments that foster holistic development and academic success.



## ORIENTATION PROGRAM ON POSITIVE PARENTING

On 8th of July, JVK structured an orientation programme for the parents of pre-schoolers on the topic "Positive Parenting". Sr. Madharasi, Campus Superior JVK, Principal Mr. Manoj. V. A , Mrs. Anila Arjun, Counsellor & Psychotherapist chaired the session. This session is to create awareness among the parents on how to groom the pre-schoolers with the right combination of kindness and firmness. It focuses on carving out a caring and empowering relationship with the child while also expressing expectations and boundaries. Here are few tips that was discussed in seminar for practicing kind and firm parenting:

**1. Build a loving and supportive relationship:** Show your child love, affection, and support. Spend quality time with them, engage in activities they enjoy, and listen to their thoughts and feelings. Your relationship is bolstered, and trust is built.

**2. Use positive reinforcement:**

Recognise and support your child's good behaviours. No matter how modest, acknowledge their efforts and triumphs. This raises their self-esteem and encourages them to maintain their good behaviour.

**3. Set clear rules and expectations:**

Create guidelines for your child that are precise and age-appropriate. Make certain they are aware of the limits and consequences of their behaviour. It's important to enforce regulations equally and consistently.

**4. Use effective communication:**

Communicate with your child in a calm and respectful manner. Listen attentively to their concerns and feelings. Use age-appropriate language and explain things clearly. Avoid yelling, criticizing, or belittling your child.

**5. Encourage problem-solving and autonomy:**

Give your child the chance to make age-appropriate decisions and choices. Motivate them to find independent solutions to straightforward issues. This helps foster independence and self-confidence.

**6. Use logical consequences:**

When your child misbehaves, respond with logical consequences that are related to the behavior. For example, if they make a mess, have them clean it up. This helps them understand the consequences of their actions and learn from their mistakes.

**7. Encourage empathy and understanding:**

Teach your child to consider others' feelings and perspectives. Help them develop empathy by discussing how their actions can impact others. Encourage acts of kindness and teach them to apologize and make amends when they hurt someone.

**8. Be patient and understanding:**

Pre-schoolers are still developing their self-control and social skills. Be patient with their mistakes and challenges. Recognise that they are developing and learning, and offer advice and assistance as needed.

"Good communication between parents and teachers are essential for the success of our children."





Mrs. Anila accentuated on the importance of parent-child relationship because it lays the foundation for the child's personality, life choices, and overall behaviour. It can also affect the strength of their social, physical, mental, and emotional health. This seminar was a positive initiative taken by JVK. The day was highly enlightening and revealing. The parent's feedbacks were collected in which they petition for further more sessions in future.

## DISNEY CELEBRATION IN SJKG

The word "Disney World" takes us to a fantasy world, where Mickey Mouse, Cinderella, Minnie Mouse, Spider man, Donald Duck welcome us to walk with them. These enduring personalities captivate both kids and adults.

These characters were the brain children of Mr. Walter Disney. As a gesture of respect to this famous personality and to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Disney in advance. The SJKG celebrated Walt Disney day in their premises on 21st of July. The KG was decorated with various Disney themes such as Frozen, Lion King, The Jungle book and Finding Nemo. Tiny tots were dressed as the characters of Disney. The entire school atmosphere became enchanting with the presence of little Cindrella, Mermaid, Mowgli, Fairies, Anna & Elsa and many more. Children along with their parents visited the exhibit and

were delighted. Students from JVK & SJMHSS were given a tour. Selfie stands were available. The rooms were thoroughly decorated which showed the significant effort of tutors. The ambience along with the lighting and sound effects captivated everyone to feel as though they were in the world of fantasy

Children enjoyed the day at their fullest. Ignatius Xavier, A, Director of DFT group of Schools Chennai region, Mr. Manoj. V. A Principal of JVK & Mr. Robert Rajan, Principal of STJMHSS appreciated the Vice Principal Mrs. Jayabharathi, KG Coordinators and tutors for their endeavour. JVK expresses sincere appreciation to the parents and other family members for their unwavering support and for helping to make this event a success. The day will always hold a special place in JVK's heart.







## PERIODIC EVALUATION ON JVK

Periodic assessment refers to the process of evaluating a student's progress and performance at specific intervals throughout an academic term or year. These assessments are conducted regularly and are designed to provide feedback on a student's learning, understanding of the subject matter, and overall academic development. Periodic assessments are an essential component of the education system and serve various purposes:

**1.Measuring Learning Progress:** Periodic assessments help teachers and educators gauge how much a student has learned and how well they have grasped the concepts taught during a particular period.

**2.Identifying Learning Gaps:** These assessments can reveal areas where a student may be struggling or not fully understanding the material, enabling teachers to provide additional support and intervention.

**3.Adjusting Instructional Strategies:** Teachers can adjust their teaching strategies and methods to better meet the needs of specific students or the class as a whole based on the findings of periodic assessments.

**4.Tracking Growth and Improvement:** By comparing results from different assessment points, educators can track a student's growth and improvement over time.

**5.Informing Grading and Reporting:** Periodic assessments contribute to grading and reporting systems, helping teachers assign appropriate grades and provide feedback to students and parents.

**6.Preparing for Summative Assessments:** Regular assessments can help students become more familiar with the testing process and better prepare them for larger, summative exams.

**7.Monitoring Curriculum Effectiveness:** Schools and educational institutions can use periodic assessment data to evaluate the effectiveness of their curriculum and make necessary adjustments.

Periodic assessment took place from 10th-14th for Primary and 17th-22nd for Secondary and Higher secondary. The students were given their response papers, and the lag data and critical points were discussed and assessed. Student work and test results for the course's chosen Specific Learning Outcomes (SLOs) were addressed. By utilizing periodic assessments effectively, educators can support students' learning, foster continuous improvement, and help them achieve their academic goals.







## EMPOWERING GROWTH: JVK'S ASSESSMENT & FEEDBACK MEET

JVK recently structured a constructive Parent-Teacher Meetings, reaffirming its commitment to fostering open communication and collaboration between parents and educators. The meetings were held on July 22, 2023, for classes I to VIII and continued on July 28, 2023, for classes IX to XII. These gatherings provided a platform for parents and teachers to discuss students' performance in the recently conducted periodic assessments and also sought valuable feedback from parents.

The Parent-Teacher Meetings, a key feature of JVK's academic calendar, were diligently organized to ensure the comprehensive development of students and enable parents to actively participate in their child's educational journey.

During the meetings, teachers presented a comprehensive overview of each student's academic performance, highlighting strengths and areas of improvement based on the recently concluded periodic assessments. This data-driven approach allowed parents to gain valuable insights into their child's educational growth and progress.

The interactive sessions fostered a positive and constructive environment, enabling parents to raise any concerns they may have had regarding their child's educational journey. In response, teachers provided valuable guidance and suggestions to support students in their studies and extracurricular pursuits.



The Principal and Vice Principal of JVK actively participated in the Parent-Teacher Meetings, reaffirming the institution's dedication to ensuring a holistic and student-centric approach to education.

The successful conclusion of the PTM further solidifies JVK School's commitment to fostering a strong partnership between parents and educators. By facilitating open communication and collaboration, the school aims to create a nurturing environment where students can thrive both academically and personally.

As the meetings drew to a close, parents expressed their appreciation for the insightful discussions and were reassured by the school's commitment to their child's growth and development. With renewed enthusiasm and shared determination, JVK and its parents are poised to continue their journey of shaping young minds and nurturing future leaders.







## ABACUS TUTELAGE FOR EDUCATORS

An abacus is an instrument used to perform different arithmetic operations. Abacus is just meant to help pupils become more adept at focusing, paying attention, remembering things, having observant attitudes, and being creative.

Abacus, which represents numbers via a visuospatial format, is a traditional device to facilitate arithmetic operations. Skilled abacus users, who have acquired the ability of abacus-based mental calculation (AMC), can perform fast and accurate calculations by manipulating an imaginary abacus in mind. AMC training has the potential to improve a variety of cognitive skills including mathematics, working memory, and numerical magnitude processing because AMC users have such amazing computation abilities. To make it feasible Abacus training for teachers took place on 15th and 22nd July. It was an valuable and effective way to equip them with the necessary skills to teach abacus-based mental math techniques to their students. Abacus training helps teachers become proficient in using the abacus as a tool for mental calculations and boosts their ability to impart this knowledge to children.

Here are some key components and benefits of abacus training for teachers:

- Understanding the Abacus
- Mental Math Techniques
- Curriculum Development

- Teaching Methods
- Individualized Instruction
- Confidence Building
- Classroom Management
- Parent Communication
- Monitoring and Evaluation:
- Continuous Professional Development

Overall, abacus training for teachers can be instrumental in fostering a positive and engaging learning experience for students while developing their mental math abilities and boosting their overall confidence in mathematics.







## KAMARAJAR BIRTHDAY AND LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT INAUGURAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

The Kamarajar Birthday and Language Department Inaugural Day were celebrated at JVK School on 14th July 2023 in the school auditorium at 9:30 am. The event was presided by Ignatius Xavier, A, Director of DFT group of Schools Chennai region, Sr Matharasi, Campus Incharge of JVK ,Mr. Manoj. V. A Principal of JVK and Chief Guest Mrs. Janet, an accomplished educator from SJMHSS.

The program began with a prayer, setting a positive and harmonious atmosphere for the celebrations. The event commenced with the dignitaries' ceremonial lighting of the lamp, who then paid homage to Kamarajar, a renowned political leader and freedom fighter from Tamil Nadu. The occasion was marked by various performances by the language departments, showcasing the talents of the students. These performances included dances, skits, poems, and speeches in English, Hindi, and Tamil.

Following the performances, the chief guest was honored by the Campus incharge and the Principal. the chief guest, addressed the gathering and delivered a speech, sharing her insights and experiences with the students and Tutors . Her words inspired the audience and emphasized the importance of language learning and cultural exchange.

The event provided a platform for students to

showcase their linguistic abilities and appreciate the cultural diversity within the school community. The Kamarajar Birthday and Language Department Inaugural Day celebrations at JVK School were a successful and memorable event, fostering a spirit of unity, talent, and cultural exchange among the students. this event contributed to the overall educational development of the students and their appreciation for diverse languages and cultures.







## INTERHOUSE CHESS COMPETITION: A TRIUMPH OF STRATEGY AND SPORTSMANSHIP

In an impressive display of strategic prowess and sportsmanship, the Inter-house Chess Competition was successfully held at JVK School on July 18 and 19, 2023. The event took place from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across both senior and junior levels.

Under the guidance and supervision of the school's esteemed Principal and Vice Principal, along with the dedicated Cultural Team, the competition created an electric atmosphere and camaraderie among the competitors. The House Heads and Vice Heads of the respective houses were also present to cheer and support their fellow students.

The chess competition saw students showcasing their tactical skills and mental acuity on the chessboard, making each move with utmost concentration and precision. It was evident that the participants had honed their chess-playing abilities to a remarkable level, leaving spectators in awe of their talent.

The two-day event saw intense matches, with each house vying for the coveted championship title. The players' determination and strategic acumen were commendable, creating an enthralling experience for everyone present.

After the highly competitive battles, the winners were finally crowned. On Monday, July 24, 2023, the

Principal and Vice Principal proudly awarded the victors with certificates of achievement, recognizing their exceptional performance and dedication to the game.

The Inter-house Chess Competition not only showcased the students' intellectual abilities but also highlighted the sense of community and unity within JVK School. It served as a testament to the school's commitment to fostering all-round development among its students.







## A FORUM ON NLP FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS

In an endeavor to bolster the exam preparation process and equip students with powerful psychological tools, JVK Management organized a seminar on July 28, 2023, at the JVK Indoor Auditorium. The forum primarily targeted students from classes 10 and 12 who are facing competitive examinations. The event witnessed a significant turnout, with the enthusiastic participation of Mr. Manoj V. A, Principal of JVK, along with dedicated tutors and faculty members.

Mrs. Subbu Lakshmi, a renowned NLP Practitioner from Transcend NLP, took the stage and shed light on the core concepts of Neurolinguistic Programming. She explained the profound connection between neurological processes, language, and behavior.

Dr. Marie Claude, the IT HOD at Alpha Engineering College, shared valuable insights on the significance of communication skills in every aspect of life. She introduced NLP techniques that can empower students to enhance their communication abilities, active listening, and expression of ideas.

Mr. Sam Wesley, Manager at Alpha College, captivated the audience with his talk on overcoming exam anxiety. Mr. Wesley's dynamic presentation instilled confidence in the students, inspiring them to embrace challenges with a positive mindset.

The seminar encouraged active participation from

the students, with interactive demonstrations conducted by the resource persons.

The Principal emphasised that the students' information from the seminar would help them in their exams as well as develop them into capable and self-assured leaders for the future.

The seminar came to a successful conclusion, leaving the students feeling inspired and determined to use their newly acquired NLP skills while they study for their exams. The JVK management was praised for planning such an influential event that will surely influence the career paths of many bright young people.

## TRIUMPHANT TALENTS: JVK'S SPECTACULAR PRIZE DISTRIBUTION 2023

The JVK School Auditorium came alive with excitement and pride as it hosted the much-awaited Prize Distribution Ceremony on Monday, July 25, 2023. The event, which was held during the school assembly, aimed to recognize and honor the exceptional achievements of students in various competitions.

The ceremony witnessed the distribution of medals, trophies, and certificates to more than 20 talented students who excelled in the fields of National Karate Competition, Table Tennis, Chess, and Olympiad Exams. The principal and vice principal, handed over the medals with a warm handshake and congratulated each winner for their dedication and hard work.





The principal then took the stage and delivered a heartwarming speech, expressing his delight at the accomplishments of the students. He emphasized the significance of participating in different competitions as a means to explore one's potential, learn valuable life skills, and build character. He also encouraged the entire student body to actively participate in various competitions, reminding them that victory lies not just in winning but in the journey of self-improvement and growth.

The winners face beamed with joy as they stood tall, showcasing their accomplishments to the entire school assembly. Through this ceremony, the school administration reiterated its commitment to nurturing well-rounded individuals who not only excel academically but also thrive in co-curricular activities.

aimed to achieve interruption of transmission at district level evidenced by zero occurrence of new child cases for at least five consecutive years were discussed in this campaign. It was an eye opening and mind-altering session for JVKians.



## LEPROSY DETECTION AWARENESS CAMPAIGN ON JVK

The National Leprosy Eradication Programme (NLEP) is a Centrally Sponsored Health Scheme and it has been implemented with the major objective of reducing the disease burden, prevention of disability and to improve awareness among the mass about Leprosy and its curability.

This campaign was organized by the municipality in the JVK campus on 28th of July. The implementation of the National Strategic Plan and Roadmap for Leprosy 2023- 2027 for leprosy which





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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ISXDmQ3Gno>

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<https://www.youtube.com/shorts/ixH5DC3VVzQ>

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#### ACTIVITY BASED CLASSES

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vmHwjgl6zDc>

#### PUZZLE SOLVING ACTIVITY IN SJKG

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y\\_vli5lTbrU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y_vli5lTbrU)

#### THREADING THE BEADS ACTIVITY IN SJKG

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=porMYMuDb1M>

#### DISNEY CELEBRATION

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gslnn2il8eY&t=200s>

#### KAMARAJAR BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ONJnDDhtWzY>

