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Principal's Desk

JVK introduces an effective educational initiative that enriches the learning experience through two key components: classroom libraries and LSRW (Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing) skills development. The classroom library fosters a love for reading, offering students easy access to a wide variety of books, promoting literacy, and expanding their knowledge. Simultaneously, the LSRW approach focuses on honing crucial language skills, enabling students to effectively listen, speak, read, and write. This comprehensive approach enhances education by not only improving language proficiency but also fostering a lifelong passion for learning, enabling students to communicate effectively, think critically, and excel academically. Emphasizing reading through a well-stocked classroom library e-library in JVK is crucial as it encourages independent learning, cultivates a reading habit, and equips students with a lifelong tool for self-improvement. It enriches vocabulary, improves comprehension, and fosters a thirst for knowledge, which are essential elements for holistic education and personal development.



A JOURNEY OF DISCOVERY: EDUCATIONAL TOUR TO THE IIBAT

“It’s better to see something once than to hear about it a thousand times”

Education is at its most powerful when it transcends the boundaries of the classroom and textbook. An educational tour to the bio lab is one such remarkable journey, where students delve into the fascinating world of biology, gaining practical insights and igniting their curiosity. On 30th of September Joseph Vidhya Kshetra organized an educational tour to International Institute of Biotechnology and toxicology. Students of grade X-XII visited the lab.

Josephians explored the Microcosm of Life witnessing the intricate details of cells, tissues, and organisms up close. Students had the chance to engage in hands-on learning. They conducted experiments, handled biological specimens, and analyzed the data. This tactile experience deepened their understanding of biological principles and prepared them for future scientific endeavors. An educational tour to the bio lab fostered scientific curiosity. Students are encouraged to ask questions, make hypotheses and seek answers. This fosters critical thinking and problem-solving abilities.

Students witness the real-world applications of biology. They saw how the principles they study can be used to diagnose diseases, develop new medicines, conserve ecosystems, and more. This

practical exposure inspired them to consider the broader implications of biology in society.

This bio lab tour made the JVKians to focus on ecology and environmental science. Students gained a greater understanding of our interconnectedness with nature and the importance of preserving our environment. It instills a sense of responsibility and an appreciation for the delicate balance of life on Earth.

AKSHARABHYASAM CERMONY

“Education is passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today”

-Malcom X

The commencement of education is an crucial milestone in every child’s life. So it is requisite to start this journey on an auspicious day of Vijayadashami(24.10.23). Aksharabhyasam is the ceremonial induction of a child into the world of education. Initiation into the world of syllabary began with the writing of the letter 'अ' in a tray of rice grains by the child, under the supervision of parents. Writing on grains denotes the acquisition of knowledge, which leads to prosperity. New students were given admissions on that day.





The programme commenced in the presence of Mr. Ignatius Xavier A, Director of DFT group of Schools Chennai region, Sr. Roselin, Campus Superior of JVK & STJMHSS & Principal Mr. Manoj. V. A

* The programme began with the scripture reading and prayer followed by the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries.

* Children along with their parents wrote the initial letter 'அ' in the grains. Many parents showed evince interest in enrolling the child in the day of Vijayadasami. The day was highly optimistic and providential.

facilitators of Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Mrs. Velankani. D & Mrs. Usha Rani for their unique contribution and their commitment in enriching the lives of their students and improvising the quality of school education. It was a prideful moment and JVK was extremely motivated .

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FOR THE PROFOUND CONTRIBUTION OF TEACHERS IN SHAPING MINDS, BUILDING FUTURES

“Teachers can change lives with just the right mix of chalk and challenges.” – Joyce Meyer

The contribution of teachers is highly significant and can have a lasting impact on the lives of their students. A dedicated and effective teacher can be a powerful force for positive change and growth in the lives of the individuals they teach. Teachers play a vital role in the growth and learning of their students. Behind every successful person is a good teacher. They play a crucial role in the lives of students, not only in imparting academic knowledge but also in shaping their personal and social development. To show their commitment towards the education Rajalakshmi Institute of Technology & Madhubun Publisher honoured the





HONORING THE LEADERSHIP

“Good principal makes a school, a community, a place where students feel safe and supported.”

Taylor University, Robochamps, SA Indian School & Fly graduates presented the Top School Educator Award to Mr. Manoj. V. A Principal of Joseph Vidhya Kshetra for his unwavering dedication, leadership, and unmatched commitment which paved the way for academic excellence, groundbreaking initiatives, and a nurturing environment. For Josephians he is an embodiment of inspiration, motivating us to reach for the stars and dream without limits. In his astute leadership, we have flourished in countless ways. He has consistently prioritized the well-being of our students. He had made sure the JVK fostered a culture of inclusivity and empathy, ensuring that every child feels valued and supported. He helped the facilitators to recognize the potential in each student in helping them to overcome obstacles. Beyond the official duties, Mr. Manoj. V. A has been a friend, mentor, and confidant to students, teachers, and parents alike. His open-door policy and willingness to lend an ear have made him approachable and beloved by all. Under his leadership, we remain committed in upholding the values and standards that have been instilled in our school, ensuring that their impact endures for generations to come. Joseph Vidhya Kshetra shows its gratitude for being the beacon that has illuminated the path of the success.

FOSTERING EXCELLENCE: ASCENT COMPETITION

“Competition is a good thing; it forces us to do our best ”

In the world of education, there is no greater thrill than the camaraderie and competition that arise when schools actively participate in the inter-school competition. This exciting event transcends the boundaries of individual schools, uniting students, teachers, and parents in the pursuit of excellence, sportsmanship, and personal growth. The inter-school competition serves as a testament to the power of collective effort and celebration of talent. Inter-school competitions are a celebration of diversity. They bring together students with a wide range of backgrounds, talents, and interests, reflecting the rich tapestry of our educational community. This diversity is not just something to be acknowledged; it's something to be celebrated and embraced. It is in these diverse gatherings that students learn the true meaning of inclusion and unity. One such kind of competition was Ascent State Level Inter school competition. Preliminary round was conducted on the school premises on 30th of October. Various competition such as drawing, handwriting, essay writing, story writing, math talent, English talent & science talent were conducted. Students actively participated to prove their mettle. JVK strives hard for the betterment of its students directing them in right path and steering them in all their action.



UNLOCKING THE POWER OF LANGUAGE: INAUGURATION OF LANGUAGE LAB

“Knowledge of languages is the doorway of the wisdom”

In the heart of our institution, a remarkable space has come to life, promising to transform how we approach language learning and communication. The inauguration of our Language Lab marks a significant milestone in our educational journey, offering a cutting-edge platform for students and educators to explore the wonders of language and its profound impact on our lives.

A Hub of Innovation:

Our Language Lab is not just a room filled with technology; it's a hub of innovation and exploration. Equipped with state-of-the-art software and audio-visual tools, it provides a dynamic learning environment that caters to various aspects of language acquisition, from grammar and pronunciation to fluency and cultural understanding.

Personalized Learning:

One of the most remarkable features of the Language Lab is its ability to provide personalized learning experiences. Students can progress at their own pace, focusing on their specific language needs and goals. This tailored approach ensures that each student can maximize their language learning potential.

Interactive Learning:

The Language Lab fosters interactive learning. It is

not a passive environment where students simply listen and repeat. Instead, it encourages active participation, with opportunities for students to engage in conversations, exercises, and simulations. This dynamic approach makes language learning both engaging and effective.

Cultural Exploration:

Our Language Lab transcends the boundaries of linguistics. It also serves as a portal to explore the rich tapestry of cultures associated with the languages we study. Through multimedia content, students can delve into the art, history, literature, and customs of the communities that speak the languages they are learning.

Digital Resources:

The Language Lab is a treasure trove of digital resources. Students have access to a vast collection of language materials, including e-books, podcasts, and videos. These resources facilitate self-study and provide a well-rounded language learning experience.





Professional Development:

Our educators also benefit from the Language Lab. It equips them with tools to enhance their teaching methods and better cater to the diverse learning styles of their students. It is a space where instructors can collaborate, share insights, and further develop their pedagogical skills.

The inauguration of Language Lab signifies a profound commitment to excellence in language education. It is a testament to our dedication to providing the best learning experiences for our students and fostering a deep appreciation for the beauty and power of language. The Language Lab is not just a room; it's a gateway to a world of communication, culture, and connection. It is a space where students can unlock their linguistic potential, broaden their horizons, and embrace the wonders of the global community. As we embark on this exciting journey, we look forward to the endless possibilities and opportunities that our Language Lab offers, ensuring that our students are well-prepared for the diverse and interconnected world they will inherit.



EMPOWERING TEACHERS: CBSE TRAINING AND EDUCATIONAL INSIGHTS

On October 3, 2023, the academic coordinator of the DFT Schools, Mr. Vijimon Iyyappan, conducted a comprehensive orientation program focusing on the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) Board training at Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Senior Secondary School in Poonamallee. The event saw enthusiastic participation from all the teachers who were eager to enhance their teaching skills and classroom effectiveness.

During the session, Mr. Vijimon Iyyappan provided valuable insights on how to create a lively and engaging classroom environment and impart effective teaching. He emphasized the qualities expected of a CBSE teacher and encouraged educators to aspire to these standards. One key aspect of his address was the importance of staying up-to-date with the latest technologies and teaching methodologies to provide the best possible education to students. The orientation program was chaired by the school's principal, Mr. Manoj, who played a crucial role in facilitating the event. The program commenced at 9:00 AM and continued until 12:00 PM, allowing ample time for interaction and discussion. Teachers actively participated and raised queries about competency-based teaching approaches, seeking clarity and guidance.

Mr. Vijimon Iyyappan also stressed the significance of maintaining proper evidence



records of students' progress and academic achievements. Keeping meticulous records enables educators to track and evaluate students' growth effectively, contributing to a well-rounded learning experience.

In addition to the pedagogical aspects, Mr. Vijimon emphasized the need for teachers to place a strong emphasis on language skills. Language proficiency is fundamental in enabling students to express themselves effectively and comprehend various subjects, including science, mathematics, and social studies. By giving language the importance it deserves, educators can ensure that students are well-equipped to succeed academically and in life.

The orientation program led by Mr. Vijimon Iyyappan at Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Senior Secondary School served as a valuable platform for teachers to enhance their teaching methods, understand CBSE requirements, and foster a stimulating learning environment. The active participation of the teaching staff and the guidance provided by the academic coordinator promise a brighter future for both teachers and students at the school.

FOSTERING ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND COLLABORATION

“Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress, working together is success”

-Henry Ford

In a momentous gathering, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra, organized a Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM) and an academic review following the culmination of the first terminal examination. This comprehensive event encompassed students from Kindergarten to the twelfth grade and took place on October 21, 2023, running from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM.

Parents enthusiastically attended the event, creating a crucial link between educators and families. The PTM allowed parents to gain valuable insights into their child's academic progress, behavior, and overall development. During the morning session, parents interacted with class teachers, facilitating collaboration between school and parents for student success. In the afternoon, the entire teaching staff assembled for an academic meeting with the school's Principal, Mr. Manoj, and Director, Mr. Ignatius Xavier. This meeting provided teachers with a platform to deliberate upon the overall progress of their classes.

Principal Mr. Manoj emphasized proactive planning for students with academic challenges, urging teachers to employ customized strategies. He also stressed the importance of language skills for holistic development, urging the teaching staff to prioritize their nurturing in students' academic journeys.





Director Mr. Ignatius Xavier also took the opportunity to address the gathering, shedding light on the indispensable role of teachers in preparing students, specifically those in classes X and XII, for their impending board exams. He urged the school community to intensify their focus on these students, acknowledging the paramount importance of their academic achievements as they approach these critical examinations.

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's Parent-Teacher Meeting showcased their commitment to holistic education. With active parental involvement and school leadership's guidance, it fosters academic growth and overall development, emphasizing the importance of collaboration.

MEMORABLE MOMENTS AND SCIENTIFIC MARVELS: SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON II

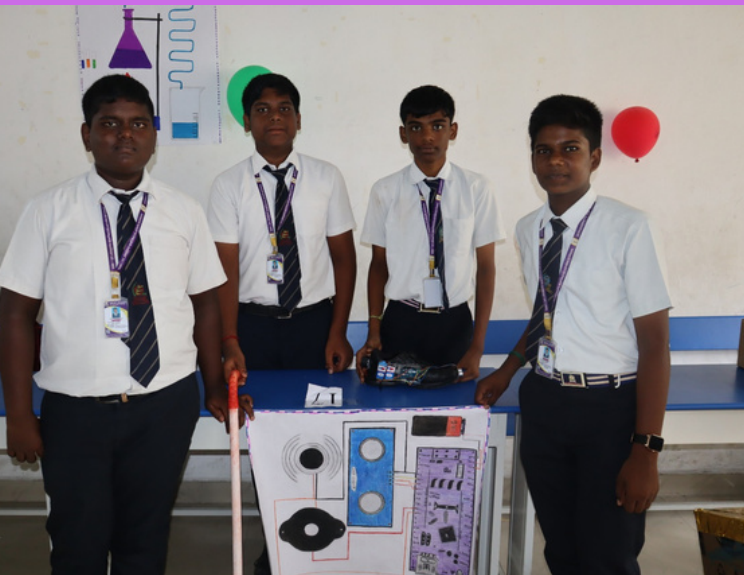
On October 14, 2023, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Senior Secondary School in Poonamallee hosted the magnificent Splendid Eureka Season II – a science fest, dedicated to the memory of the late Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam. This remarkable event took place on the school campus at 8:30 AM, and it was a result of a month of diligent preparation by the school management, faculty, and students. The event was conducted in two sessions, with the morning session being presided over by a distinguished panel of guests, including Dr. J. Daniel Chellapa, an eminent nuclear scientist, Prof. M. J. Xavier, a Professor of Marketing and Business Analytics at

LIBA in Chennai, Mr. Mohanamoorthi, CEO of Ispark Chennai, Mr. Michael and Mr. Choikalingam, members of the Rotary Club, Mr. Ignatius Xavier Director, Sr. Jehani Secretary, Sr. Mourin Correspondent, Sr. Roselin Campus Superior, Mr. Manoj VA JVK Principal, and Mr. Robert Rajan Principal of St. Joseph Matric Higher Secondary School, Poonamallee.

The morning session of the Splendid Eureka event featured an array of competitions, making it a truly captivating experience. These contests included science exhibitions, debates, ramp walks, mimes, short films, collage-making, quizzes, connections, poster design, and TED Talks, all categorized into two segments. The event was inaugurated by the chief guest, and even the youngest students from KG showcased their talents through active participation in science projects.

Under the enchanting umbrella of Splendid Eureka, the dedicated teachers of JVK orchestrated a symphony of talent and creativity, showcasing the incredible abilities of the students. Dr. J. Daniel Chellapa, the eminent nuclear scientist from Chennai, along with our respected principal, correspondent, and administrative team, added to the morning's splendor with a series of captivating events. The chief guest's motivating speech left a lasting impact on the students.

The valediction ceremony in the afternoon was chaired by Mr. Ramesh Atmakuru, the esteemed Director of the International Institute of



Biotechnology and Toxicology, and Mr. K. Dinesh Kumar, a Mechanical Engineering graduate with an M.Tech in Footwear Science and Engineering from Anna University, alongside the school management. Trophies and certificates were awarded to the winners in various categories, and the chief guest congratulated the students. Distinguished guests from different institutions also graced the event.

St. Joseph Matric Hr Sec School, Poonamallee, emerged as the overall champions, showcasing their exceptional skills. The event also featured a remarkable performance by a child from Pollivakam who had participated in a world-record event related to abacus schooling. It was indeed a day of celebrating talent and knowledge, and schools from the surrounding area actively participated in the program.

Beyond science-related competitions, the event also featured fun games and stalls, attracting parents who came to visit the exhibition and encourage the students. Each school had its moment to shine, and JVK students participated in the science project exhibition, with prizes distributed class-wise.

The Splendid Eureka Season II was a resounding success, not only in celebrating science and knowledge but also in fostering a spirit of friendly competition and camaraderie among the participating schools. The dedication of the school management, faculty, and students, as well as the support of distinguished guests, made this event a memorable and inspirational day for all involved.

BRUSHES, IMAGINATION, AND BRILLIANCE : ART EXTRAVAGANZA

On October 26, 2023, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra, Poonamallee, hosted an eagerly awaited Intra-School Art Competition for students from LKG to ninth grade. Guided by Principal Mr. Manoj, the cultural department, and a dedicated arts teacher, the event was a vibrant display of youthful creativity, featuring diverse art forms and enthusiastic participation.

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's cultural department played a pivotal role in the event's seamless organization. They expertly managed logistics, oversaw judging, and provided a secure platform for student artwork, showcasing unwavering commitment and meticulous attention to detail.

The school's art teacher was instrumental in guiding and mentoring students, offering valuable insights, techniques, and constructive feedback, enabling students to refine their skills and unlock their creative potential.

Beyond being a mere celebration of art, the competition served as a valuable learning experience. It instilled in students an appreciation for creativity, aesthetics, and self-expression. The displayed artworks testified to the abundant talent within Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's student body, exemplifying their artistic potential.

This event celebrated creativity, leaving a lasting impact and highlighting the school's commitment to nurturing well-rounded individuals.



JVK'S RISING ART STARS: TRIUMPH AT MEGA ART SHOWCASE - 2023

Students from Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Sr Sec School, Poonamallee, showcased their exceptional artistic talents at the "MEGA ART SHOWCASE AND ART BATTLE – 2023," a mega art exhibition and competition held at ST. Joseph's Residential School Sr Sec School, Sriperumbudur – CBSE. The event took place on October 28, 2023, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Approximately 100 JVK students, ranging from Kindergarten to the ninth standard, participated in this extraordinary art competition under the guidance of their dedicated art teacher and other educators. The students' creative spirit and artistic prowess shone through as they engaged in an intra-school competition featuring a wide array of art forms, including coloring (fruits and vegetables), food grains art, pencil scrap art, bangles art, ice cream stick art, glitter art, pot painting, glass painting, coffee painting, and art on black chart.

The students not only demonstrated their artistic skills but also emerged as champions, winning multiple prizes and securing the overall championship under the guidance of their esteemed educators.

The school's Principal, along with the school management and staff members, lauded the students for their remarkable achievements, recognizing their dedication, hard work, and passion for the arts. This event not only celebrated the students' creativity but also highlighted the school's commitment

to nurturing well-rounded individuals who excel in both academics and extracurricular pursuits. It was truly a proud moment for Joseph Vidhya Kshetra and its talented students.

OLYMPIAD SPARKS CURIOSITY AT JOSEPH VIDHYA KSHETRA SCHOOL

In a quest to foster academic excellence and encourage students' interest in various subjects, the Joseph Vidhya Kshetra School conducted the Olympiad General Knowledge (IGKO) Examination for students in Grades III to IX. The examination took place in the school's library and saw the participation of a total of 40 students from various grade levels.

This prestigious competition designed to test students' knowledge on various topics, proved to be an exciting and challenging opportunity for young minds. The event saw the enthusiastic participation of students who were eager to showcase their knowledge and problem-solving skills. Students were required to answer a series of questions that covered a wide range of topics. The examination aimed to promote critical thinking and reasoning skills among the students, regardless of their age or grade level.

The Olympiad GK Exam at Joseph Vidhya Kshetra School served as the precursor to the upcoming English, Science, and Mathematics Olympiad exams. These forthcoming Olympiads will continue to challenge and inspire students in their respective fields, providing them with an opportunity to excel



in language, scientific knowledge, and mathematical skills.

With the successful completion of the GK Olympiad Exam, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra School reaffirms its dedication to providing a high-quality education that goes beyond the classroom and encourages students to reach for the stars in their pursuit of knowledge.

ENGLISH FIESTA-SPELL BEE COMPETITION

The Spell Bee competition, held on 28th October, was a highly anticipated event organized by Joseph Vidhya Kshetra. The competition aimed to enhance the spelling abilities of participants, encouraging them to improve their vocabulary and language skills. The competition saw enthusiastic participation from students of various age groups. A total of 150+ students competed in the event, showcasing their exceptional spelling prowess. The competition comprised several rounds, each designed to challenge the participants' spelling abilities at different levels. The initial round of Spell bee competition was structured on 28th. Participants were judged based on their accuracy in spelling words provided by the educators. Each correctly spelled word earned points for the participants, and those with the highest scores and minimum timeline advanced to the next rounds. The competition witnessed fierce but friendly rivalry among the participants, who displayed

remarkably calm and confidence. The Spell Bee competition proved to be an intellectually stimulating event, promoting healthy competition among students and encouraging them to excel in their language skills. The competition not only highlighted the linguistic abilities of the students but also fostered a sense of camaraderie and sportsmanship among the participants.

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra express its heartfelt gratitude to all the participants and parents who made this event possible and looking forward to organize more such intellectually stimulating competitions in the future.



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SPLENDID EUREKA-SEASON 2



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JVK'S INTRA SCHOOL COMPETITION

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