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**Hosur Road, Bengaluru**

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# Intro

India, a land rich in culture and traditions, is home to a multitude of festivals that bring people together, transcending barriers of region and language, and faith. So why sit home and get bored when our school is full of fun and learning. This festive season, grade 8 of National Public School, Hosur Road has various moments of non-stop events. From the bright lights of Diwali to the vibrant celebrations of Dussehra, and the non-stop activities during Children's Day, each festival reflects our diverse heritage and values. Let this festive season bring a renewed sense of joy and togetherness to all of us, both in our hearts and in our communities.

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# MEET THE *editors*

## *Avni Bagla*

Hi, I'm Avni. When I'm not reading, I write, or play keyboard and I enjoy playing badminton and basketball to stay active. I'm looking forward for more adventures and creative ideas ahead.



## *Devanshi Chakraborty*

I'm Devanshi, a passionate dancer and bookworm who loves writing stories and poems. Words come naturally to me, and I enjoy expressing myself through writing. .



## *Aditya Kumar Mishra*

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## *Krsna Thakur*

I am Krsna, a curious soul drawn to the mysteries of the world. I explore the unknown, uncovering the secrets. I have a natural ability to solve technical puzzles





Articles &  
Poems

# HEALTHY EATING HABITS

## A SIMPLE GUIDE

HEALTHY EATING DOESN'T HAVE TO BE COMPLICATED. HERE'S A QUICK GUIDE TO MAKE IT ENJOYABLE:

1. **Eat a Variety:** Fill your plate with colorful fruits, vegetables, lean proteins, and whole grains to get all the nutrients you need.
2. **Portion Control:** Use smaller plates and take your time eating to avoid overeating.
3. **Regular Meals:** Stick to regular meal times to keep your energy steady throughout the day.
4. **Stay Hydrated:** Drink plenty of water to stay refreshed and energized.
5. **Choose Whole Foods:** Opt for fresh, whole foods over processed ones for better nutrition.
6. **Mindful Eating:** Focus on your food and enjoy the flavors to help with digestion and prevent overeating.
7. **Cook at Home:** Experiment with healthy recipes to make mealtime fun and control what's in your food.

AVNI BAGLA 8B

# The logistics of aircraft luggage

When you check in your luggage at the airport, a tag with your details and a barcode is attached to it, allowing the bag to be tracked throughout its journey. This tag, with an RFID chip, ensures your luggage is monitored regardless of the airport's technology level. The bag is then placed on an 11-kilometre conveyor system, where barcode scanners direct it to the correct pier based on its flight.

At the pier, an employee sorts the luggage into two carts: one for bags going to their final destination and the other for bags with connecting flights. About 45 minutes before take-off, both carts are taken to the gate, where workers load them into the cargo hold. The connecting flight bags are kept separate from those going directly to the destination.

Upon arrival, the bags are unloaded from the cargo hold onto a conveyor belt and scanned. They then move to the Destination Coded Vehicles (DCV), a 30-kilometre system of tracks with 4,000 carts traveling at speeds of 24-40 km/h. The system uses two loops to transport the bags efficiently. Cameras ensure bags are dropped at the right time, and the system directs them to the correct conveyor, allowing passengers to quickly collect their luggage without delay.



# Igniting Scientific Awareness

## Fueling Curiosity and Lighting Pathways

Science is a subject which stands as one of the most vital and transformative fields of study in human history. Through diligent observation, experimentation, and analysis, science unravels the mysteries of the universe, illuminating the works of the natural world. It is the cornerstone of technological advancement, medical breakthroughs, and environmental conservation efforts. From the past till now, science has been continuously helping us. We also have had many renowned scientists who have unearthed the past of science and voyaged into the dwells of science, which led them to invent various mechanisms and tools that today help us in day-to-day life. Hence, human communities need to stimulate scientific awareness and its various benefits.

This type of communication and awareness is known as scientific literacy. Scientific literacy isn't about memorizing long facts or performing studies on the various theories and principles that science has in store. But it is encouraging people about the scientific developments that have made speedy progress and have satisfied the needs of humans and how commoners can benefit from them. This practice is also about aiding critical thinking and promoting curiosity. Science is the backbone of economic growth, boosts industries, improves healthcare and contributes to improvements in agriculture to ensure food security. Scientific education and research are crucial for ambitious entrepreneurs, global leaders and many aspiring fields.

To encourage scientific awareness, we must invest in quality science education, promote science communication through public engagement, foster scientific developments and benefits through mass media communication, leverage technology for accessibility and celebrate scientific achievements.

By embracing scientific awareness, we equip ourselves and others to withstand upcoming challenges and to prepare the young and old into a fruitful nature. In this way, we can play a pivotal role in the prosperity of our nation.

# TRIBES OF ANDAMAN: GUARDIANS OF AN ANCIENT WORLD

The Andaman Islands, a tropical paradise in the Bay of Bengal, is home to some of the world's most unique and isolated tribes, including the Jarwas, Sentinalese, and Onge. These communities have preserved their ancient way of life for centuries, living in harmony with nature. They hunt with bows and arrows, gather food from the forests, and navigate the waters using traditional canoes, all without the influence of modern technology. The Sentinalese remain one of the few tribes with little contact with outsiders, while the Jarwas live a semi-nomadic lifestyle, and the Onge maintain a deep connection to the land and sea. Despite outside pressures, these tribes continue to thrive, serving as a powerful reminder of the importance of cultural preservation and the quiet strength found in a simpler way of life.

Jagruthi 8B

# Sunita Williams

## A Stellar Journey continues!

Sunita Williams, a trailblazing astronaut, continues to inspire millions with her unwavering spirit and dedication to space exploration. Currently aboard the International Space Station (ISS), she is actively involved in groundbreaking research and spacewalk activities, pushing the boundaries of human potential. Williams's journey to space has been marked by numerous achievements, including setting records for the longest single spaceflight by a woman and conducting multiple spacewalks. Her unwavering commitment to science and exploration has made her a role model for aspiring astronauts and scientists around the world. Despite facing some health challenges associated with long-duration spaceflight, Williams remains dedicated to her mission and is in good health. Her dedication to her craft and her unwavering spirit serve as an inspiration to all who dream of reaching for the stars

# The Floral Beauty



In my garden of varied green,  
Where the flowers and orchids blooms.  
And the lotus and tulips keep shining,  
In the pond they look like the moon.

When the sun rises between the tamarinds,  
And the bamboos growing tall.  
With the reflection in the pond waters,  
Like a silver serpent on the wall.

With all these exhilarating memories,  
My garden is like a heaven to me.  
With all the ornate and beauty  
It looks like primordial bliss.



Devanshi Chakraborty 8A

# Ashen Wings

Every time you struggle to climb up but  
people drag you down,  
every time people snatch from your  
fingertips your deserved crown.

Never stop fighting,  
Even when around you blazing flames are  
lighting.

It's time to stop crumbling back to the  
ground and instead rise out of the ashes  
as a fiery phoenix.

Veeksha Hosamane 8A



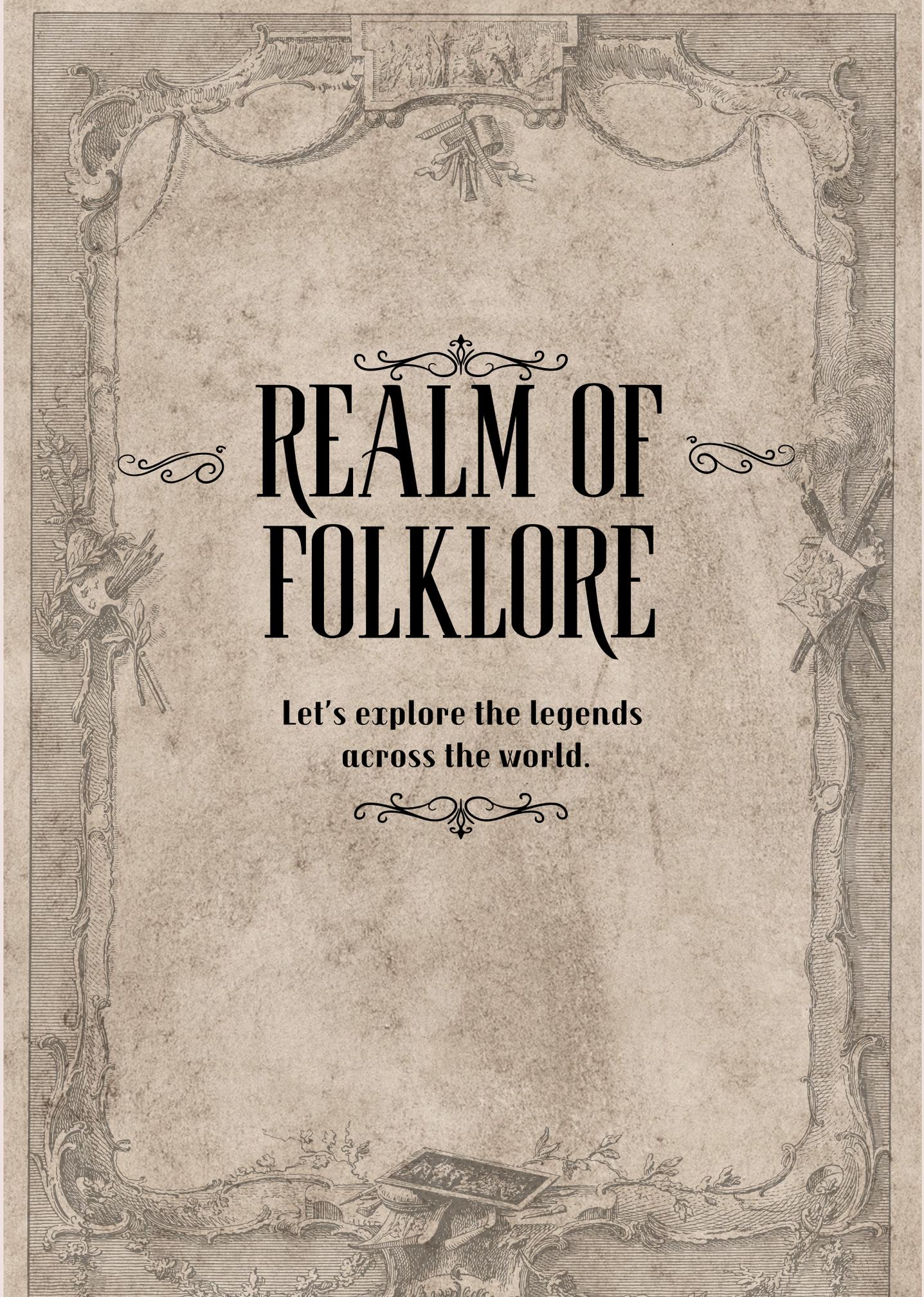
# <insert> <SCAMS> <here>

Scams are fraudulent schemes designed to deceive individuals into giving away money, personal information, or valuables by using manipulation and misrepresentation. These scams can take place both online and offline and often involve various tactics to trick victims. Common types of scams include phishing, where scammers impersonate trusted organizations like banks or tech companies to steal personal data; online shopping frauds, where fake websites lure customers with low prices only to steal money or send counterfeit products; and lottery or prize scams, where victims are told they've won a prize but must pay fees to claim it. Other scams include investment schemes promising high returns with little risk, tech support frauds that trick people into paying for non-existent issues, romance scams where online relationships are used to ask for money, impersonation scams that involve scammers pretending to be friends, family, or officials, charity scams that steal donations, and work-from-home scams that require upfront fees for fake job opportunities. To protect yourself, it's crucial to be skeptical of offers that seem too good to be true, always verify the identity of contacts or organizations before sharing sensitive information, and ensure websites are secure by checking for HTTPS encryption and padlock symbols. Additionally, use strong and unique passwords for your online accounts and enable two-factor authentication whenever possible. Reporting scams to relevant authorities and staying cautious can significantly reduce the risk of falling victim to such fraudulent schemes.

# THE LOST AND SECRET CITY OF DWARKA

The lost city of Dwarka, often mentioned in ancient Indian texts, is a legendary city that was said to be the kingdom of Lord Krishna. According to Hindu legends, Dwarka was a magnificent, highly advanced city built on the shore of the Arabian Sea, which submerged after Krishna's departure from the Earth. Archeological discoveries along the coast of Gujarat, where Dwarka is believed to have existed, have led some to speculate that the city could have been a historical location, submerged due to a natural disaster or sea level rise. Underwater ruins, including stone structures and submerged roads, have been uncovered near the modern day Dwarka, igniting debates about the city's existence and its significance in history. While some view these findings as evidence of a lost civilization, others regard them as part of folklore storytelling, adding an air of mystery to the search for Dwarka.





# REALM OF FOLKLORE

Let's explore the legends  
across the world.

# Greek Gods: The Divine Pantheon

In Ancient Greece, gods and goddesses played a central role in everyday life. Each deity represented different aspects of nature and human experience.

- Zeus: King of the gods and god of the sky and thunder. He wielded the powerful thunderbolt.
- Hera: Queen of the gods, goddess of marriage and family.
- Poseidon: God of the sea, earthquakes, and horses, often depicted with his trident.
- Athena: Goddess of wisdom, courage, and warfare, protector of Athens.
- Apollo: God of the sun, music, and prophecy, known for his beauty and youth.
- Artemis: Goddess of the hunt and wilderness, protector of women and children.
- Ares: God of war, embodying the chaos of battle.
- Aphrodite: Goddess of love and beauty, born from the sea foam.
- Hermes: Messenger god, associated with travel, commerce, and speed.
- Hades: God of the underworld, ruling over the dead.
- These gods were central to Greek myths and continue to inspire art, literature, and culture today.

Source --Theoi Greek Mythology

# Egyptian Gods

Egyptian mythology features gods and goddesses who controlled various aspects of life, nature, and the afterlife.

- Ra: Sun God, creator of life, often depicted with a falcon head and sun disk.
- Osiris: God of the afterlife and resurrection, ruler of the dead.
- Isis: Goddess of magic and motherhood, wife of Osiris, known for healing and protection.
- Horus: Sky god and protector of Egypt, often shown as a falcon.
- Anubis: God of mummification and the afterlife, with a jackal head.
- Set: God of chaos and violence, brother of Osiris, symbolizing disorder.
- Thoth: God of wisdom and writing, depicted with the head of an ibis.
- Ma'at: Goddess of truth and justice, representing balance and order.
- Bastet: Goddess of home, often shown as a cat or lioness.
- Sekhmet: Goddess of war and healing, depicted as a lioness.
- These gods were central to Egyptian beliefs about life, death, and cosmic order, with each one playing a vital role in the balance of the universe.

Source-Encyclopedia Britannica

# Norse Mythology: Gods and Legends

Norse mythology features gods, goddesses, and creatures that shape the world and its fate.

- **Odin:** Allfather, god of wisdom and war, sacrifices an eye for knowledge.
- **Thor:** God of thunder, protector of gods and humans, wields the hammer Mjöltnir.
- **Loki:** Trickster god, shape-shifter, causes trouble but is key in many myths.
- **Freya:** Goddess of love, beauty, and war, receives half of the fallen warriors.
- **Baldur:** God of beauty and light, his death leads to Ragnarök.
- **Tyr:** God of war, sacrifices his hand to bind the wolf Fenrir.
- **Heimdall:** Guardian of the gods, protects the Bifröst bridge.
- **Frigg:** Goddess of marriage and motherhood, Odin's wife.
- **Fenrir:** Giant wolf, prophesied to kill Odin at Ragnarök.
- **Jörmungandr:** Midgard Serpent, destined to fight Thor at Ragnarök.

Norse mythology centers on themes of fate, bravery, and the end of the world, Ragnarök, where gods and giants clash, leading to rebirth.



# FUN CORNER

# Riddles

1) I am an odd number. Take away one letter, and I become even.

What number am I?

2) I go all around the world but always stay in the corner. What

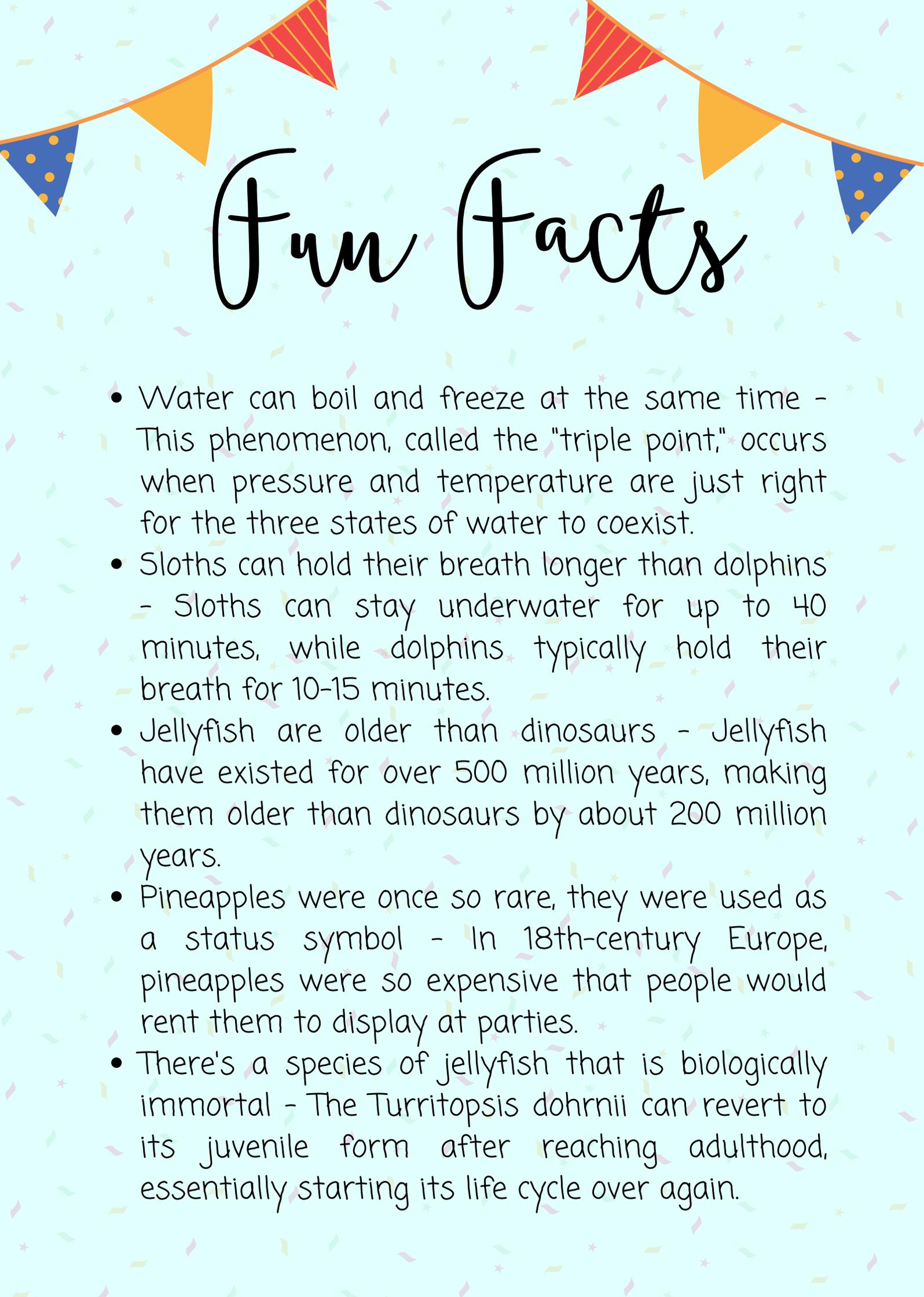
am I?

3) I speak without a mouth and hear without ears. I have no body, but I come alive with wind. What am I?

4) The more you take, the more you leave behind. What am I?

5) I am always hungry. I must always be fed. The finger I touch will soon turn red. What am I?

Answer: 1. Seven 2. Stamp. 3) Echo 4) Footsteps 5) Fire.



# Fun Facts

- Water can boil and freeze at the same time - This phenomenon, called the "triple point," occurs when pressure and temperature are just right for the three states of water to coexist.
- Sloths can hold their breath longer than dolphins - Sloths can stay underwater for up to 40 minutes, while dolphins typically hold their breath for 10-15 minutes.
- Jellyfish are older than dinosaurs - Jellyfish have existed for over 500 million years, making them older than dinosaurs by about 200 million years.
- Pineapples were once so rare, they were used as a status symbol - In 18th-century Europe, pineapples were so expensive that people would rent them to display at parties.
- There's a species of jellyfish that is biologically immortal - The *Turritopsis dohrnii* can revert to its juvenile form after reaching adulthood, essentially starting its life cycle over again.

# Jokes



Why did the bicycle fall over?  
Because it was two-tired!

What do you get if you cross a snowman and a  
dog?  
Frostbite!

Why don't skeletons fight each other?  
Because they don't have the guts!

What do you call fake spaghetti?  
An impasta!

What's orange and sounds like a parrot?  
A carrot!

Why can't your nose be 12 inches long?  
Because then it would be a foot!

What did one plate say to the other plate?  
Lunch is on me!

# Word Search

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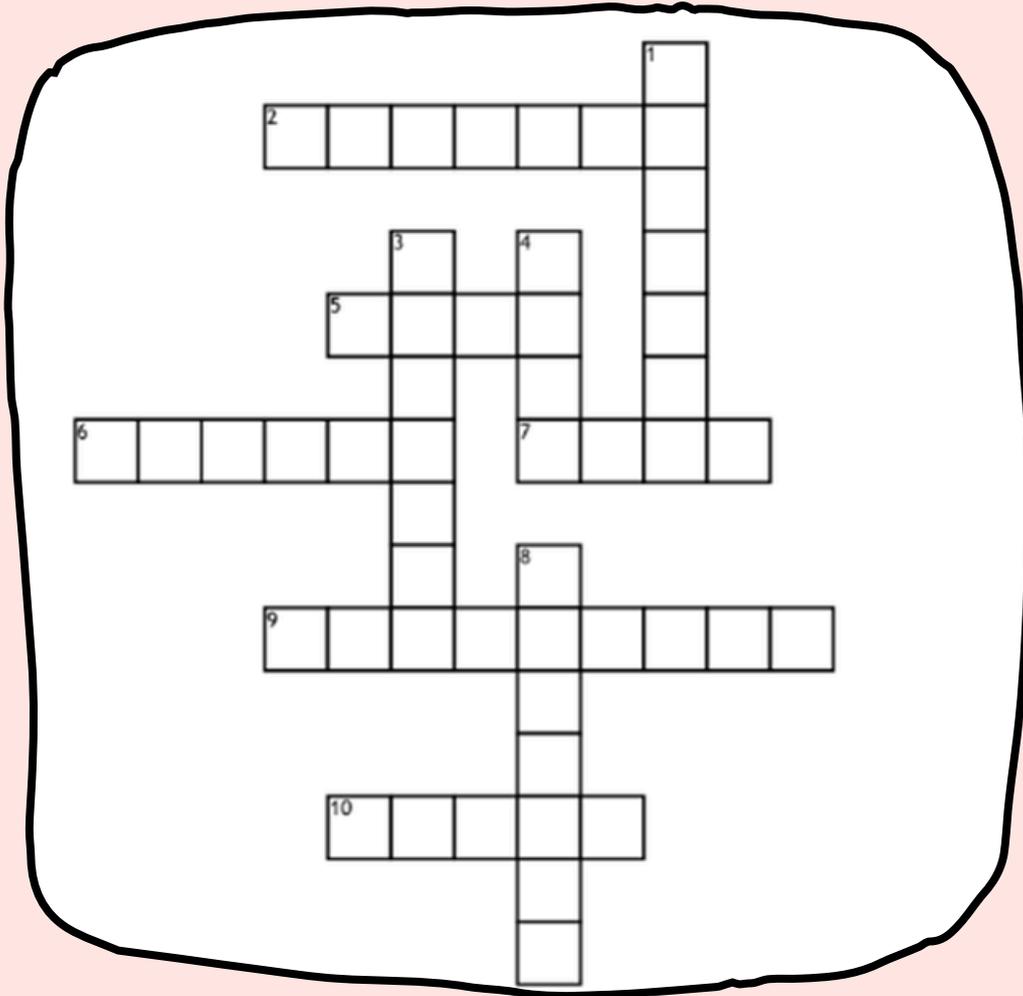
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G A D U S S H E R A  
S M G O D D E S S P

# CROSS

Word

Diwali Edition



### Across

2. Diwali Hindus marks the return of the deities (gods) Rama and Sita to the city of?
5. Which goddess is worshipped on Diwali in the region of Bengal?
6. On Diwali People exchange gifts and?
7. Diwali is a celebration of good triumphing over?
9. Which English city has the biggest Diwali celebrations outside of India?

10. Which deity is worshipped on the eve of Dhanteras?

### Down

1. Beautiful patterns made using colorful powders and flowers?
3. Diwali honours the Hindu goddess of wealth?
4. Diwali takes place annually and lasts for how many days?
8. Diwali Marks the starts of what for Hindus?



# Artworks



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Aditya Kumar Mishra 8B



Navya Sharma 8A



Reesha Sanchawat, 8A





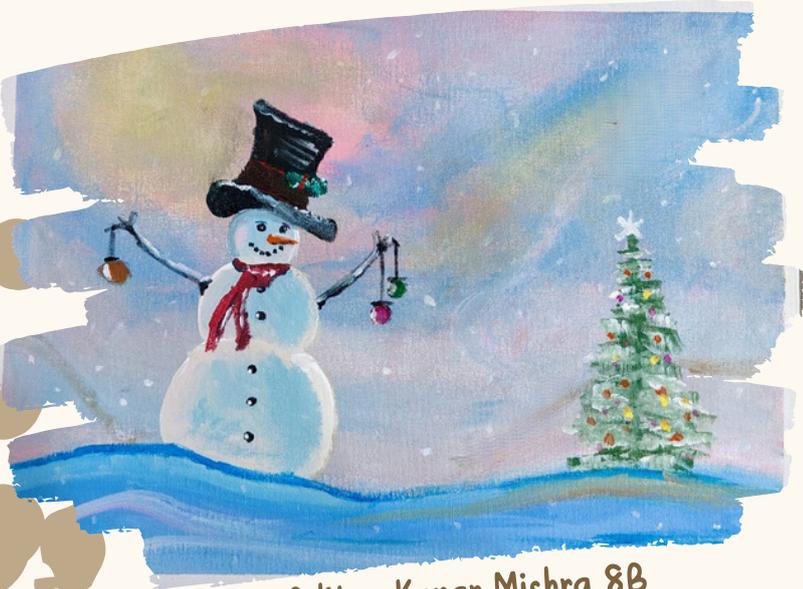
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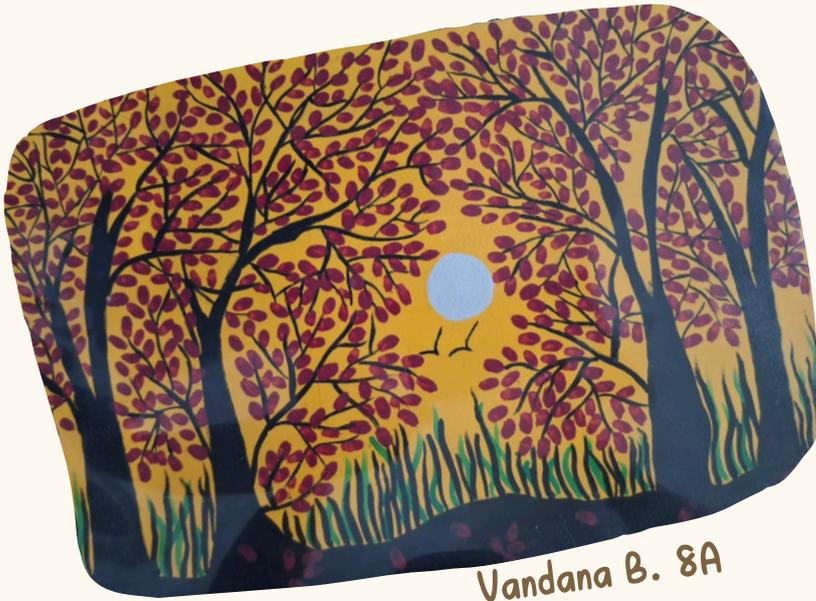


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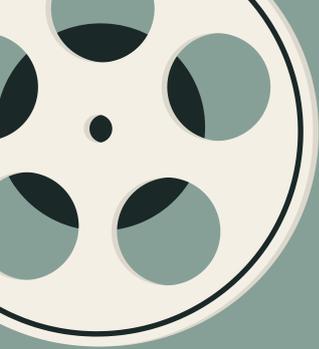


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# PHOTO GRAPHS

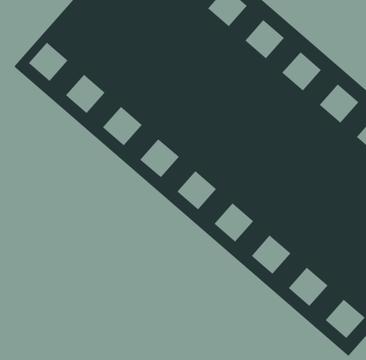


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Mukundh Ganesh 8B





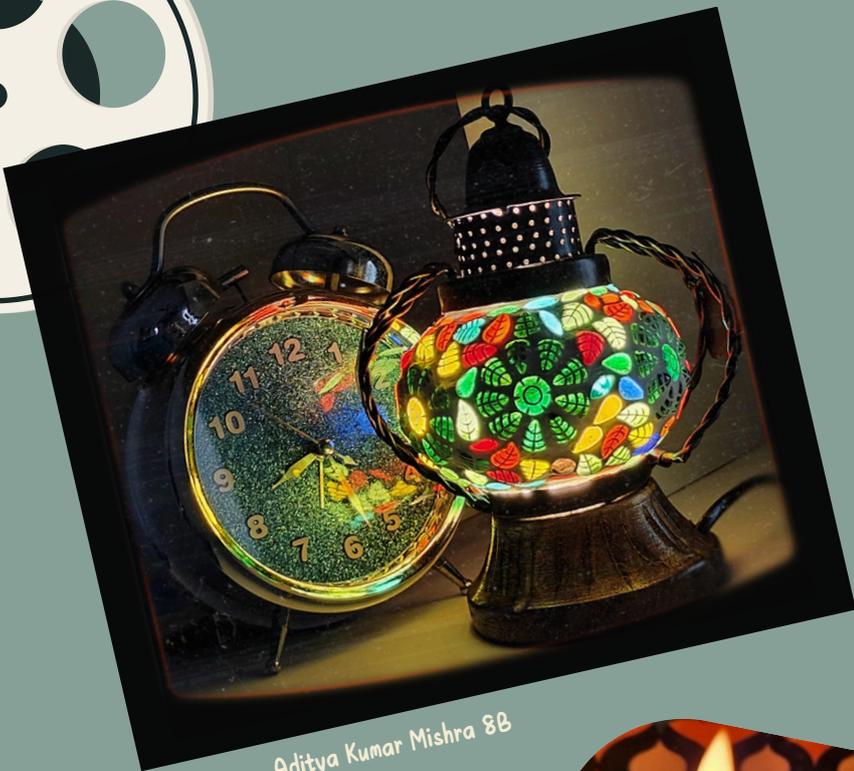
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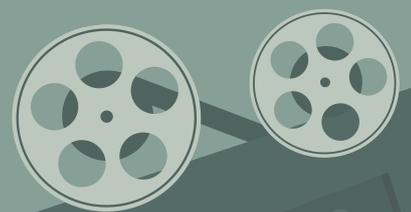
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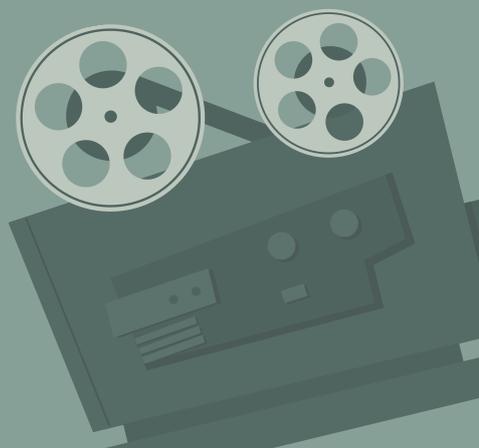
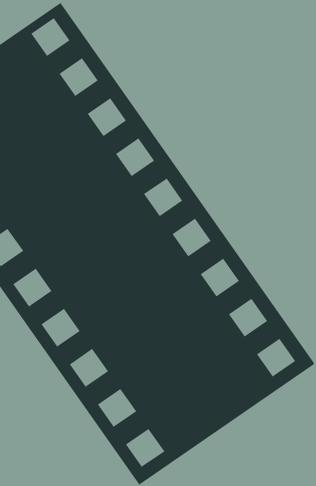
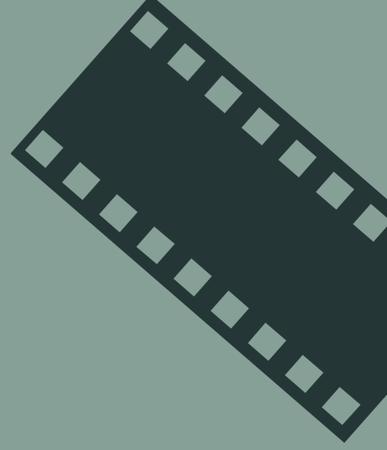
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# EVENTS



# DUSSEHRA

*"Embrace victory, ignite positivity"*

Dussehra, also known as Vijayadashami is one of the major Hindu festivals celebrated across India. It marks the victory of good over evil.

We commemorated Dussehra in our school by arranging a vibrant Bommai Golu in the quadrangle. Young hearts chanted shlokas, sang bhajans, and participated in a splendid puja, culminating in the delightful distribution of sweets on the 8th of October, marking the final working day of Semester 1.





# Diwali

*"May each Diya brighten your life"*

"Diwali, the Festival of Lights, is a time for celebrations, prayers for prosperity, and family gatherings. It is marked by lighting lamps, bursting fireworks, and sharing sweets and gifts. The festival also symbolizes new beginnings and the triumph of goodness over evil"

**We celebrated Diwali in our school by creating a huge colorful rangoli decorated with Diyas and flower petals. Students decorated their classrooms and lit the Diyas all around the campus.**







# Kannada

## RAJYOTSAVA

“ಕನ್ನಡ ಉಳಿಸಿ ಕನ್ನಡ ಬೆಳಿಸಿ”



*Kannada Rajyotsava, celebrated on the auspicious day of November 1st, commemorates the birth of the illustrious state of Karnataka. It is a moment to celebrate the vibrant tapestry of cultural heritage, language, and the harmonious unity of its beloved people.*

Various cultural programs marked Kannada Rajyotsava celebration in our school. Students sung melodious songs and performed traditional dances which made the program a memorable one.







# Donation Drive

*A graceful stride into compassion.*

A school donation drive was held to support a local charity, with students donating clothes, stationery and non perishable food items. Students and staff worked together to collect and organize the items, which were then delivered to the charity to assist children in need. The event fostered a sense of community and compassion among students while making a positive impact on those less fortunate.

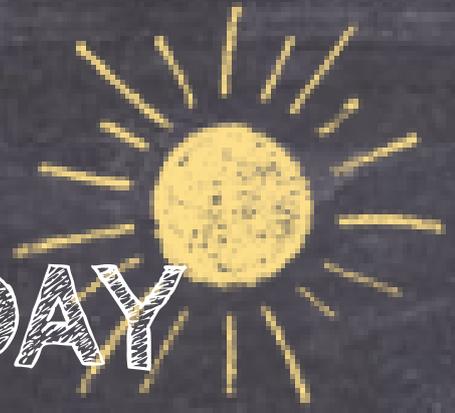


# ANTI-BULLYING DAY

Anti-Bullying Day, 1st of November is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the negative impact of bullying and promoting kindness, respect, and inclusion. Often marked by wearing pink, it encourages people to stand against bullying in all forms—physical, verbal, and cyber. The day aims to foster empathy, understanding, and create safer environments where everyone feels valued and supported. By educating individuals and communities, Anti-Bullying Day strives to eliminate bullying and inspire positive change.



# CHILDREN'S DAY



*"Every child is a different kind of flower and all together make this a world a beautiful garden"*



Children's Day, celebrated on November 14th, honours Jawaharlal Nehru's birth anniversary and emphasizes children's well-being with fun activities and events that promotes a nurturing environment for young minds

Children's Day at our school was filled with fun activities and games like tug-of-war, treasure hunt, pass the hoop, and more. We also enjoyed a lively group dance performed by our teachers, followed by movie time in the classrooms.

It was a day full of amazing memories!





# BATTLE OF BANDS

17 NOVEMBER, 2024

*The event "Lumiere II" took place at Bishop Cotton's Girls School, where our school participated in a tough competition with teams from various institutions. After a fierce contest, we secured second place and were awarded a prize worth ₹4000. In a heartwarming gesture, we decided to donate the entire prize amount to a cancer charity, reflecting our commitment to giving back to the community.*



# Constitution Day

**"In the Indian Constitution, we find the promise of justice, liberty, and equality."**

**– Dr. B.R. Ambedkar**



Constitution Day in India, observed on November 26th, celebrates the adoption of the Indian Constitution in 1949 and honors its principles of justice, liberty, and equality.

"A special assembly was conducted to highlight the importance of Constitution Day, followed by reading of the Preamble. In addition, a poster-making activity was organized across all grades, with the theme centered on National Constitution Day."





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# NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

"A room without books is like a body without a soul."  
– Marcus Tullius Cicero



National Library Week celebrates the vital role libraries play in fostering education and community engagement. It highlights the importance of access to information, reading, and lifelong learning.

We celebrated National Library Week with a "Wake Up and Read" poster-making activity, where students created vibrant posters to encourage reading and highlight the importance of libraries.





# THANK YOU!

In this special edition of our newsletter, we're excited to share some of the highlights and festive cheer that made this time of year so magical. We hope you enjoy reading about the many ways our school community is celebrating the festivals!

# Kindergarten 2024-25

# Rajyotsava Celebration

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**Karnataka Rajyotsava, celebrated on November 1st, marks the formation of Karnataka in 1956—a day that unites the spirit of our beloved state. At Glow Montessori Centre, this momentous occasion was brought to life on November 12, 2024, with our Kindergarten students showcasing the vibrant culture and heritage of Karnataka. Our school's quadrangle was transformed into a mesmerizing stage for showcasing Karnataka's rich cultural heritage. The celebrations began with the welcome speech in Kannada by the child. Our talented students also presented soul-stirring renditions of Kannada songs and danced to pay tribute to the state's rich cultural heritage that stirred the emotions in the hearts of the audience. The Rajyotsava Celebrations showcased the deep-rooted and valuable traditions and culture of Karnataka, thereby educating the young students about their rich heritage. It was a day to remember and cherish our beautiful state's culture and heritage. Jai Karnataka!**

# Kindergarten 2024-25 Childrens Day Celebration

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At Glow Montessori Centre, our kindergarten Children's Day, packed with exciting activities and memorable moments was a weeklong celebration. Each day was uniquely themed to bring smiles, laughter, and learning for our little stars. The week began with various entertainment activities like "Freeze dance" which was a fun-filled day for tiny tots as they danced to peppy numbers. "Bubbles Day" a day filled with laughter and happiness, echoed, as the little ones chased bubbles, jumping, running, and popping them with glee. "Little Artists Day" was a mini art showcasing the children's creations sitting in the formation GMC-the abbreviation of our prestigious institution. "Movie Time" the kindergarten students had fun watching a movie "Peter Rabbit" They were excited to watch the animated movie having a real theatre experience as they had to show the movie ticket before entering the A.V room. To create more excitement teachers gave them paper money which they were thrilled to spend to get their popcorn and lemonade. Finally on 14th November it was a day full of joy and laughter for the students enjoyed playing games, watching their teachers sing and dance for them. The great day concluded with a takeaway of cards and chikkis. Overall, the entire week was a thrilling experience for them which they will cherish and fill their memories for life.



# Kindergarten 2024-25 Show and Tell

Our kindergarteners recently brought their creativity and enthusiasm to the fore during the Show and Tell activity on the theme "My Family." Each child proudly showcased pictures of their family members. With confidence and warmth, they described their families, sharing heartwarming stories about the love, care, and fun moments they experience at home. This activity not only helped them express their emotions but also strengthened their speaking skills and fostered a deeper understanding of the importance of family.

## Animal Adventures in Pick and Speak

The excitement continued with the Pick and Speak activity, where our little ones explored the world of animals. Each child picked a picture or card of an animal and shared interesting fact about it. From the mighty lion to the playful monkey, the children delighted everyone with their knowledge and creativity. Their imaginative descriptions and unique perspectives reminded us of the beauty and diversity of the animal kingdom.

These activities provided an engaging platform for the children to build their confidence, enhance their vocabulary, and learn through fun and interaction. It was a joy to watch their faces light up as they shared their thoughts and experiences!



# Kindergarten 2024-25

# Christmas Celebration

**Ho Ho Ho! Christmas at GMC was a magical celebration filled with joy and togetherness on December 20th. The school came alive with vibrant decorations, cheerful carol singing, and creative crafts, transforming it into a winter wonderland. Santa's visit was the highlight, spreading smiles and festive cheer. A day to cherish kindness, love, and the true spirit of Christmas! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!**



# Montessori 2024-25 Karnataka Rajyotsava

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Karnataka Formation Day known as Kannada Rajyotsava, is a momentous occasion for the people of Karnataka. It is the day when the state of Karnataka was formed on November 1, 1956. Kannada Rajyotsava was celebrated on 12 November 2024 by the Pre-primary students of Glow Montessori Centre.

Our talented students presented soul-stirring renditions of Kannada songs and danced to pay tribute to the states rich cultural heritage that stirred the emotions in the hearts of the audience. The Rajyotsava Celebrations showcased the deep-rooted and valuable traditions and culture of Karnataka, thereby educating the young students about their rich heritage. It was a day to remember and cherish our beautiful state's culture and heritage. Jai Karnataka!

# Montessori 2024-25

## Kannada Manikya

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The Senior students from Montessori at GMC proudly presented the celebration of Kannada Rajyotsava through the event 'Kannada Manikya' – a journey through the vibrant city of Bengaluru. They gracefully presented the dance drama titled 'Kannada Manikya', which included few melodious tunes, a dance and quiz for parents. They exhibited exceptional skill in performing a dance for the fusion of traditional Kannada melodies.





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## Observation

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The Observation sessions for the Montessori Freshers and Juniors took place during the month of November and December respectively. These highly anticipated sessions provided parents with a unique opportunity to observe the vibrant classroom environment, where learning takes place through a variety of materials and children engage in collaborative group activities. The children were enthusiastic about presenting their work to their parents, showcasing their achievements with pride.

This was succeeded by a Parent-Teacher Meeting where the child's performance and potential for enhancement were discussed.

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## Children's day



**Children's Day was celebrated throughout the week with Montessori students showcasing their talents during a special Talents Week. A variety of events and activities were organized to foster children's creativity, skills and overall growth. An engaging program was meticulously planned for the entire week.**

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## Monthly Treat - Vegetable salad day



As part of Monthly Treats, the Montessori children joyously celebrated Vegetable Salad Day under the theme of 'Eat Good, Feel Good', focusing on the essence of vegetables. An

array of vegetables brought in by the Seniors and Juniors contributed in creating a vibrant salad. The refined skills of peeling, grating, and chopping vegetables, which were cultivated through practical life activities, were skillfully employed. The youngest children carried vegetable salad, which they savored together. This homemade salad proved to be a delightful treat for all in attendance!



# Montessori 2024-25 Christmas celebration



Ho Ho Ho! Christmas at GMC was a magical celebration filled with joy and togetherness on December 20th. The school came alive with vibrant decorations, cheerful carol singing, and creative crafts, transforming it into a winter wonderland. Santa's visit was the highlight, spreading smiles and festive cheer. A day to cherish kindness, love, and the true spirit of Christmas! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!