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NEWSLETTER PULSE



MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL

We hit the tough road when pandemic swept us into an abyss of uncertainty, educational chaos and disrupted social life. Neither the world nor educational institutions were prepared to embrace the shift to online platforms brought on at lightning speed. A bleak ray of hope flittered and we progressed through tumultuous period to normal one. Education system faltered for a while but then we could see a gradual ascent as we moved on into online class system. The new pedagogy evolved, first with scepticism than towards optimism as we found progressive and effective way of education. There followed a long period of uncertainty, now, we are here to go with renewed enthusiasm.

Children are exposed to outer environment after a long time. Harsh repercussions of the pandemic might have taken toll on children's mental, physical and mental behaviour. It will take a while before they acclimatise themselves with real classes after being enclosed with virtual classes. Reopening will mean many new starts for the children. It is time that we all educators, care givers and parents endeavour to make this transition smooth and comfortable for them.

School is determined to extend all possible measures to make children's experience healthy and fun. Various activities, other than academic, necessary to build confidence, innovativeness, standard communication, skill development, research, high cognitive skills and many more have been introduced in the school. These activities may replenish what they missed due to impact of pandemic, crisis, which they experienced during important periods of physical, social and emotional developments.



THE RAJAS
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
KURICHY KOTTAYAM
CBSE & IGCSE/A LEVEL
(UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE UK)

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

Summer Camp
Environment Day
Inauguration Day 2022-23
Fruit Party Day
Creative Arts by Students
School Assembly
Co-curricular Activities

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CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES



chess

Chess: Chess is a strategy game. Student enters the world of various strategies adopted in the game starting from basic understanding of rules and terms. Once the student masters the preliminary skills, he enters the complex area of problem solving. He encounters challenges in every new class where he must gain a new experience of strategies to checkmate the opponent. He/she is thrown into the arena with variable set of chess pieces where he/she must come victorious choosing defensive or attacking strategies. The game Improves cognitive skills (including concentration, pattern recognition, decision making, algebraic and geometric thinking, problem-solving, spatial reasoning, and critical thinking), improves self-confidence and self-worth. It helps in increasing attention span and memory capacity.

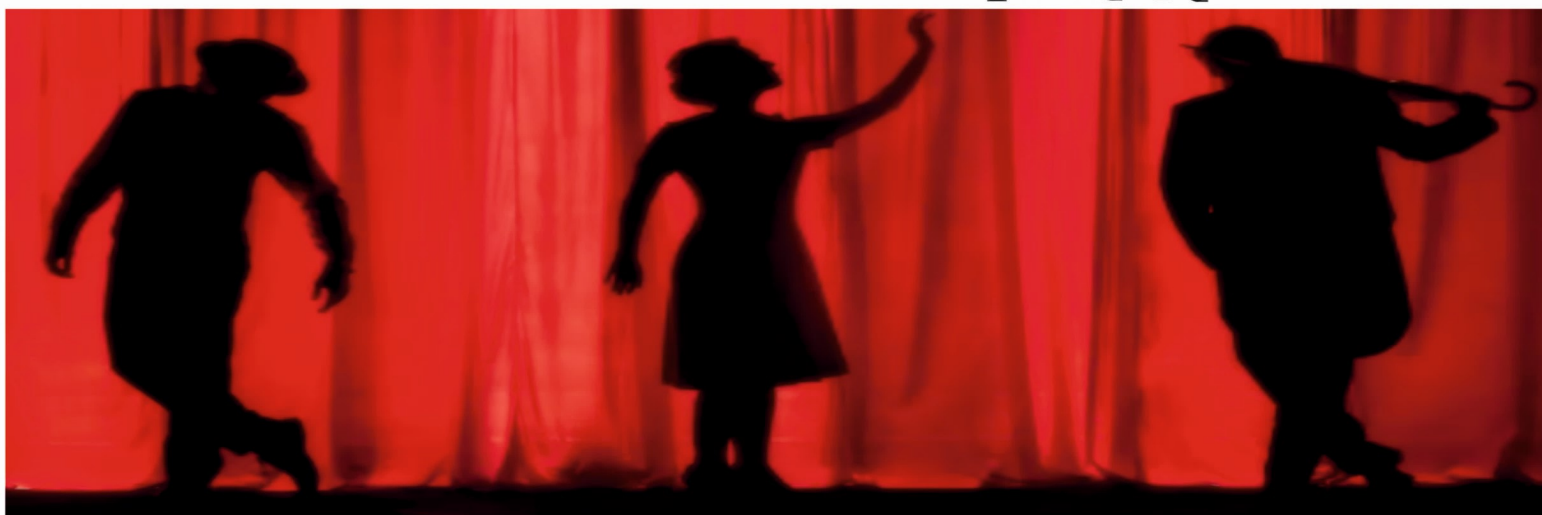
Music

Music (Vocal): Develop an analytical, creative, and intuitive understanding of music as a cultural language. Students begins with very basic understanding of music and progresses towards developing an analytical and creative understanding. Theory of music will make the understanding sound and practical for the students. Learning musical notation enables students to read and write music.

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THEATRE



Theatre: Theatre develops amongst students the understanding of art of dramatics. It trains a student how to control your body gestures, voice and movements over the stage. They learn to study the characters, understand them and perform realistically. It builds confidence in them.

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MUN: The Model United Nations is a series of programs run throughout the country and the world with the goals of furthering understanding about the United Nations, educating participants about world issues and promoting peace and the work of the United Nations through cooperation and diplomacy. The value of the Model UN experience for a student is based on what benefits a student can gain from participation. Many different kinds of talents can be developed by participation in Model UN conferences - including such skills as teamwork, expository and persuasive writing, debating, and negotiation that are important for personal development and future success. In simulating the actual workings of the UN, the Model UN provides an essential feature of the cooperative learning environment. In preparing to go to a Model UN, each student becomes an "expert" in one aspect of an issue or policy for their delegation.



SCIENCE

Science: Science Club is the platform for the students to promote their scientific interest, realize their scientific skills and fulfil their quest in doing science activities. The club aims to organize Seminars, Workshops, Exhibition and Quiz competition to inculcate students' knowledge and skill in the field of science. They work in groups to prepare scientific models and projects using innovative ideas.

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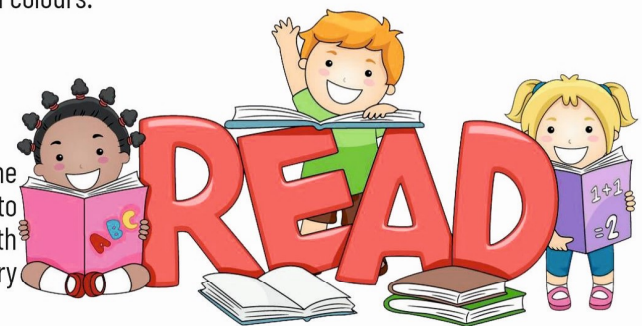


Digital art

Digital Design or Digital Art: Digital Designing or Graphic Designing classes use illustrations, photography as their main components. Students learn to create visual representation using text, pictures, symbols and various designs. They learn to use designing software and image editors to create visual presentation. They learn fundamental principles of digital designing, get acquainted to various tools, develop creativity and imagination, and study the fundamental of colours.

Reading

Reading and Writing: This club aims at developing skill of writing various genre in the students. They are exposed to the world of various forms of literature, where they get to read a variety of genre and develop an interest in writing. They become acquainted with tone, purpose, audience, effective language and lexical choice which are the necessary skills required in a writer.



SWIMMING

Swimming is a good sport that requires students to develop total fitness- cardiovascular endurance, muscle strength, flexibility, and power. A schematic analysis of a typical swim race illustrates why each of these fitness elements is important. Students learn to employ a measure of body control and finesse to enter the water at an optimal angle for efficient movement. This allows the body to utilize aerobic and anaerobic capabilities, providing good exercise.

HORSE RIDING

Horse riding is a sport that teaches skill, strategy, reasoning and confidence. This sport involves equestrian activities. Horse riding is a great form of exercise which has both cardiovascular and muscle conditioning benefits. This is due to the movement of the horse and its effect on the rider during the ride that accounts for the physical health benefits.



SPORTS ACTIVITIES

TRIS emphasises on sports activities along with the academic activities. A range of sports activities are aligned with academic activities in the school. Football, basketball, skating, athletics, Badminton, Karate are regular features of sports activities in the school. These physical activities are aimed to use, maintain or improve physical abilities and skills while providing enjoyment to participants.



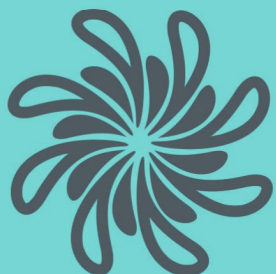
SUMMER CAMP

Summer camp was conducted from May 7th to 28th 2022, in the school campus. We all experienced unprecedented time which no other generation has till now, encountered in their life, the pandemic has robbed the children of their childhood. So, to recover to their loss the school has come with a summer camp to develop competitive spirit, to learn values of kindness, compassion among peer groups, explore inner strengths and talents, to learn time management, leadership and thus developing etiquette. Activities included swimming, horse riding, karate, skating, music, chess, writing skills, and digital design. Students from grade 1 to 8 attended, students from other schools also joined us to enjoy this summer camp. The summer vacation was utilized to develop their skills instead wasting it on other insignificant things, also students became mentally and physically active thus developing their social skills.



ENVIRONMENT DAY

June 5th is celebrated as World Environment Day. Environment is the surrounding where we live. A clean environment is necessary for a better living as it keeps the atmosphere fresh. The Principal along with staffs residing in the campus decided to celebrate this day by planting sapling around the staff quarters and the school campus for a healthy and a happy environment.




“ A Little Progress Each Day
Adds up to Big Results. ”

INAUGURATION DAY 2022-23



Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one, the true purpose of education is to make minds not careers. School is a building with four walls with a tomorrow inside. The new academic year started in June 8th 2022, with an inaugural function by Sri. K.A. Jacob IPS Rtd DGP Jharkhand and former member of human rights commission. CEO Mr. M.O Kuriakose encouraged the kids to be brave and face this new academic year with full spirit. Principal Man Singh Subba welcomed the students with all positive vibes, wished them all the best for the new academic year, and encouraged the teachers to impart their knowledge to the best possible way. Coordinator Mr. George Antony emphasized on the importance of spirituality in students' life. Different programs were displayed by teachers, that entertained and excited the kids. The teachers' message to the students was "Remember no one is perfect, that is why pencils have eraser", "The roots of education can be bitter but the fruit is sweet."



In a world with endless possibilities Success is relative, regardless of how one sees it. Determination is the most important asset generated through one's ability to cope with failure, provides a person with the tools needed to achieve bigger and better goals. Never measure the success by counting the number of hours you spend to achieve it rather look at the quality of the hours you devote for it. Success is not just achieving your goals. Deep down it the freedom to shape our existence and create meaningful bond with others.

All the way to success there are challenges to overcome and fears to conquer as success doesn't have any shortcut, all you need to do is to work hard, learn from yours and other's failures, near misses, successes and give your best. You should have the qualities of leadership, mutual trust, cooperation and team spirit to support your progressive future. "SUCCESS keeps adapting."

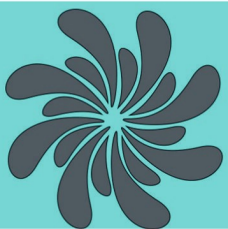
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FRUIT PARTY DAY

The tiny tots celebrated the fruits party day on June 24. Every child was asked to bring their favourite fruit from home. Variety of fruits were brought. They were excited to see it. All the fruits were named and then randomly picked up and given to them and were asked to identify it by themselves. The teacher Ms. Jinu and Ms. Vidhya spoke about the importance of fruits. All the fruits were cut and then mixed together and it was served to them during their lunch time. All enjoyed eating them and were thrilled.



Creative Arts by Student Artists



“ Your Positive Action Combined With
Positive Thinking Results in Success. ”

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

International Day Against Drug Abuse

In connection with International Day against drug abuse celebrated in June 26th, 5th grade students presented a special program during the assembly. The highlights of the day were the dangers of drug use, and illegal trade. One of the students presented the topic by reciting a poem. In order to raise awareness against drug abuse the teacher Mrs. Remya, read aloud the writings on the placards prepared by the students. The teacher Mrs. Girija also gave an inspiring message with the pledge that the students took as a promise to stay away from drugs. The word of the day the students presented was Emancipation; which means the act of freeing someone from the restraint, control or power of another. The students connected this word to the theme by advising drug addicts to free themselves from this curse. The students emphasized that, "If you wish for happiness then you must stay away from drugs."



World Refugee Day



World refugee day was celebrated on 20th June by grade 7 by remembering all the refugees of the world. The order of the assembly was maintained. One of the students pointed out the fact that no matter from wherever the refugees are coming, people forced to flee should be welcomed. Also, whatever the threat, violence, persecution everyone deserves protection. The teacher Ms. Mini George pointed out that 51% of the world's 20 million refugees are under the age of 18. Also, it is a reminder that there is no "us" and "them". There is only us, one human family, connected in ways we sometimes forget. On this day we can show our respect to the resilience and determination of millions of refugees around the world. As this year's theme rightly says "Everyone has the right to seek safety"

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

World Day Against Child Labour

The assembly on World Day against child labour was conducted by IGCSE and CBSE students on June 13th. The students in their speech conveyed that it is a rising crime and it affects the growth and development of the children in every aspect i.e., physically, socially and mentally. It was pointed out that it is a national issue which is growing rapidly in under-developed and developed countries and we should be vigilant as it takes away the basic right of education, health and independence of children. All should raise our voice against this injustice. So being a major social issue it needs to be resolved soon. All should come together and realize the importance of sending children to school for the better future of the nation. The teacher Ms. Neetu Prakash emphasized on the theme that significant progress towards ending child labour required increased investment in universal social protection system to tackle the problem. And let us earn knowledge not money and let's say no to child labour and yes to education.



Co-curricular Activities

Co-curricular activities are part of the National curriculum designed by the Ministry of Education as a means to enhance social interaction, leadership, healthy recreation, self-discipline and self-confidence. Students at Rajas International are required to join one activity. The school started with its CCA activities for grades 1 to grade IX in the month of June, under the able guidance of the instructors.



Skating - Mr. Aju

Dance - Ms. Dhanalakshmi

Chess - Ms. Jayasree

Music - Mr. Man Singh Subha

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