

2018-19

Newsletter

Dear Parents,

Greetings,

My name is Sonal Dubey and I am your ward's 5th grade class teacher. It's that time of the year when students are back to school and our campus is once more abuzz. I love fifth grade and all the exploring, learning and the fun that we get to have together. I have a Masters degree in Mathematics and Computer Science and seven years of teaching experience and love to teach the subject. I like interacting with my students and the creativity with which they come up with enthalls me a lot. As Math is a subject wherein they need to explore a lot. I like to inculcate this spirit of curiosity and learning in my kids. Would love to enhance their application skills of math in their day to day activities of life.

We have lot of activities planned for the students. We will explore, create, learn and discover new things daily and have lot of fun doing all those. The PSBS team is looking forward to work with the wonderful kids.

We would also like to update you on what we aim to achieve through our curriculum in the teaching learning process.

Languages-English

Our English curriculum exposes our students to a variety of literary genres and develops reading, writing, speaking, listening and critical thinking skills.

This helps the students to respond to literature in a way that reflects intelligent and thoughtful analysis. Vocabulary building skills are developed through the use of context clues and word structure which helps them gain mastery over the language.



June

Prose - 1. Wizard of Hockey
Poetry - 1. My Books

2. Circus Elephant

Grammar - 1. Types of Nouns

2. Articles
3. Plural Possessive and
Apostrophe

Novel -Introduction

July

Prose - 1. Ashraf's Invention

Grammar - 1. Pronouns and
Reflexive

Pronouns

2. Adjectives

3. Auxiliary Verbs

Novel - Chp - 1 to 6

Writing Skill - Comprehension

August

Poetry - 1. Louder than a Clap
of Thunder

Grammar - 1.Modals

2.Tenses

3. Continuous Tenses

Novel - Chp 7,8,9,10,11

Writing Skill - Writing Process

September

Prose - 1. Peter and Wendy

Grammar - 1.Subject-Verb
Agreement



Mathematics

The curriculum includes hands on, inquiry based activities that engage the students in using logic to solve the problems. Making comprehending concepts and computing them easier and relating Math to real life contexts generates a love for the subject.

Math

June -

1. More on Large Numbers
2. Addition and Subtraction
3. Multiplication and Division

July-

1. Lines and Angles
2. Factors and Multiples

August-

1. Geometry(Lines and Angles)
2. Fractions

Sep-

1. Decimals (up to page 70)

Social Studies

We at Presidency believe in making our students strong readers and thinkers. We hope to achieve this by teaching our students to be well informed and to make rational decisions for the public good. The curriculum includes activities, projects audio-visual sessions and field trips apart from regular teaching sessions to help churn out responsible future citizens.

Social Science

June -

- Earliest People
- The Stone Age
- The Iron Age

June/July -

- Evolution of Transport and Communication
- Elections In India

Science

To develop scientific literacy and to delve deeper into the subject, the students will be engaged in a multitude of experiments, projects and presentations which connect practical applications to learned concepts. This will help them to think critically about an issue and come out with potential solutions for them.

Science

June-

1. Plant Reproduction
2. Food, Health and Diseases

July-

1. Solids, Liquids and Gas
2. Soil Erosion and Conservation

August -

1. Rocks and Minerals
2. Animals Everywhere

Sep- Animals Every where continued.



July -

Our Constitution
Elections In India

July/August -

Democracy and Us

August -

Understanding our Environment

- Natural Disasters

August/September - Natural Resources

Computer Science

The curriculum has been scaled to meet the ever changing nature of the subject and make it an engaging and interesting experience for the learners. It helps to develop foundational skills in Computer Science, learn various programming language, foster creativity and communication.



Kannada

June: ವರ್ಣಮಾಲೆ, ಗುಣಿತಾಕ್ಷರ, ಒತ್ತಕ್ಷರಗಳು

ಪಾಠ: ಭಾರತಾಂಬೆಯ ಮಕ್ಕಳು

July: ಪಾಠ: ಶ್ರಮಕ್ಕೆ ತಕ್ಕ ಫಲ ಪದ್ಯ: ಇಕ್ಕಳ

ವ್ಯಾಕರಣ- ಲಿಂಗ ವಚನ ಕ್ರಿಯಪದಗಳು

ಕಥಾವಿಮರ್ಶೆ- ಪುತುಲ್ ಮತ್ತು ಡಾಲ್ವಿನ್ನುಗಳು

August: ಕಥಾವಿಮರ್ಶೆ- ಗುಲ್ಲಾ ಮತ್ತು ಹಂಗುಲ್ ,

ನೀಲಿಯ ರಹಸ್ಯ

ಪಾಠ: ಪ್ರವಾಸ, ಸರ್, ಸಿ. ವಿ. ರಾಮನ್

ಪದ್ಯ: ನವಿಲು

SEPTEMBER

ಪುನಾರಾವರ್ತನೆ

Computer Science

June-Revision of level 4

Step-Wise gathering of Information

July- Step-Wise gathering of Information

Organizing Information using lists and Tables

Aug- Organizing Information using lists and Tables

Advanced Scratch programming

Sep- Revision Of 1st Semester Topics

Hindi

June- व्याकरण- पर्यायवाची और विलोम, संज्ञा

भेद, संज्ञा के विकार (लिंग वचन) कविता- वह शक्ति हमें दो , एक बूँद बच्चे, पाठ-भिक्षा पात्र

July- पाठ-वह लड़का , क्रिकेट का खेल व्याकरण-

अनौपचारिक पत्र, अनुच्छेद लेखन, संवाद लेखन, सर्वनाम और उसके भेद

August- पाठ- अपना स्थान स्वयं बनाएँ, कुश्ती मस्ती, दोहे, व्याकरण-अपठित गद्यांश, विज्ञापन लेखन

Read aloud- एक दिन प्रिया का

SEPTEMBER

व्याकरण- मुहावरे, क्रिया व उसके भेद

Sanskrit:

JUNE

सम्भाषणम्, वर्णमाला १. विविधा: पक्षिणः २. विविधा:

पशवः ३. विविधा: कन्याः ४. मधुराणि फलानि

JULY

5. परिवारजनाः (सर्वनामपदम्) लट्लकारः(क्रियापदम्) 6.

विविधा प्रकृतिः(अव्ययम्) 7. शरीरस्य अङ्गानि(विशेषणम्)

AUGUST

* संख्या ८. गृहम् ९. आधुनिक- भवननिर्माणम् चतुरः काकः*

सरलगद्यांशः* चित्र वर्णनम् १०. परिभ्रमणम्

SEPTEMBER

पुनरावर्तनम्

Assemblies- World Environment day, World Blood Donor day, International day for Yoga, Positive attitude, Respect, Indigenous People day are some the themes taken for the general assemblies.

Assemblies are an important part of our school curriculum as it is the first step towards discipline, routine, information, team work and leadership. It has been meticulously planned to give out valuable information about current



affairs, to instill moral values and create positive vibrations for the day. The students will organize, prepare and present a topic every week on values like being responsible, using magic words, accepting differences, team work, compassion, forgiveness, excellence and patience this academic year. Special assemblies on World Environment Day, World Population Day etc helps them understand the magnitude of the problems and their responsibilities as citizens of the country. Festivals like Eid, Diwali, Christmas are also celebrated in the assemblies to give them greater insight into our rich and varied

Annual Day 2018 - "Rally for Rivers".

We are delighted to announce that we are ready to launch yet another production in a mega event, our Annual Day for 2018, "Rally for Rivers" in the last week of August. In the wake of our fast depleting rivers, it's an attempt to create awareness about the urgent need to save our life giving rivers. They have nurtured life along their banks, and nourished the ecosystem for thousands of years. It's time for us to give back the life to them by taking a pledge to clean our beloved rivers. It will be a far cry from the former glory of these precious waters... But, we need to make sincere changes to our way of life to give a fresh lease of life to them.