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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

"Let's celebrate freedom and embrace
the joy of being independent"



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MESSAGES



Teacher's Message

Dear students,

As we continue on this academic journey together, I want to remind you that your hard work and perseverance will lead to incredible achievements. Remember, " *Believe you can and you're halfway there." - Theodore Roosevelt*

Don't be afraid to dream big, take risks, and push beyond your comfort zones. Every challenge is an opportunity to grow and learn. I believe in each and every one of you, and I know that together, we can accomplish great things.

Keep striving for excellence, pushing forward and know that, I am here to guide and support you, at every step on the way.

**With Confidence on the success you will bring,
Mubeen Khan BA., B.Ed
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Student's Message

Be grateful....

- Keep a Gratitude Journal. Setting aside time on a daily basis to recall moments of gratitude associated with ordinary events, your personal attributes, or valued people in your life gives you the potential to interweave a sustainable life theme of gratefulness.
- Remember the Bad. To be grateful in your current state, it is helpful to remember the hard times that you once experienced. When you remember how difficult life used to be and how far you have come, you set up an explicit contrast in your mind, and this contrast is fertile ground for gratefulness.
- Learn Prayers of Gratitude. In many spiritual traditions, prayers of gratitude are considered to be the most powerful form of prayer, because through these prayers people recognize the ultimate source of all they are and all they will ever be.
- Come to Your Senses. Through our senses—the ability to touch, see, smell, taste, and hear—we gain an appreciation of what it means to be human and of what an incredible miracle it is to be alive. Seen through the lens of gratitude, the human body is not only a miraculous construction, but also a gift.
- Make a Vow to Practice Gratitude. Research shows that making an oath to perform a behavior increases the likelihood that the action will be executed.

Nihaal N (Grade - X)

Parent's Message

Assalamu alaikum warahmatullahi wabarakathuhu.

In a fast-paced world filled with challenges and uncertainties, finding solace and contentment can be a daunting task. For Muslims, the path to inner peace often begins with a simple yet profound practice: gratitude. which is often captured by the Arabic word shukr. the meaning of which extends well beyond general notions of gratitude and thankfulness as they're used in contemporary society. Shukr not only helps instill appreciation and cooperation between people, as well as love for the Creator, but it also brings about a profound change in us as individuals. Gratitude peels off the rotting layers of these negative emotions and cleans up our soul. No other attitude is as powerful as gratitude... possibly the ONLY one powerful enough to rid us of all these other hateful emotions.

Allah has blessed us with numerous tangible and intangible blessings, be they material objects or states of being. Ultimately, a blessing is anything that brings us closer to our Creator. Oftentimes, we assume only "good" things are blessings, it's important that we recognize that even events we perceive to be negative in reality can still be seen as blessings if they end up bringing us closer to Allah.

**Madina Bi
M/O Zayn Afyah (IX)**

PA-1 Examination



The Periodic Assessment - 1 Exam was successfully conducted on July 22, 2024, for students in Grades 1 to 8. This exam serves as a crucial assessment of our students' knowledge and skills.

The results of the PA1 Exam will help us identify areas of strength and improvement, allowing us to better support our students' academic growth.



Mock Legislative Assembly

The main purpose of conducting the school Mock Legislative Assembly is,

- To develop in students an insight into the working parliament.
- To make the students consider public issues and form their opinion on them.
- To train students in the technique of group discussion.

However the school mock legislative assembly was conducted on 16/07/24 on the topic **Digital Transformation**. The students took active participation and put their fullest potential and demonstrated their views to ensure accountability and transparency. The assembly was presented by the speaker Alfiya.S of Grade IX.



Handwriting Practice

Improve Your Handwriting Today!

'Handwriting is more than just a skill—it's a form of personal expression. Improved handwriting can boost your confidence, enhance communication, and even sharpen your cognitive abilities.'

To unlock the benefits of clear, confident handwriting our students of grade 6-8 were provided with Handwriting Improvement Program during CT time.



STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION

The student council election was conducted on July 3rd, 2024. Candidates had spent weeks preparing their campaigns, addressing various issues ranging from enhancing extracurricular activities to improving student welfare. The atmosphere on election day was charged with excitement as students eagerly cast their votes to elect the representatives who would voice their concerns and ideas.

**Candidates List
Head Boy**

		Zidan Al Qadhi Grade 10
		Mikhael Marwan Grade 10



**Candidates List
Vice Head Boy / Student Event Secretary**

		Ahmad Al-Hadi Grade 10
		Adel Al-Hadi Grade 10
		Ayman Mikhael Hamed Grade 10
		Miki Mikhael Waf Grade 10



**Candidates List
Head Girl**

		Sara Al-Jad Grade 10
		Zeyn Fakhri Grade 10
		Zahra Taher Grade 10



**Candidates List
Vice Head Girl / Student Event Secretary**

		Wafaa Al-Hadi Grade 10
		Sara Al-Hadi Grade 10
		Sara Hamedy Karam Grade 10
		Safa Al-Hadi Grade 10

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

Pristine Public School held its much-anticipated Investiture Ceremony on **July 15, 2024**. This significant event marked the formal induction of the new student council, who are set to lead their peers and uphold the values of the school throughout the academic year.

The ceremony was graced by the presence of **Mrs. Christine Fernandez**, the esteemed Kindergarten Principal of Jeevan's International School, as the Chief Guest. The event began with a solemn march by the newly elected council members & class monitors who proudly took their positions on stage and they were formally invested with their badges.

Our Vice Principal **Ms. Sadia** then conducted the oath-taking ceremony, where the student leaders pledged to fulfill their duties with sincerity and to contribute positively to the school community.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH


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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

01.07.24 to 06.07.24

Kindergarten section:

- PP-I & PP-II : Handwriting practice, Thumb print activity, Colouring activity

Primary section:

- Grade 1 - 5 : Assembly theme - Gratitude
- Grade 3 - 5 : Remedial classes from Wednesday (03.07.24)

Middle section:

Grade 6 - 8 :

- CT Time - Personality Development
- Remedial classes from Monday (01.07.24)
- Weekly Assessment for Grade - 8


Senior section:

- Grade 9 & 10 - Weekly Assessment

STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION ON 03.07.24

- Head Boy, Head Girl (From Grade 5)
- Vice Head Boy, Vice Head Girl (From Grade 8)
- Student Secretary (From Grade 8)




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Highlights of the Week

08/07/2024 - 13/07/2024

Kindergarten Section

Role play of story with dramatisation

Primary Section

- Grade 1 to 5 : Assembly theme - Responsibility and Accountability
- Grade 1 : Roleplay of Small and Big Family
- PP1 to Grade 2 : Day Celebration , EVS - Pulses Activity
- Grade 4 : Science - Kinds of teeth

Middle Section

Grade 6 to 8:

- Public Speaking
- Weekly Assessment

Senior Section

- Weekly Assessment
- Grade 9 : Physics Lab Activity
- Grade 10 : SA1 Marathon Revision

SATURDAY (13.07.24)

- Club Activities - Grade 1 to 9
- Tharbiya Session - Grade 5 to 9


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Highlights of the week

15/07/2024 - 20/07/2024

Kindergarten Section

PP1: Colours Activity - Thumb print, Paper print
Montessori Activities:

- Sensorial activity - Mystery Bag
- Developing fine motor skills - Colour tablets

PP2: Sense Organ Activity - Scavenger Hunt
Montessori Activities:

- Partner Activity - To improve co-ordination
- Musical chair activity - Developing gross motor skills

Primary Section

- Grade 1 to 5 : Assembly theme - Compassion and Empathy
- Updation and Revision of PA-1 Exam

Middle Section

- Grade 6 to 8 : Assembly theme - Physical Wellness
- Updation and Revision of PA-1 Exam

Senior Section

- Grade 9 : Computer, Physics and Biology Lab Activity
- Grade 10 : SA1 Marathon Revision

Grade 3 to 9 - Practice of Salah

Investiture Ceremony on 19th July, 2024

Ashura Holidays (17.07.24 & 18.07.24)


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Highlights of the week

22/07/2024 - 27/07/2024

PP1 & PP2

1. Sensorial activities : Mystery bag & Cylinder blocks
2. Fine motor skills : Threading shapes
3. Making them focussed : Sponge activity

Primary section

Grade1 - 5 : Periodic Assessment-1

Middle section

Grade 6- 8 : Periodic Assessment-1

Secondary section

Grade 9 : Theory class and audio visual session
Grade 10 : Summative Assessment-1

- Independence Day Competition - Preparation
- Kids Gala Sports Event Selection on 24.07.24

INDEPENDENCE DAY COMPETITIONS

We are thrilled to share the highlights of the vibrant Independence Day competitions and activities held at our school this year on 31st July, 2024. The events were a tremendous success, showcasing the talents and patriotism of our students across various grades.

The Competitions are:

- GRADE 6 - ESSAY WRITING
- GRADE 7 to 9 - DEBATE

Many Activities were conducted based on the Independence theme.

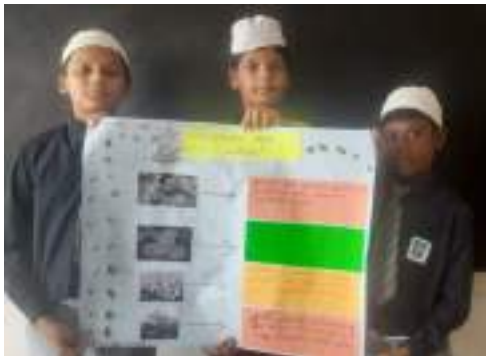
- GRADE 6 - CARD MAKING
- GRADE 7- WARLI ART
- GRADE 8 & 9 - GOND ART

We are proud of all the participants for their enthusiasm and dedication.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the teachers and parents for their support and encouragement. Events like these not only celebrate our nation's history but also foster a sense of unity and pride among our students.



CLUB ACTIVITIES



STUDENTS CORNER

Quiz Questions

1. Who wrote the novel "War and Peace"?
2. What is the powerhouse of the cell?
3. Which is the largest lake in the world?
4. How many countries are there in the world?
5. Which civilization built the pyramids?
6. Who was known as the Iron Lady?
7. What is the value of Pi to two decimal places?
8. What is the square root of 144?
9. Which planet is known as the Red Planet?
10. What is the capital of Japan?

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BOOK REVIEW

BY ZAINAB TABREZ - GRADE IX

Book Title: Nancy Drew Eco-Mystery Trilogy

Author: Carolyn Keene

Genre: Mystery, Middle Grade, Childrens, Adventure

Book 1: Nancy investigates a mysterious threat to the endangered green sea turtles on the Florida coast.

Book 2: Nancy uncovers a sinister plot behind a series of eco-friendly product sabotages in River Heights.

Book 3: Nancy probes a mysterious illness affecting the the students at River Heights High, linked to a new green energy project.



RATINGS: 4.8/5

STORY SUMMARY:

In this eco-mystery trilogy, Nancy drew applies her detective skills to environmental crimes, exposing the truth behind eco-disasters and fighting for justice.

CHARACTER DESCRIPTION:

- **NANCY DREW:** THE PROTAGONIST, A SMART, RESOURCEFUL, AND DETERMINED TEENAGE DETECTIVE WHO LOVES ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE.
- **BESS MARVIN:** NANCY'S BEST FRIEND, A FASHION-CONSCIOUS AND ARTISTIC STUDENT WHO OFTEN HELPS NANCY IN HER INVESTIGATIONS.
- **GEORGE FAYNE:** NANCY'S OTHER BEST FRIEND, A TECH-SAVVY AND LOGICAL STUDENT WHO ASSISTS NANCY IN HER CASES.

MY OPINION: I loved this trilogy! The combination of Nancy's sleuthing skills and eco-awareness makes for a compelling and informative read.

SUPPORTING POINTS

- Nancy's character is smart, resourceful, and empathetic, making her a great role model.
- Each book tackles a pressing eco-issue, raising awareness and encouraging readers to take action.
- The mysteries are cleverly crafted, with unexpected twists and turns.

CRITICISMS

- Some supporting characters feel a bit underdeveloped, but Nancy's character shines bright.
- The pacing can be fast, so be prepared to keep up!

RECOMMENDATION:

If you're a fan of Nancy Drew, eco-fiction, or mystery, this trilogy is a must-read. It's perfect for middle-grade readers looking for a fun and empowering series that highlights important environmental issues. This trilogy is a great addition to the Nancy Drew series, introducing a new generation of readers to the iconic detective while emphasizing the importance of environmental stewardship.

RESEARCH PAPER

BY ASMAN - GRADE IX

Abstract

E-RADICATE PESTS introduces a groundbreaking AI-driven solution to confront the substantial global challenge of a 40% annual crop loss, equating to a staggering \$220 billion setback in agriculture. This innovative system aims to revolutionize traditional pest control methods, integrating advanced AI technology to minimize crop losses and establish sustainable farming practices. Additionally, it incorporates a sophisticated sprayer that administers pesticide when pests are detected.

Key Features:

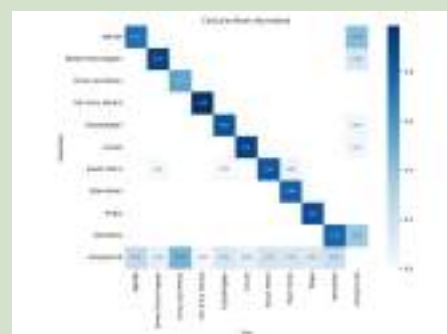
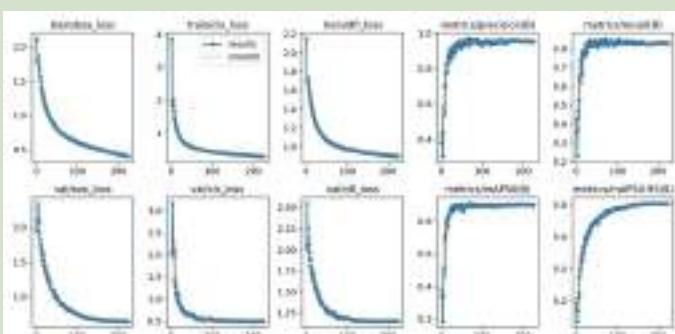
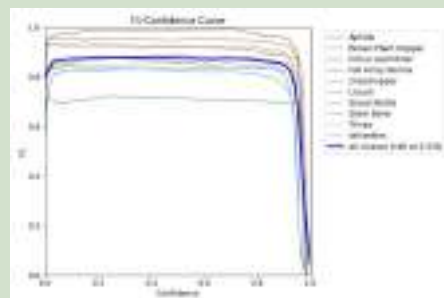
- **Intelligent Pest Detection:** Leveraging cutting-edge AI technology for precise pest identification.
- **Real-time Monitoring:** Instant alerts for farmers upon pest detection, ensuring swift action.
- **Precision Pest Control:** Administers targeted pesticide application to identified pests, reducing crop damage.
- **Environmental Responsibility:** A focus on minimizing impact on ecosystems and human health.
- **Compliance:** Adheres to ethical and legal standards for responsible and reliable deployment.

The Challenge: Conventional pest control methods inadvertently pose environmental and health risks, disrupting crop yield and threatening food security. E-RADICATE PESTS endeavors to transition to advanced, precise pest management to safeguard crops and environmental balance.

The Vision: E-RADICATE PESTS envisions a pioneering AI-powered system to significantly reduce the 40% crop loss attributed to pests. The innovative approach aims to bolster sustainable agriculture, benefiting farmers and securing global food sources by implementing targeted and intelligent pest management strategies.

Conclusion:

E-RADICATE PESTS signifies a transformative leap in agriculture, aiming to minimize pest-related crop damage and cultivate sustainability. The initiative aims to reshape the agricultural landscape by ensuring food security and environmental harmony, propelling the sector towards a resilient and efficient future, promising a secure and sustainable food supply chain.



MARATHON REVISION

GRADE 10

"Revision is not just about going over what you already know; it's about deepening your understanding and preparing your mind to recall and apply that knowledge when it matters most."

As we approach the mid-point of the academic year, we were gearing up for the Summative Assessment-1 (SA1) exams. This is a crucial time for our Grade 10 students as they step into this significant milestone in their educational journey.

Grade 10 Students were facilitated with marathon revision two weeks prior to the SA 1

SA1 was designed to assess the knowledge and understanding that students have acquired during the first half of the academic year. It not only helps in identifying strengths but also highlights areas that may need more attention before the final examinations. The results of SA1 serve as a critical benchmark for students to evaluate their progress and prepare accordingly for future challenges.



REMEDIAL CLASSES

Remedial classes are designed to provide extra support to students who may need a little extra help in certain subjects, ensuring that every child has the opportunity to succeed. These classes had specialised sessions focused on reinforcing the core concepts of subject like Maths, English and Tamil. These classes were conducted in the month of July for a month to improve their writing skills, improving on sentence structures, grammar and paragraph organisation.

