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EARLY YEARS PICNIC AT SAIR SAPATA

Optimization is one single word that can easily describe the EY Picnic affair.

EY team rescheduled their picnic trip to 9th November, 2018 to hit many targets with one arrow, the most significant being, ensuring good attendance on a working day sandwiched between a couple of holidays on either side.

This trip served as a good learning experience as well, for all the three EY classes.

Nursery has just concluded a unit on 'Plants' and K.G.II has just begun theirs. The beautiful and scenic, park and garden of 'Sair Sapata' with its rich variety of plants served as a good exploration site for both these classes.

K.G.I is currently inquiring into 'Visual Language' and the

entire to and fro journey, including the time spent in the park gave them an excellent opportunity and real life experience to watch out for, detect identify and share with their team mates, an array of visual signs, symbols and logos that came across.

Although packed with a lot to do in a short day, the students enjoyed every moment of the trip and the old and new attractions at the park.

(By Fozia Mehfooz - EY Coordinator)



GRADE 1A ASSEMBLY

On 12th November 2018 Grade 1-"A" students chose to present a skit on the story "The three Old men Love, Wealth and Success". It was a very special day for all the young learners, who stepped on the stage for the very first time. Students presented the skit with enthusiasm and confidence. This assembly was an opportunity for them to showcase their understanding about the importance of "Love". These tiny tots also performed on a nasheed "Love can save a life" by Rashid Bhikha. Students conveyed the message of spreading love with their effectual performance which was appreciated by all. The second segment of the assembly "Incredible India" was full of vital information featuring the Famous Personalities of India, who are renowned for their immense love, care, kindness and generosity like our school Chairman Mr. Mansoor Durrani.

(By Saniya Naem - HRT Grade 1A)

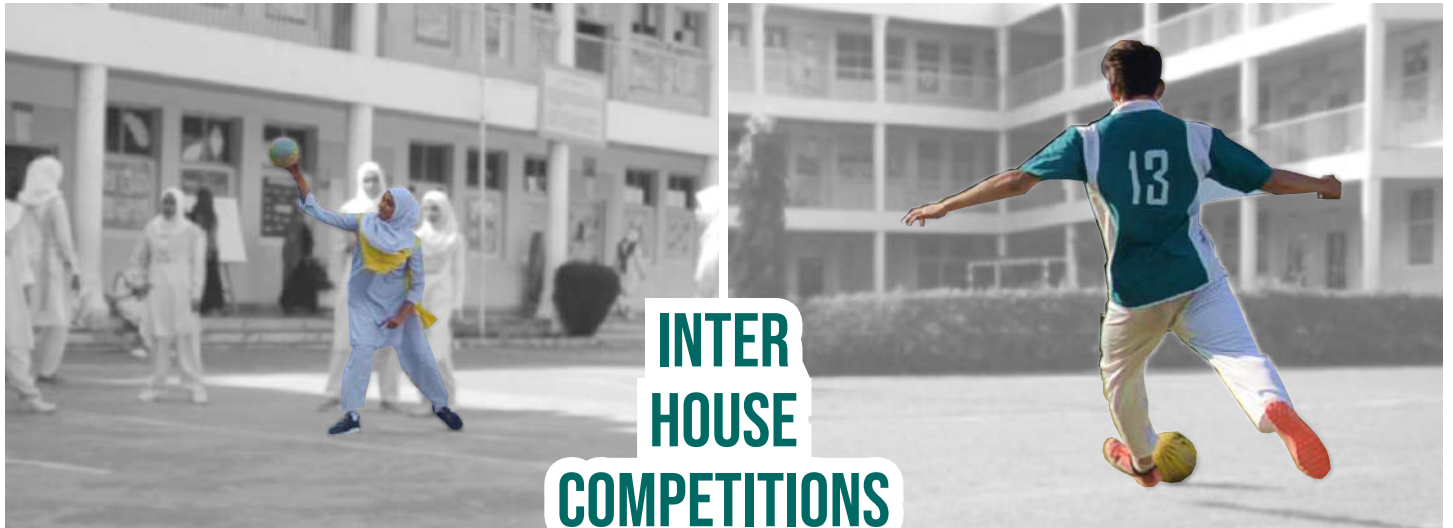


GRADE 4TH SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT

Our 4th Unit of Inquiry –'How We Organize Ourselves focused on 'Economic Activities'. This unit revolved around productions, marketing and consumption of goods and services focused on making students responsible consumers by the end of this unit. Students designed their own goods and services and tried to persuade other into buying/bartering.

In their Summative assessment kids independently decided over their stalls and made teams with each other to execute them. After deciding the dish they also decided over the cost price and selling price. Then they went ahead and advertised their dish. They put up their stalls on 31st October, 2018 with full confidence and impressed everyone with their clear understanding of the UOI. This inquiry based assessment was appreciated by all and parent's involvement was a bonus. Students thoroughly enjoyed it and developed research, social and communication skills- all at once.

(By Arbina Bano and Mishkaat khan - HRTs- Grade 4)



INTER HOUSE COMPETITIONS

The electrifying Inter House 'Football' and 'Handball' tournaments, organized by Department of Physical and Health Education, were the main attractions of the month. The matches were held at EPS campus on October 17th. The focal point of holding these sports events is to provide a platform for students to exhibit their strategic skills dexterously. These events also help develop and hone their competitive skills. With these competitions in place students learn ethics, sportsmanship, team spirit, positive attitude, collaborative skill, fairness and justice. The matches were played on knock out basis. Football was played amongst boys and handball amongst girls. **(By Faheem Mohd Khan - HOD (PSPE department))**

GRADE 1B ASSEMBLY

On 5th November 2018, the students of Grade 1B took up the stage in the multipurpose hall and left the audience in awe and with tears in their eyes. This bunch of little enthusiastic kids displayed their talents of reading, communication, action, drama, devotion and discipline in a very organized way. They addressed a very crucial topic, which has actually become the need of the hour, i.e. 'PARENTS' and showed how we disrespect them on a daily basis without even realizing it. Seeing an orphan child suffering due to the loss of his parents made us realize the worth of parents and that they are the greatest blessings of Allah SWT. Students recited a dua and taught everyone to recite it for the well-being of their parents. The assembly was concluded by a phenomenal presentation in the incredible India section where students shared the stories of famous personalities who prospered because they were obedient towards their parents. **(Shazia fraz - HRT 1B)**



GRADE 1C ASSEMBLY

Close friends, that day, will be enemies to each other. Except for those who are righteous! Surah Az-Zukhruf (Verse 67)

Friends are one of the greatest blessings in our lives. They're the people who are there for our weakest and darkest moments. They're the ones who make our problems their problems. Friendship and companionship are important in Islam. Thus seeking good companions and maintaining good relationships is a responsibility of each believer to himself, his community and to God. Thus in order to make students understand the importance of friendship and choosing righteous friends, students of grade 1 C presented a skit on the story of "Lion and the three cows" which gave a very strong message of being together and consequences of befriending selfish individuals. After this they gave some tips to choose righteous friends. Through a small video clip they showed that even animals understand the language of friendship.

Students also performed on a very enthusiastic song "The more we get together" that lays emphasis on being together. The assembly was wrapped up with some important facts about 'Incredible India'. **(By Afreen Zaheer - HRT 1C)**



ISLAMIC QUIZ AT EPS



"The most complete gift of God is a life based on Knowledge."

The Islamic Quiz in PYP, EPS was conducted on 25th Oct'18. This was a Cock-a-hoop event for everyone in PYP. It was methodical by our students council under the supervision of Islamic Studies Department. It was a competition among the four houses of EPS.

Namely, Haz. Abubakr , Haz.Umar, Haz. Usman & HAZ. Ali house.

There were four rounds in the Islamic Quiz, the 1st round was General round in which students answered very enthusiastically to all the questions asked. The 2nd round was the visual round, students were well prepared and recited the Surahs from the Holy Qur'an. The 3rd Round

was Rapid fire round, in this round students were asked 10 question in 120 seconds. Students answered as fast as they could. The last Round was the Buzzer round; that was the most dangerous round ; with its tricky questions & negative marking scheme. This competition was very educational for each one who attended it. Mentors worked extremely hard for preparing children for Islamic Quiz. Hazrat Ali (Red house) stood first.

Overall, Islamic quiz was an enormously pleasing event. Such competitions bring excitement and makes knowledge fun filled. And in EPS we love to learn like this!

(Areeba Imran - Grade-5)

MYP STUDENT LED CONFERENCE

A year can do a lot to a person, and everything changes as we grow up, and in our school the students develop a wide variety of skills that have more to do than just the academic performance of a child, it involves their creativity skills, effective communication skill, research skills and many more. It is crucial that the parents be well versed with the development of their wards so that they can understand their child's strengths and weaknesses and can inspire and motivate them to do better and sometimes it is more coherent and beneficial the parents unearth these developments and concerns through their wards. So, on November 3, 2018, EPS organised the annual Student Led Conference (SLC) to stimulate a healthy discussion between parents and their children, the students portrayed their achievements, assessments and concerns to their parents. This conference gave the students to explain themselves to their parents and also flaunt their achievements.

It was a very enriching and empowering experience to be a part of this conference and talk about my fears and hopes for the future assessments and to hear them talk about the expectations that they have from me.

(By Madiha Arshad - Grade 10)

یوم اردو پر اقبال کی یاد میں منی سیمینار

علامہ سر محمد اقبال کے یوم پیدائش ۹ نومبر پر تمام اردو ادبی حلقوں میں یوم اردو بہت عزت و احترام سے منایا جاتا ہے۔ ایٹرن پبلک اسکول میں بھی ۳۱ اکتوبر ۲۰۱۸ کو "یوم اردو" کے بد نظر ڈاکٹر سر محمد علامہ اقبال پر منی سیمینار کا انعقاد کیا گیا۔ جس میں مختلف درجات کے طلبانے حصہ لیا اور مشہور و معروف شعرا و مصنفین کے دلکش حلیے میں اقبال پر اپنا کلام پیش کیا۔
ڈاکٹر یاسمین عارف

