

## SOCIAL STUDIES WEEK REPORT

*“ONE LEARNS FROM BOOKS AND EXAMPLE, ONLY THAT CERTAIN THINGS CAN BE DONE. ACTUAL LEARNING REQUIRES THAT YOU DO THOSE THINGS.”*

– Frank Herbert

Education is not only learning of facts but training of minds to think. When we are having a good time, learning becomes easy and not a strenuous task. To make learning a joyous experience, Social Studies Week was observed in the month of August for classes III to V. The classroom became a hive of active learning with ardent students participating in variegated activities.

**Class III** - A festival is a harbinger of love and joy. Learning about the stories behind the festivals makes the celebrations more inspiring and enjoyable. The little kids of Class III watched videos and enacted stories related to the festivals of India for the ‘Let’s Celebrate’ activity.

For the ‘Flavours of India’ activity, students brought exotic dishes from four different regions of India, experienced the joy of sharing and learnt about the varied food culture of our country. This activity enabled them to appreciate diversity and respect differences.







**Class IV** - To ignite interest in history and beauty of Indian architecture, students were encouraged to make a collage of beautiful structures located in the states of northern mountains and northern plains through the **'Architectural Marvels of India'** activity.

Learning was enhanced, when the classrooms went abuzz playing a **Team Up Game** related to various physical features of India. With the help of clues provided, students worked together to form groups for an extempore about various physical features of India. The activity was a good way to put to test their previously acquired knowledge.



**Class V - Leaders Who Inspire Me** activity helped the students identify leaders who inspire them. They spoke famous quotes of their favourite leader. The quotes gave an insight to the leadership ideas and values, of the men, that made them great. With each quotation students learnt lessons which would significantly impact them later in life.

Scavenging through their Atlas, students set to explore exquisite physical features found in the world. This activity was successful to generate love for Geography and turned them into explores.



### Quiz Time

Interesting Quiz sessions were conducted for all the three classes, wherein their knowledge was put to test. It was a way to demonstrate how the learning of social science can be enjoyable, exploratory and enabled the students to think critically and apply what they have learned so far.

The success of week marked to show how Social Studies can help in raising the awareness of students about issues related to their daily lives as well as the vast diversity of the world. It is important that today's child must embrace this diversity so as to make this world a better place to live in.



