

## REPORT ON CARTOON-MAKING SESSION

*“Art is a place for children to learn to trust their ideas, themselves and to explore what is possible. “*

Cartoons have always played a great role in stimulating children’s imagination irrespective of their age. A cartoon-making session was conducted by Mr. Ajit Narayan, a professional cartoonist, on 13th May 2023 for the students of grades IV and V in the school auditorium.

Mr. Ajit Narayan is working as a cartoonist consultant for Scholastic India Pvt Ltd. and has authored 6 books on cartoon making. He connected well with the students and began his session by telling them about the meaning of the word ‘cartoon’. He shared some basic tricks and techniques for drawing cartoons using geometrical shapes. He also provided hands-on experience in creating a cartoon of their own imagination. The students took part in the discussion wholeheartedly and followed his instructions.

It was an energetic and interactive session and turned out to be a huge success among the students. Mr. Narayan guided and encouraged them to be consistent, creative and to hold on to their originality. He motivated them to keep creating expressive cartoons of their own fantasy worlds and practise consistently to hone their drawing skills.

