

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, FIROZABAD

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NEWS LETTER CLASS- UKG APRIL/MAY 2023



The capacity to learn is a *gift*; the ability to learn is a *skill*; the willingness to learn is a *choice*. Brian Herbert

Dear Kindergarten students,

I hope this letter finds you all happy and healthy. As we approach the new school session in the month of April, I am excited to welcome each and every one of you to our kindergarten class!

We are going to have so many new fun learning things, making new friends, and exploring the world around us. Our classroom is a special place where we can learn and grow together.

In our class, we will learn how to read, write, and count. We will also learn about shapes, colors, and animals. We will sing songs, listen to stories, and play games together.

I am here to help you in any way that I can. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to ask me or your parents. Together, we can make this school year the best one yet!

I can't wait to meet each and every one of you on the first day of school. Let's get ready to have an amazing school year together! **ALL THE BEST**

We're Going Back To School

VALUE OF THE MONTH -- "Making Friends & Building Bridges"

"Coming together is beginning Staying together is a prog ress

And working together is success"



THEME OF THE MONTH - "Me & My Family"

Mummy and Papa, I Love You! Come to me, when I call you! Give me a kiss, when I ask you! Mummy and Papa I Love You!!!



SYLLABUS OF THE MONTH

ENGLISH

PHONIC DRILL reading and recognition- a-z & a-z, words related to alphabet Listening and speaking skill [general conversation]

Use of sight words--is, I, am, he ,she

Example - -I am Renu. -She is a girl.-He is a boy. **Reading skill**- words and short sentences with vowel (a e i o u) story- (fitzroy readers) 1'Ann and Mal.' **Writing skill**--a-z, a-z (practice revision)

Exercises from happy learning series practice book. Rhyming words ending with – an,ap,ag,ad,ab,ed,et, ix,ib, ig.op, ut. Use of a , an , the. Introduction of and, this, that, one, many, that, these, those, in, on, under, ne ar work book related exercises

Every month as per schedule

MATH

Review of pre-math concept Review of Shapes Review counting numbers 0-50 Writing 1-30 Back counting 10-0 Skip counting in 10's 5's and 2's Number names 1 to 5Before after in between numbers 1 to

EVS

- ✤ About our self
- Sood Habits, Good Manners-[At school and home playground , neighbourhood, market etc]
- ✤ My school—Explore our school
- ✤ My family--Big and unit family
- ✤ Joint Family, Family tree (Family picture)

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IMPORTANT DAYS OF THE MONTHS

22 April- World Earth Day
29 April - International Dance Day
1st May: International Labour Day.
2nd Sunday of May: Mother's Day.
8th May: World Red Cross Day.



MUSIC - VOCAL

Swar Sadhna , Aakar, Haming

INSTRUMENTAL

Congo... Basic Exercises Beats and hands balance. Keyboard.. Basic Elements of Music

ART & CRAFT -

Drawing book (Colouring) 2. Craft book (Activity) 3. Drawing book (Colouring) 4. Craft book (Activity)

DANCE -

Introduction to dance Freestyle dance with prop dance Warm up exercise Western dance Hast mudra (Pataka)(Naman) (Mushti) (Sarp)

PHYSICAL EDUCATION -

-Fundamental Skills:-*Locomotors Skills:-(i) walking (ii) Running (iii) Jumping *Non-locomotors Skills:-(i) Banding (ii) Stretching (iii) Twisting (iv) Balancing *Manipulative Skills:- (i) Throwing (ii) Catching (iii) Rowling



COMMUNICATION

- We would like to draw your attention towards a few important points that can help imbibe a sense of responsibility, discipline and regularity in your ward.
- Please go through the first few pages of the **almanac** as these pages provide a lot of handy information that you would find useful for the whole year. Kindly ensure that the student **information pages** in the almanac are duly filled. The photograph of the child must be in school uniform (summer uniform).
- The almanac is an important link between the school and home. It must be brought to school everyday. Go through it daily for any message for you. Remarks put down in the almanac should be seen and countersigned regularly.
- In case of the child's absence from school, kindly ensure to fill in the leave record in the child's almanac. Please get the leave sanctioned well in advance if your ward is required to take leave on any working day. In case of medical reasons, leave extending to three or more working days must be supported with a medical certificate.
- The child must carry an extra set of dress in his /her bag every day.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

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- KINDLY ENSURE ALL YOUR CHILD'S BELONGINGSINCLUDING SHOES, SOCKS, BAGS WATER BOTTLE'BOOKS AND STATIONARY ITEMS ARE LABELED PROPERLY
- Students must wear their **Identity Card** to the school daily.
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- If you wish to communicate with the school, the letter should be addressed to the Principal. Mention your child's name, class and section admission number, address, phone number, clearly on an A-4 size sheet
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- All students are expected to wear neat, clean and proper school uniform as specified.
- Please go through your child's notebooks/books daily and help them to keep them in **GOOD CONDITION** and to **COMPLETE MISSED WORK** if any
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- IF CHILD IS NOT WELL PLEASE DO NOT SEND HIM/HER SCHOOL (NOT WITH ANY MEDICINE ALSO), GIVE THEM PROPER REST, LOVE AND CARE AT HOME AND SEND WHEN THEY FELL COMPLETELY FIT.

MENU OF THE MONTH-BON APPETITE

DA \$ 7		
DAY	MENU	HOW DOES IT HELP IN WELL
		BEING OF THE
	5	CHILD
Day 1 Monday	Veg sandwich & Ghee roasted makhana (lotus	
	seeds) An easy sandwich, that kids would love with cheese and vegetables. Choose fiber-rich bread and roasted makhana for a healthier choice. You can choose any sandwich spread also like Mayonnaise, Peanut butter also, of your kid's liking.	{With this kids will get - -Carbs, protein, green vegetables and fibers Superfood makhana is rich in proteins and fibre. Makhanas are a very good source of calcium. etc}
Day 2 Tuesday:	Roti, Paneer butter mas ala or Any other paneer recipe, Cucumber salad and 1 handful of mix nuts (Pistachios Dates Cashew nuts Almonds Walnuts Raisins) Paneer with rich buttery gravy goes well with the soft rotis, that will be kid's favorite!	{With this, Kids will get Carbs, protein, fat, Vitamins'iron and fibers-}
Day 3 Wednesday:	Day 3 We dnesday: Pav Bhaji, plain or jaggery coated dry fruits Mixed veggies cooked with masalas and topped with butter chopped onion and lemon juice with pillow-soft buns! You can chop the veggies the day before and use burger buns also.	{With this, kids will get- Carbs, protein, fat, Vitamins and fibers-}
Day 4 Thursday:	Channa pulao or choleRice, Apples or fruit salad Soak basmati rice and chana overnight and morning you can make this pulao easily! With a little bit prior preparation you can make chole-rice as well. Healthy for your kids too!!	{With this kids will get carbs, protein, vitamins ,minerals and fibers }
Day 5 Friday:	Any fermented dish,Idli and sambhar, dhokla, uttapam and coconut chatni and 1 slicer of banana bread etc	{With this kids will get carbs, protein, vitamins ,minerals and fibers

TIPS FOR PACKING SCHOOL LUNCH

- Plan your lunchbox in advance: For example make the dosa batter, chapati dough, filling for paratha, sandwich, cool completely, and refrigerate. You can also chop some veggies, fruits and store them in the fridge.
- Get your kids involved in lunchbox planning It is an inspiring way for them to learn and try about new foods.
- Bento Box -Using bento-style STAINLESS steel lunchboxes with compartments is good choice to to pack a variety of food items saperately.
- Thermos: You can pack hot soups and pasta in a thermos to keep the food warm and retain its consistency on a chilly or rainy day.
- Water/ Juices /butter milk : Filtered water, occasionally send fresh homemade juice and coconut water or chach specially in summers.
- Balanced Meal: Pack a well-balanced meal with fruits, vegetables, whole grains, unprocessed foods, carbs, protein, and dairy. Consider the below nutrient-dense foods.
- 1. Fruits: Always try to pack fresh, colorful, organic seasonal fruits for your child.
- 2. Vegetables: Try to include a variety of fresh, low-sodium frozen vegetables, including colored, dark green leafy greens.
- 3. Whole Grains: Choose whole grains, such as whole-wheat bread, quinoa, rice, whole-wheat pasta, and millets.
- 4. Protein: Choose paneer (cottage cheese), greek yogurt, tofu, lentils, beans, peas, unsalted nuts, and seeds.
- 5. Dairy: Try to include dairy products, such as milk, plain yogurt, and cheese.
- Switch things up: Repeated lunches can be boring, so try to change the menu weekly by switching things up, be it in main lunch, snacks, veggies, or fruits. Also put, surprise delights including crackers, chips, homemade cakes, cookies, savory snacks, or sweets some days. I also prefer to pack her favorite breakfast food for lunch at times.
- Prevent food from getting soggy: I prefer cooking food just before packing my lunchbox. However, hot food, when packed in the steel lunch boxes, causes condensation and makes the food soggy. To avoid it, allow the food like paratha, grilled sandwich to cool completely before packing. Utilize leftovers – make sure to use any leftovers that will work as a cold lunch – pizza, pasta, soups, dips, etc.

Note-Always pack lunch in properly washed and dried box, water bottle should be clean daily with soap and warm water,

MAKE LUNCH BOX -HEALTHY & YUMMY

Makhana Paratha (Lotus Seed Paratha)

Makhana Paratha is an easy to make and healthy paratha prepared with wholewheat flour, Makhana pops (lotus seeds) and indian spic

Ingredients-Measuring cup (1 cup = 250 ml)

- 1 cup <u>whole wheat or multigrain</u> <u>flour</u>
- 1 heaped cup roasted makhana
- ¹/₂ teaspoon Chat Masala
- ¹/₄ teaspoon <u>turmeric powder</u>
- ¹/₂ teaspoon jeera (cumin) powder
- ¹/₄ cup coriander leaves
- <u>salt</u> to taste
- 2 tablespoon ghee to (cook parathas)
- water to knead dough

Instructions



1. Heat ghee in a pan or kadai, add 1 cup of Makhana, and dry roast them on very low heat for 4-5 minutes until they are crisp.Transfer to a mixer jar and grind it to a fine powder.

- 2. Add wheat flour, makhana (lotus seed) powder, chat masala , turmeric powder, garam masala, jeera powder, coriander leaves, gheel, and salt in a bowl. Mix well.
- 3. Add some water and keep kneading till you get the smooth dough. The dough should be tight and firm (not soft).
- 4. Make balls from the dough.
- 5. Roll the parathas semi-thick/thin by dusting some dry flour.
- 6. Heat a tawa on medium heat and place the paratha and let it cook. Put ghee on the paratha and make it crisp.
- 7. Serve Phool Makhana paratha recipe with curd, pickle, **raita**, ketchup, or any gravy of your choice.

MEAL PLAN-

Eat healthy, feel healthy & keep yourself healthy

Crunch & Sip is a set time in preprimary & primary wings for students to 'refuel' on vegetables, salad and fruit and 'rehydrate' with water. Students who are not hungry and are well hydrated perform better in the classroom, show increased concentration and areless likely to be irritable and disruptive.

Healthy Fruits Break Options--

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1.	Healthy Roasted Seed Mix	1 cup (150 gms) sunflower seeds+1 cup (150gms) pumpkin seeds+1 cup (150gms) flax seeds+1/2 cup (75gms) white sesame seeds+1/2 cup (75 gms) black sesame seeds	1.5 Serving spoon	
2.	Dry Fruit Mix	Cashew + Almonds+ pistachio +dates+Raisins +any other dry fruit	2 serving spoon	
3.	Fruit mix or any seasonal fruit	¹ / ₄ Cup Apple +1/4 +Banana+ ¹ / ₄ cuppapaya + ¹ / ₂ tsp soaked chia seeds Or mix of fruits available	1 big Bowl or 3 serving spoon	
4.	Sprouts	2 spoon of sprouts of Moong +2 spoon of Gram Boiled chic peas +few drops of Lemon +black salt + sesame seeds	3 to 4 servin g spoon	
5.	Salad	¹ / ₂ tomato + 1/2 onion+ ¹ / ₄ cucumber+ 2tsp chopped Coriander + 3 tsp Chopped Spinach+ 2 TSP Beet Root +1 tsp oliveoil+ 1 tsp flex seeds	3 to 4 servin g servin gspoo n	
б.	Soacked black gram or dry roasted chana + Gud or Jaggry	3 tsp Black Lentil or dry roasted chana +2 Tsp Jaggry	2 servin g spoon full of mix	

ACTIVITIES

APRIL 2023				
Day/ Date	Events			
Wednesday, April 5,2023	I am Special(Nursery to UKG)			
Thursday, April 13, 2023	Tug of War			
Monday, April 17,2023	Magic with Colours (Nursery)			
Tuesday, April 18,2023	Fancy Dress(LKG)			
Wednesday, April 19,2023	Dolls of World(UKG A & UKG B)			
Friday, April 21,2023	Eid Celebration & Earth Day Celebration			
Monday, April 24,2023	Epic Enactment(Ist)			
Tuesday, April 25,2023	Writing Competition(IInd)			
Saturday, April 29,2023	International Dance Day &Inter House Western Dance Competition			
	MAY 2023			
Day/ Date	Events			
Monday, May 01, 2023	Labour Day(Nursery to 2^{na})			
Thursday, May 04, 2023	Buddha Purnima Celebration			
Saturday, May 13, 2023	Mother's Day Celebration & PTM-1			
Wednesday, May 17,2023	Pool Bash Party			
Monday, May22, 2023	Summer Camp begins			
Tuesday, May 30, 2023	Culmination of Summer Camp			



FUN CORNER

FIND 5 DIFFERENCES



BRAIN TEASERS

- 1. **RIDDLE:** What 2 things can you never eat for breakfast? Answer: Lunch and dinner.
- 2. **RIDDLE**: What has hands but doesn't clap? **Answer**: A clock.
- 3. **RIDDLE**: You will buy me to eat but never eat me. What am I? **Answer**: A plate.
- 4. **RIDDLE**: Four legs up, four legs down, soft in the middle, hard all around. What am I? Answer: A bed.

Signature of Class Teacher

Signature of Coordinator

Signature of Principal