

# THE ARDEE NEWSLETTER

Goa Primary Edition

## Important Dates in September

Ganesh Chaturthi:  
2nd September

Grandprants Day:  
6th September

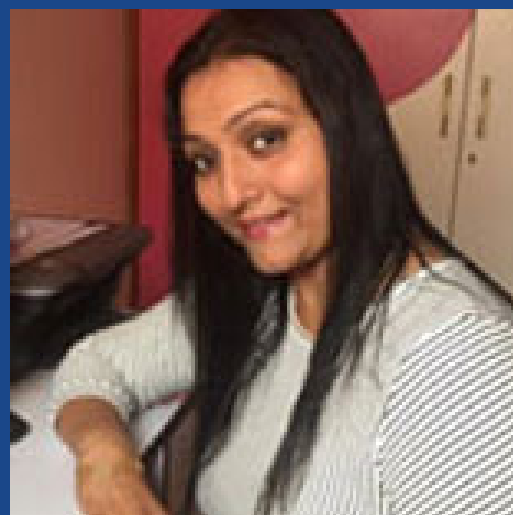
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THE ARDEE SCHOOL  
BE THE CHANGE

## A note from the Principal



I am happy to keep on record that school has been making steady progress in all the fields. Our students have excelled in studies and have performed very well in their IGSCCE examination. In sports too, the school continues to strive to provide students with wider vistas to explore and develop their talents.

From our past experience we know that students are amazingly curious and massively creative. School has been organizing various scholastic activities to provide a platform for the students so that they may expose their latent talents in different fields. The stress we lay on moral values, sports, literary and cultural activities helps in channelizing the youthful energy of our students. Our main objective is to nurture good in our students and we are striving in unison to achieve this goal so that these students may become responsible citizens of the society.

I convey my best wishes to all the students.




# PSA



One book, one pen, one child and one teacher can change the world. Thank you for your kindness, your encouragement and helping our children learn valuable lessons.

Happy Teacher's Day! 💡💡

~ Ms. Lamia Saldanha ( PSA Rep Year 6)



HAS IT EVER OCCURRED TO YOU THAT AS PARENTS WE GET REWARDED AND PRAISED FOR OUR CHILDREN'S ACHIEVEMENTS, WHEN IN ACTUAL FACT IT'S PROBABLY THE TEACHERS IN THEIR SCHOOL WHO SHOULD GET THE RECOGNITION. THEY ARE THE ONES WITH THE TOUGH JOBS. THEY HAVE TO GET UP EVERY MORNING AND GET TO WORK BEFORE YOUR CHILDREN. THEY HAVE TO PUT ON BRIGHT CHEERFUL FACES EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY BE TIRED OR FEELING POORLY. THEY ARE THE ONES WHO HAVE TO HANDLE NOT ONE, TWO OR THREE KIDS BUT A WHOLE CLASS OF 20-25 KIDS ALL WITH VARYING DEMANDS AND NEEDS. THEY ARE THE ONES WHO NEED TO MAKE SURE OUR KIDS OUR KEPT SAFE AND SECURE THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL DAY. THEY ARE ALSO THE ONES WHO AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL DAY, HAVE TO GET HOME, CORRECT YOUR KIDS TESTS, EXAMS AND HOMEWORK. ONCE THEY HAVE DONE THAT, THEY THEN NEED TO PLAN FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL DAY.

SO THE NEXT TIME YOU SPEAK TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER, LET'S REMEMBER THAT THEY ARE WORKING A FULL DAY, ALWAYS SMILING, CARING AND NURTURING THE MOST PRECIOUS GIFT TO US PARENTS.

ON THIS TEACHER'S DAY 2019, ON BEHALF OF ALL THE ARDEE PARENTS, HERE IS A HUGE "THANK YOU" TO ALL THE TEACHERS, PRINCIPALS AND ALL THOSE WHO WORK IN THE BACKGROUND WHO PROBABLY NEVER GET APPRECIATED - THE ADMIN TEAM, THE DIDIS, THE GARDENERS AND THE DRIVERS. THANK YOU FOR BEING SO CARING AND PATIENT, THANK YOU FOR IMPARTING SOME OF YOUR WISDOM ON TO OUR CHILDREN BUT MOST OF ALL THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SELFLESS SACRIFICES.

*Cheers to all of you!*

A dedication to our teachers by Ms. Leanne Costa Frias (PSA Rep Year 3)



# Independence Day celebrations



A pyramid formation by our gymnasts.



Students presented their posters on 'Vrikshabandhan'



Community service: Vrikshabandhan- The students pledged to protect the trees by decorating a tree with sacred threads, rakhis and messages.



Art installation- A child gluing Tri-coloured feathers onto the peacock.



The students sang a melodious song 'Three colours'



# Sports Corner



Kho Kho



Stretching exercises



Morning Meditation



Basketball passing



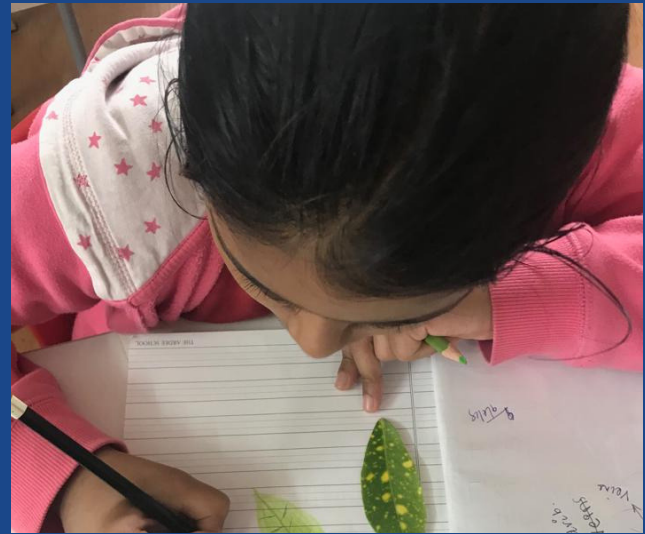
Throwing activity



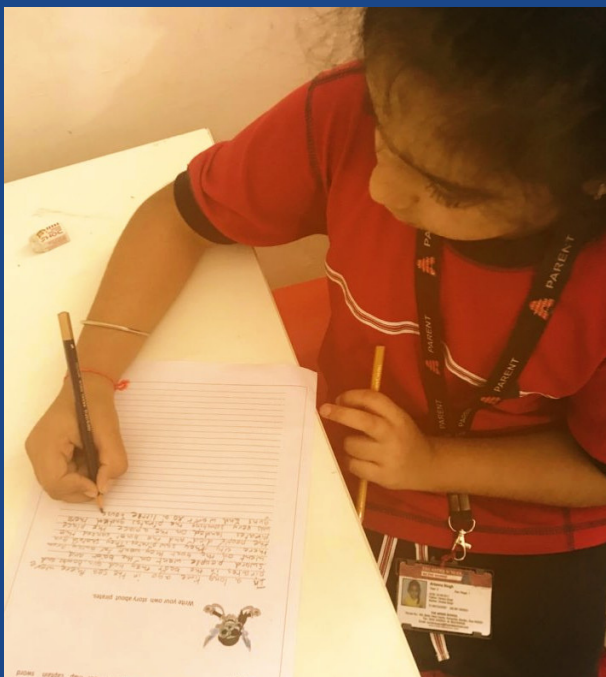
Football dribbling skills



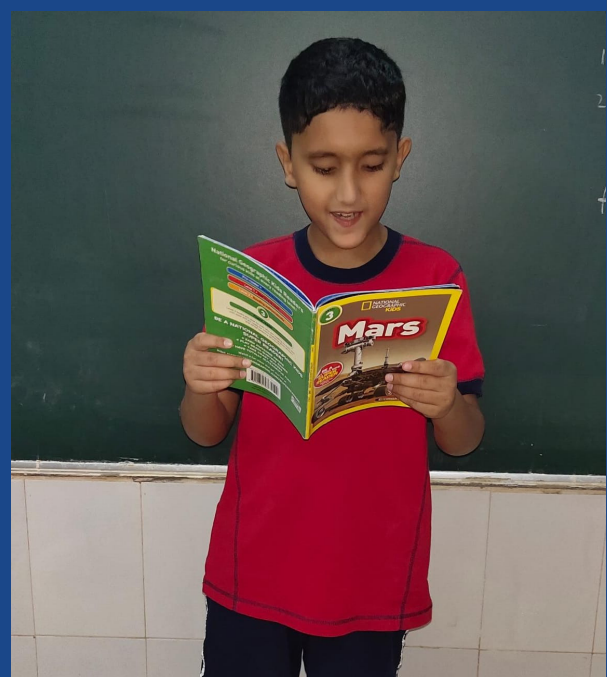
# Academics



Science Year 2: Learners took a walk around the school and looked for leaves bearing in mind the difference in their shape, size and colour. Their activity continued with creating a leaf rubbing by placing the leaf under their paper and rubbing over it with a crayon. They then labelled the parts of the leaf.



English Year 3- The parts of a story mountain: Students wrote a story about pirates bearing in mind the 5 key elements.



English- Persuasive Text- Students used features of a persuasive text while they presented their thoughts in order to grab the attention of the listener.



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Hindi KS2- The students created a spidergram for a particular Matra in Hindi and wrote words that use the same. .



Science Year 4- Students watched a video about Classification keys.

## PSHE (Personal Social Health & Economic Education)



The School Counsellor spoke to the students on Self-Awareness and building Self-Esteem. Students did a mirror activity to help build their confidence.

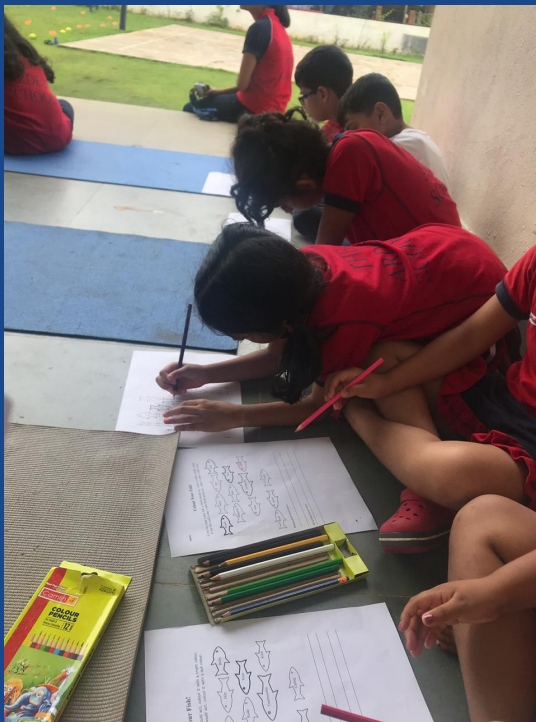




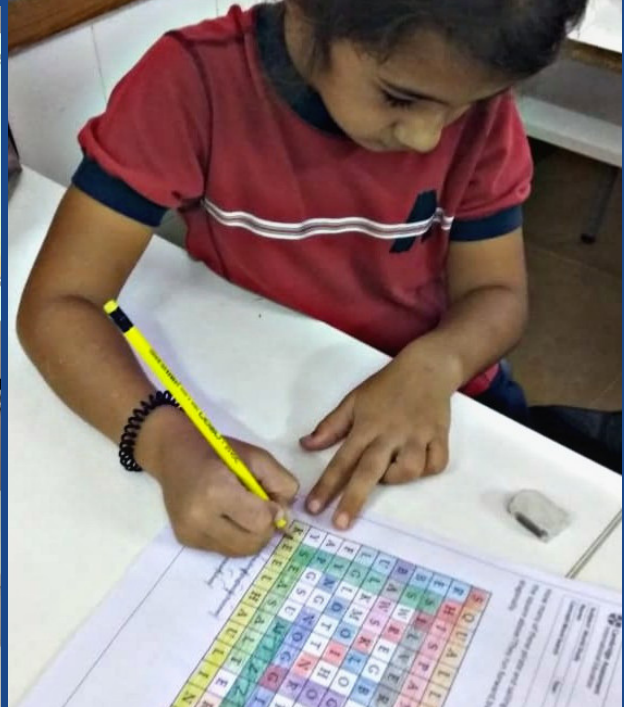
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The school counsellor, Ms. Joyce spoke to the students about the pillar of Character Building.



Ms. Joyce, conducted a session on Friendship and Relationships and explained the concept through an activity.



KS1 n KS2- Word search for  
the theme: pirates



A Master theater workshop was held by Ms Arundhati who focussed on certain theatre exercises to build the understanding of theatre. As actors how the students would execute the written lines. Voices, movement, eye contact and emotions were discussed with examples.



# World Studies



Students of KS1 preparing the props for the Pirate party



Our students were dressed as pirates. They sang songs about pirates too.

