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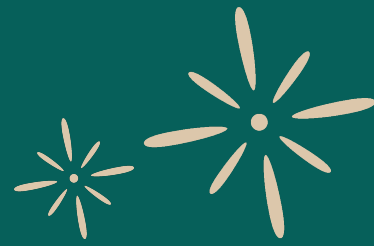


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Republic Day Pre primary



Students of Early Years celebrated Republic Day on Wednesday, 25 January 2023. They came dressed in tricolour clothes to school and enjoyed making tri colour art activities.

Students of Nursery had fun making headgear with the cutouts of tricolour butterflies.

Junior KG students made a chain of tri-color.

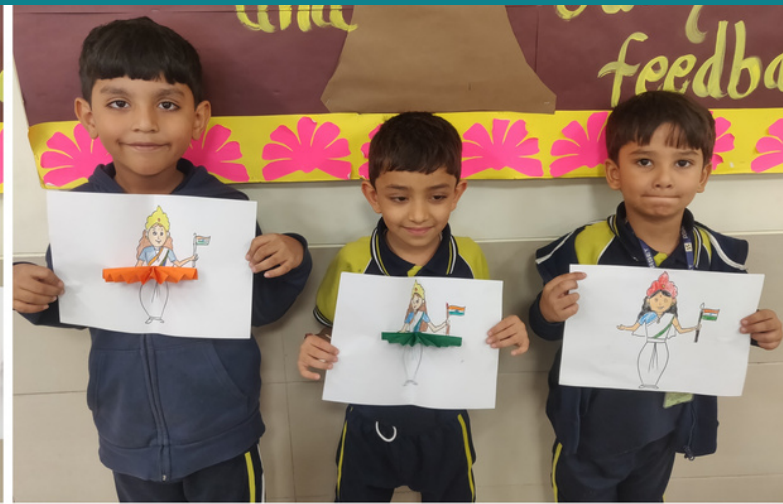
Senior KG students enjoyed making the tricolour flag with finger painting on it.

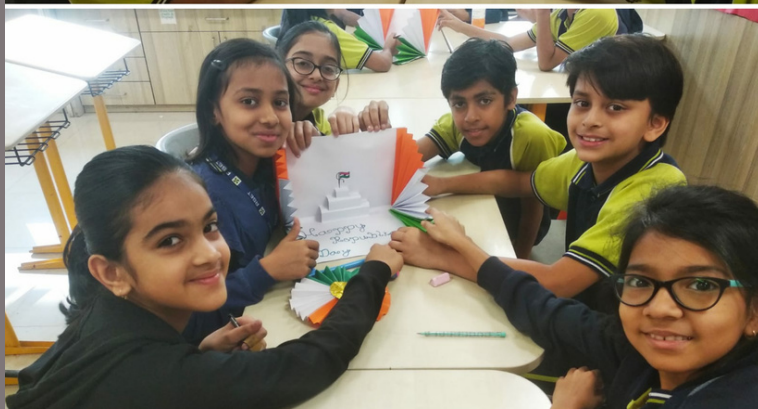
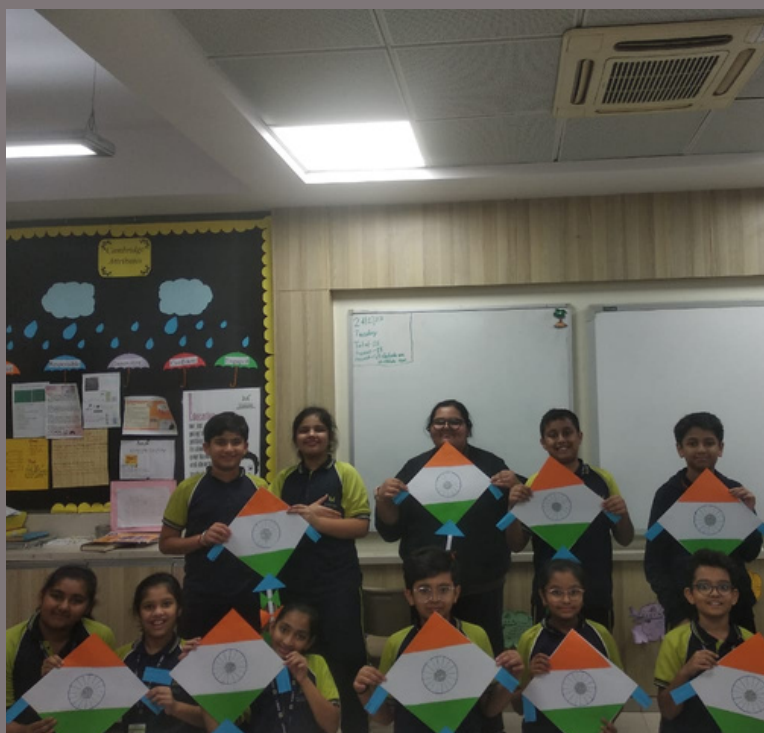
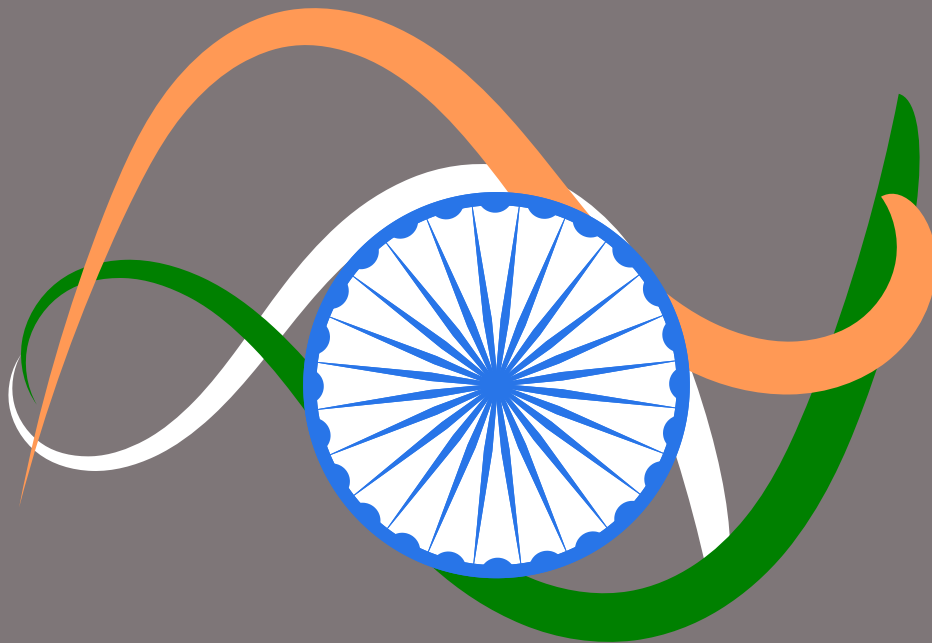




Republic Day- Primary

Republic Day is celebrated annually to commemorate the adoption of the constitution of India on January 26, 1950. On Wednesday, 25th January 2023, primary students at MBIS were explained its importance with the help of videos and class discussions. The students displayed their sense of patriotism with creative art work that they made together. Grade 1 students made individual 3D pop-up cards and coloured the picture of Mother India on it. Grade 2 prepared a beautiful wall hanging with just paper strips. Grade 3 put together a tricolour peacock while grade 4 collectively made a 3D pop up card. Our students of grade 5 made tricolour kites to show India soaring to new heights. Pre Republic Day was celebrated with great fervor among the students at MBIS





Workshops

Grades 1, 2 and 3

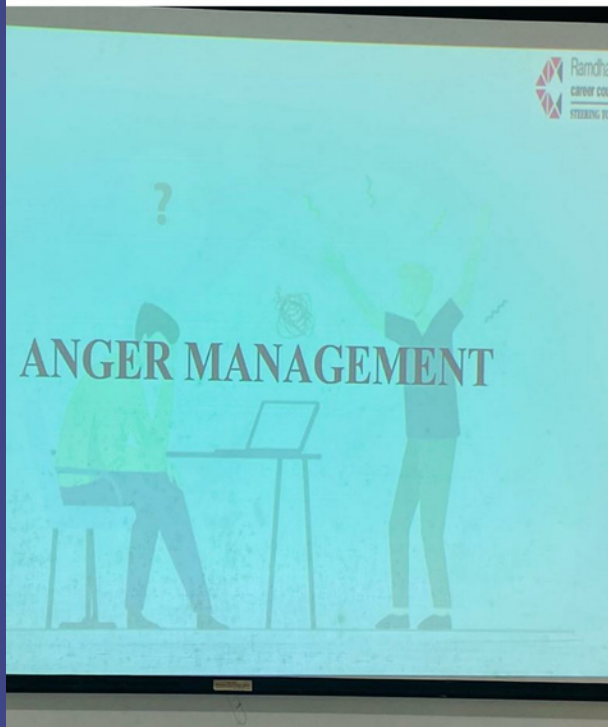
Respect and Being Independent

Ms. Bhoomi, our Counsellor, conducted a workshop on Friday, 27 January 2023, for Grades 1, 2 and 3 that enunciated the values of Respect and Being Independent. The students were given an opportunity to reflect on their behaviour and were then enlightened on appropriate behaviour. Students learned the importance of being independent in their day to day lives. It was also a platform to discuss different tasks and activities they do at home and in school that depict independent working styles. Some students shared ways in which they can be part of household chores. This helped motivate their peers as they got to know of the different ways in which their friends help their parents. The session ended with an oath being taken by students.


Grades 4 and 5

Anger Management


Expressing emotions is an integral part of our lives. However, expressing them in the right way is an important skill. On Friday, 27 January 2023, Ms. Bhoomi, our Counsellor, conducted a workshop for the students of Grades 4 and 5 on 'Anger management'. She enlightened them on the importance of accepting their emotions, managing them appropriately, expressing them, and communicating it to the other person without hurting their sentiments. She also conducted an activity which made students express their emotions in different situations. These strategies of Anger Management will go a long way in helping our students imbibe a valuable skill for life.





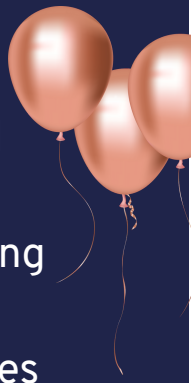


Pre primary and Primary Annual Day

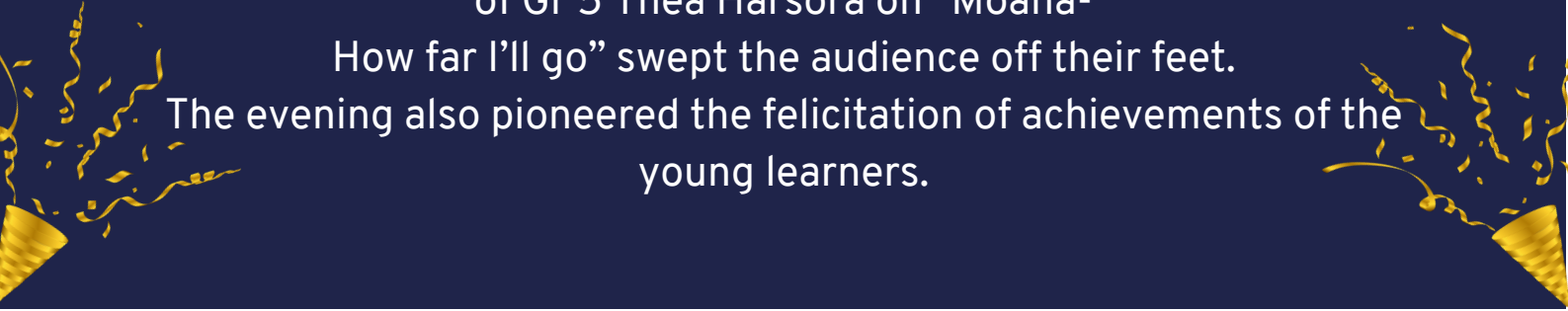


Emerging with a great sweep of energy, the students of pre-primary and primary sections of MBIS brought Akbar and Birbal to life with a prodigious concoction of dance and drama to mark the Annual Day of MBIS. The skit was woven around the theme 'Tale-a-thon' which was an amalgamation of stories. A platform to exhibit their hidden talents, every student got a chance to enhance their confidence by performing on the stage.

It was a spectacle of sheer joy to see a student of Senior KG and Grade 5 come together and narrate the skit. The choir group added spark to the song, 'I Want Something Just Like This' by modifying the lyrics according to the theme of the event. The dance performances by tiny tots of Nursery, Junior



KG and Senior KG made the audience reminisce about their care-free and fun-filled childhood days. The audience was on the edge of their seats to see the nail-biting dance performances by Grades 1-5. The cart-wheels, flips, front rolls and the dance moves gave a rise to the occasion. The visuals of it will definitely remain with the audience. Mesmerizing performance of Gr 5 Thea Harsora on "Moana- How far I'll go" swept the audience off their feet.



The evening also pioneered the felicitation of achievements of the young learners.

MISA velocity

Our Students participated in MISA-Velocity Athletic Meet 2023- An Inter School event by MISA for students of international schools across Mumbai that was held on 24 January 2023 at the Sports Authority of India Ground, Kandivali. A total of 27 Students enthusiastically participated in varied events like Athletics, Long Jump, 4x100 m Relay, Drill and Parade. A fantastic performance by the U-10 boys relay team and U-12 girls that they qualified for the finals.



PDSA Inter school table-tennis competition

An Inter school Competition for table-tennis was organized by Pravinchandra D.Shah Academy(PDSA) on Saturday,28 January 2023 at MBIS for U-8 to U-16 boys and girls.

Gr 2 Jeremy Paul won the 2nd place and Gr 2 Pranshu Agarwal won 3rd place in the U-8 boys category.





Language Day

English has become the Lingua Franca of the entire world, bringing together everyone for communication.

On 31 January 2023 the Primary section at MBIS celebrated 'Language-Day'.



It was a fun-filled and joyous day for all the students. The students played different games based on synonyms, homophones, anagrams, adjectives, story-puzzles, idioms, nouns, collective nouns, plurals, jumbled words etc. Mahatma Gandhi had said that, "The English language is so elastic that you can find another word to say the same thing." The game based on synonyms, just exactly proved this.

English also stands as one of the most complicated languages. Students enjoyed playing games that contained words based on homophones...hair, hare here, and due and dew.

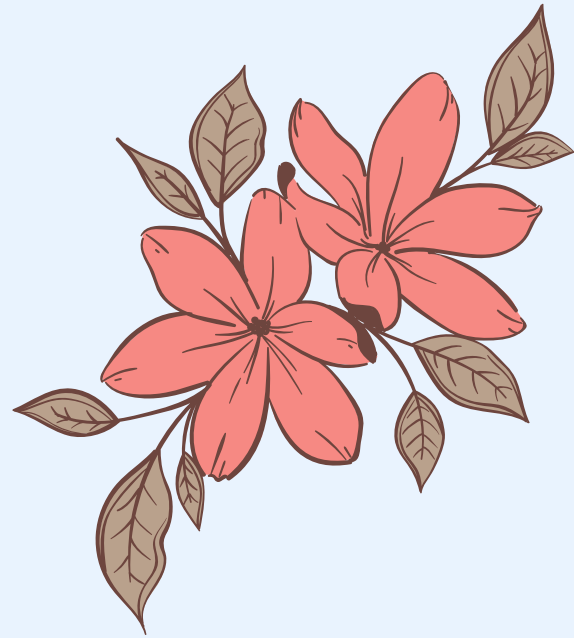
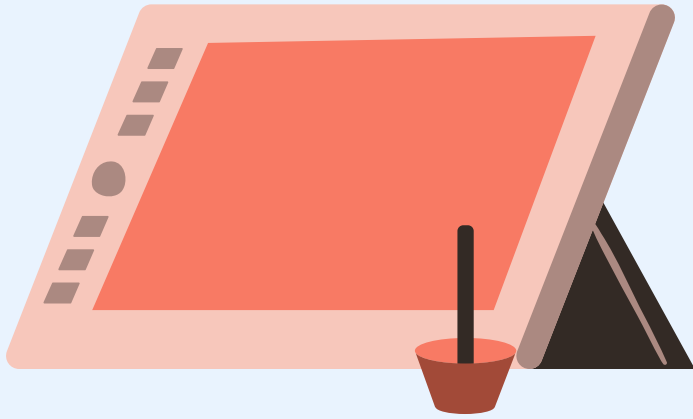
At the end of it all, the students agreed that English is a funny language; and that explains why we park our car on the driveway and drive our car on the parkway.





MAX LIFE INSURANCE

Drawing competition



Gr 2 Saranya Akhilesh Iyer won the first place in **MAX LIFE INSURANCE** Drawing competition held on Friday, 13 January 2023.



Keep Learning
Keep Growing

Secondary

Misa Synergy 2023

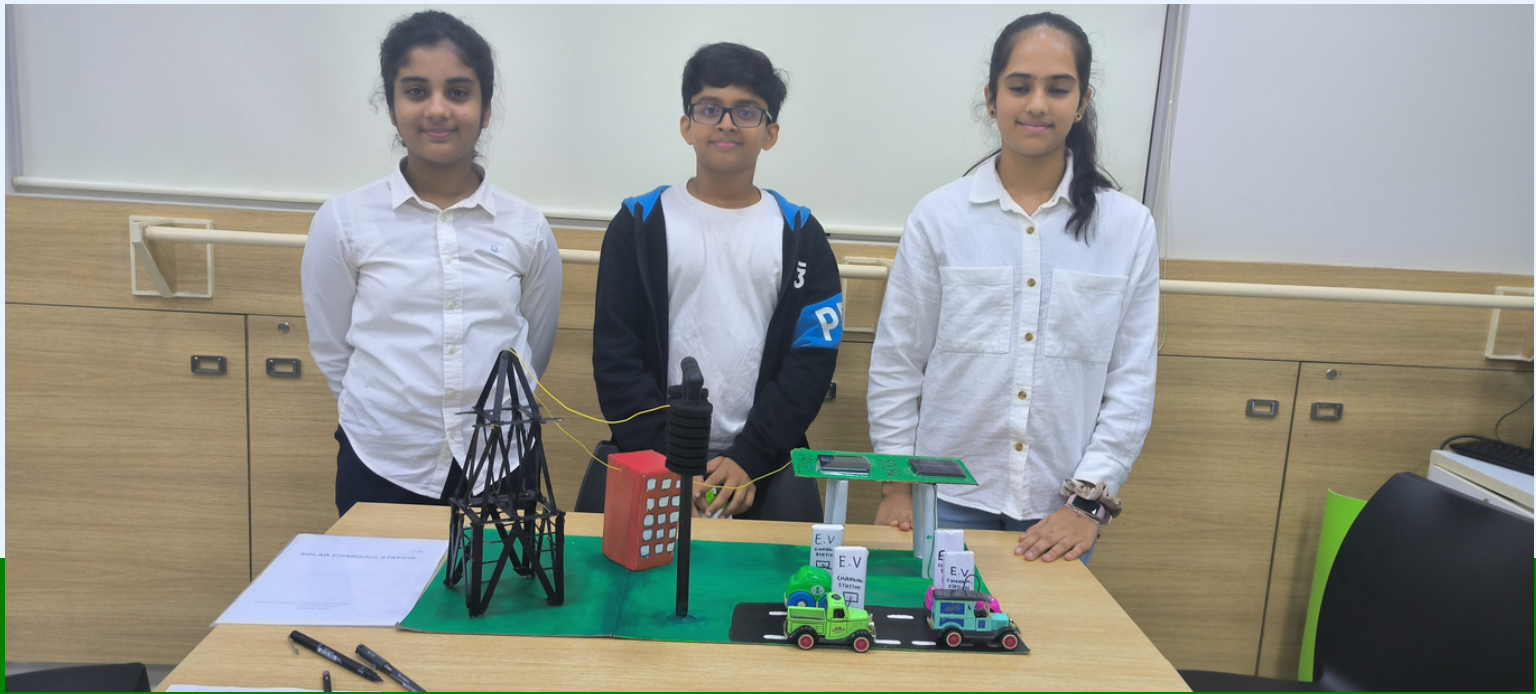


MISA Synergy 2023 was held at JBCN International School, Borivali on 7th January 2023. The theme was UN's sustainable developmental goals in the area of Earth and health.

Students of MBIS participated in two categories- Junior and Senior Category. Junior category displayed a project on Solar Charging Station which showcased use and benefit of renewable resources to charge vehicles over non-renewable resources. Devashree Gunaseelan (Grade 6), Prithvee Prashant (Grade 6), and Valeska Rajput (Grade 7) represented the Junior Category.

Senior category displayed a project on The Eco classroom which was a boon for metropolitan cities where space is a major issue. Overall it was an enthralling experience for all. Aayush Chowdhary (Grade 8), Yajat Sharma (Grade 9), Dhvani Jain (Grade 9), Kushaal Agrawal (Grade 9) represented the Senior Category.





ROTI DAAN

The students of the grade 12 IBDP aligned our Mission statement 'Empathy for All' to the UN Sustainable goal 'Zero hunger' as a part of their CAS Activity. The students of Grade 12 went to every class of the school to encourage all students of the school to get grocery items such as Rice, Cereals, and Sugar. An overwhelming response led to a huge collection which was then handed over to Mumbai Roti Bank, a non-profit organization. This program of 'Reaching Out' depicted the compassionate outlook of the MBIS family.



ANNUAL DAY

Feeling nostalgic about childhood stories - 'Vikram-Betaal, Chacha Chowdhury, Tinkle comics, et al? Well, the students of MBIS left no stone unturned to help their parents reminisce about their childhood memories. The Annual Day for Secondary began with a Horror dance performed by students of Grades 11 and 12 followed by a jaw dropping skit depicting Vikram-Betaal. A thought provoking story of Siddharth and the swan was brought to life by the students of Grade 6. The students of Grades 7 and 8 performed a heart-rending contemporary dance which brought out emotions of sadness as well as compassion. To cheer up the mood, Grades 11 and 12 brought to life the so-very-often-told story of ShekhChilli. Within the skit was the adorable dance enacting the 'Buddhu' in ShekhChilli. The Fairies and Demons of Grade 7 reminded the audience that the conflict between Good and Evil is existential. The audience experienced a never-seen-before Ballet performed by the girls of Grades 6, 7 and 8. How can one fondly remember stories of the past and not be reminded of the witty, humorous, down to earth Tenali Raman? An incident in the life of Tenali was enacted by students of Grade 8. The audience was being served one impactful performance after another, they were then left baffled by the sheer brilliance and ease with which Grade 6 students performed the Shadow Act. Well, having narrated stories and tales written in books, Grade 9 students took it upon themselves to enact a story written in history. They re-lived an important event in the life of the great Maharana Pratap. Not only was their acting performance filled with powerful dialogues evoking patriotism, their dance left one and all with goosebumps. It was indeed an evening well spent. In the words of King Vikram - it is upon us to spread the goodness and values held within the stories we have heard and it is upon us to pass these stories to future generations to reimpose India's rich cultural heritage. This Tale-A-Thon will continue as we spread the message of 'Live Life Childlike' to others.

The link for the photos is :

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1eArn167sfkV3ZgNCw8Vcvn4lowlXdIsC?usp=sharing>



Republic Day



The RSET Campus annual celebration of Republic Day was hosted by MBIS. Republic Day commemorates the effective date of the Indian Constitution. This day was commemorated with a cultural presentation, and the students from MBIS gave a heartfelt performance that inspired the audience.





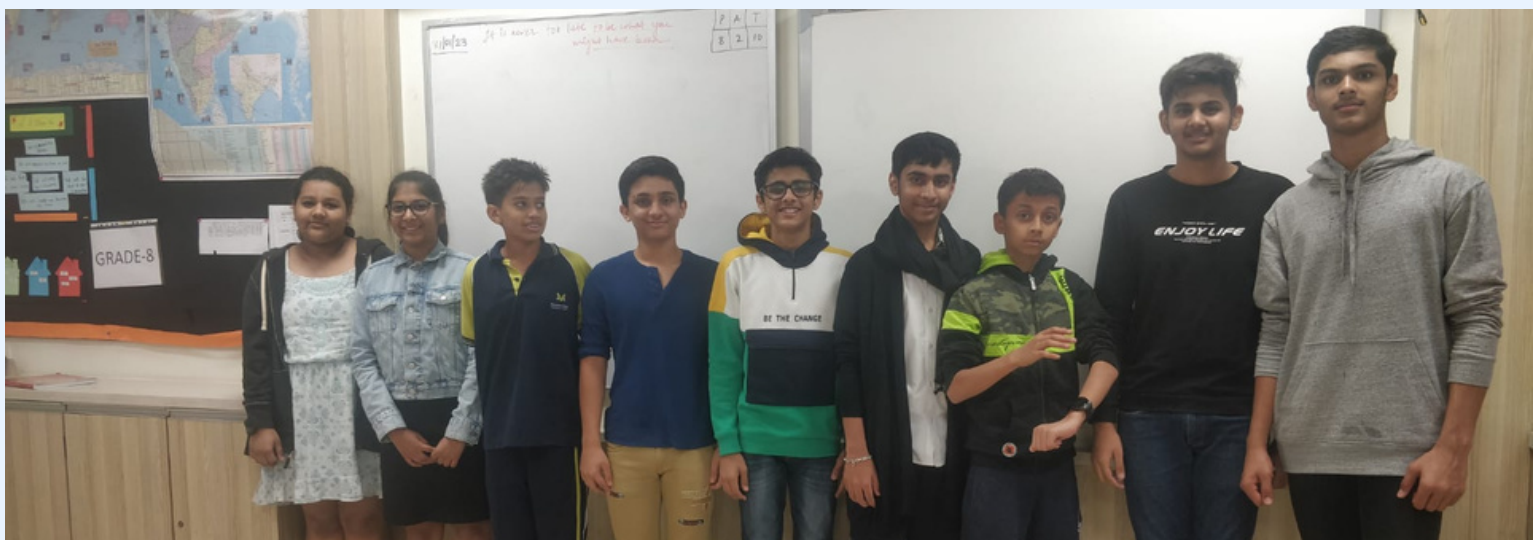


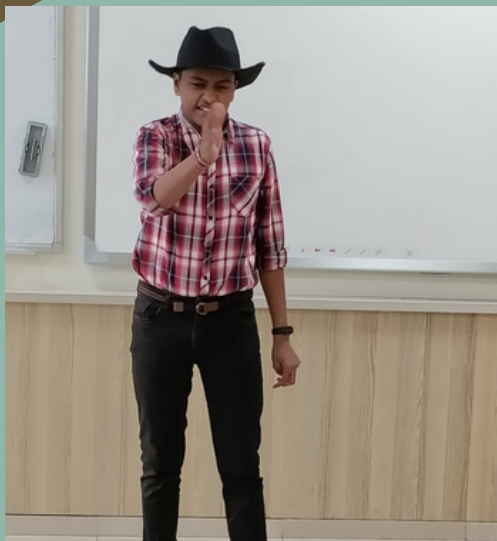
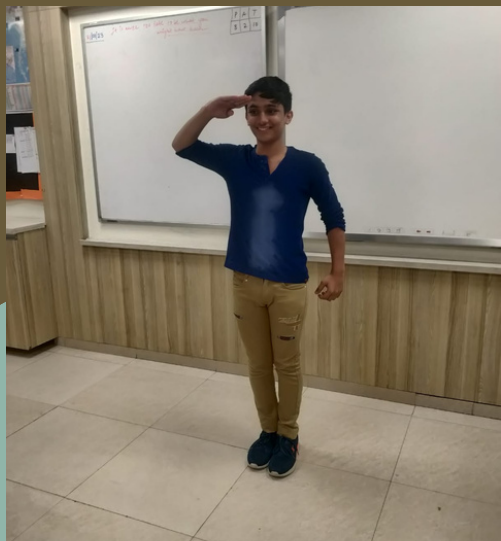


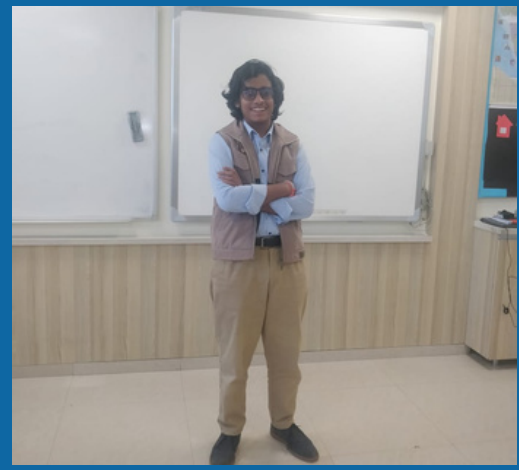
Literature Fest

“Be sure not to discuss your hero’s state of mind. Make it clear from his actions.” - Anton Chekhov

Have you ever imagined you could be Harry Potter or Cinderella? The students of MBIS brought many different characters to life. The students of Grades 6 to 12 dressed as their favourite character or author from one of their favourite novels to celebrate the Literature Fest. They performed a mime and explained their decision to choose a certain character. They also inspired their classmates to research and read works from many literary genres.







MISA Velocity

U-12 girls participated in the 100 Metre Run and 4*100 Relay

U-14 boys participated in 100 Metre Run

U-16 participated in 100 Metre Run and Long Jump Inter School Competition



MSSA U-12 & -14 -Boys football tournament

Our Secondary students participated in the Inter School MSSA U-12 and U-14 boys football league tournament held at Azad Maidan,Churchgate.



IGCSE MOCK EXAMS & RESULTS

The IGCSE mock exams are a series of practice tests that simulate the actual IGCSE exams. These mock exams are designed to help students get familiar with the format and structure of the IGCSE exams, as well as to assess their current level of understanding of the subjects they will be tested on.

The results of IGCSE mock helped to provide students with feedback on their current level of understanding and performance. These results also helped the students identify areas for improvement, to gauge their progress and determine what they need to do to achieve their desired grades in the actual IGCSE exams.

IGCSE BOARD EXAM

IGCSE Borad exam commenced on 30 January 2023

