

Good Friday



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SIGNIFICANCE OF THE MONTH

MONTH OF APRIL

April is the fourth month of the year in the [Gregorian calendar](#), the fifth in the early [Julian](#), the first of four months to have a length of 30 days, and the second of five months to have a length of less than 31 days.

EASTER

Easter festival commemorates the resurrection of Jesus from the dead and is celebrated across the world. It begins from Lent and ends with Holy Week, which includes Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and finally Easter Sunday. In Latin Easter is known as Pascha. It is celebrated annually but the date of the festival is not fixed, it varies every year.



WORLD
HEALTH
DAY



WORLD HEALTH DAY

As we know that "Health is wealth". Therefore, World Health Day is celebrated worldwide every year on 7th April. Various programs and arrangements are managed by the World Health Organization.

EVENTS & CELEBRATIONS OF THE MONTH

WORLD EARTH DAY

On account of World Earth Day the students of Grade 5 were asked to do a DIY on the topic Earth



TEACHERS' ORIENTATION PROGRAM

At the onset of every academic year, we at GISN, deliver the Teacher's Orientation Program (TOP) for the academic and non-academic staffs of Gateway. The Orientation program, ensures that all the staff new to the school, are promptly and effectively socialized into the school culture and allow them to seamlessly integrate into the school community. The staff attended the orientation program on 12.4.2021, where an overview of the entire academic year along with new initiatives and methodologies was shared by our principal Dr. Sanghamitra Banerjee.



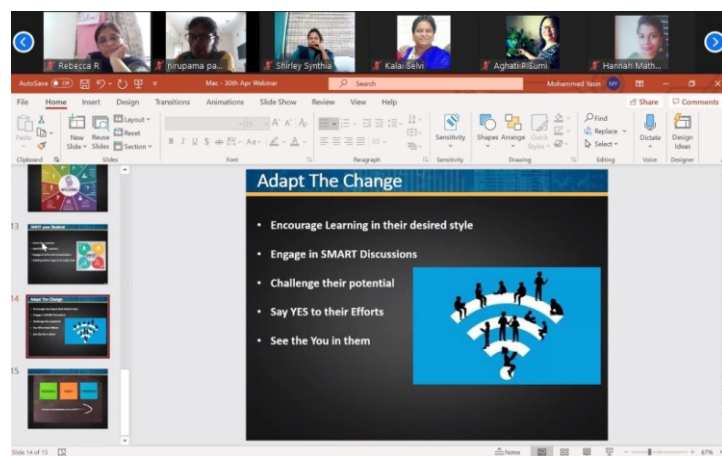
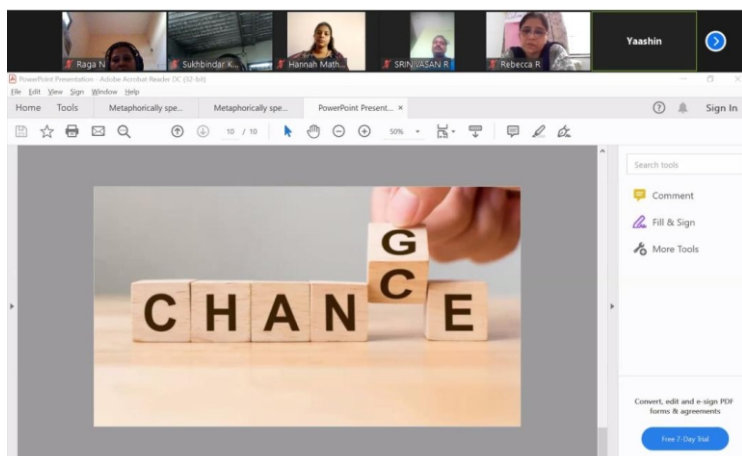
TEACHERS' WORKSHOP

The modules that are covered under this programme, enables the new teachers to gain an in-depth understanding of the philosophy, culture, classroom management tenets and teaching and learning practices along with the vision and mission followed at GISN. The Trainers delivering the modules have well-defined roles in their respective area of expertise and use a variety of proven teaching methods, in conjunction with the most up-to-date teaching materials and cutting-edge learning technologies. The sessions are highly interactive and engaging, as case studies, role plays, hands on activity and teacher presentations alongside with reflective tasks are integrated into each session.



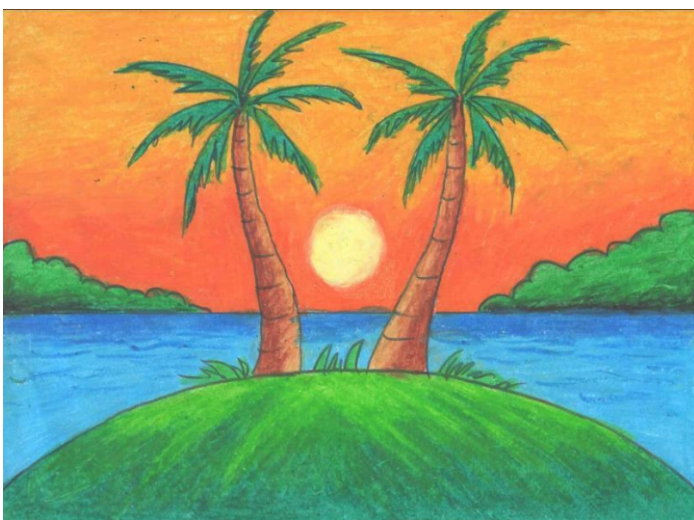
TEACHERS' WORKSHOP ON ENGAGING DIVERSIFIED SKILL SET FOSTERING MUTUAL LEARNING.

The workshop was on how to (i) Learn through fun, (ii) Engage the new age learners (iii) Identify the key skills of learners and nurture their strengths to make a change. Major focus was on building a better synergy among the new age learners by mutual learning through identification of each student's intelligence type. Building a synergy is essential to bring about a change. Perspective difference factor, which is usually left unnoticed was brought out with a hands-on activity. Several pictures were shared in slides and each teacher was asked to choose the picture which represented him or her and justify their choices. Multiple Intelligence concept by Sir Howard Earl Gardner, an American developmental psychologist was explained briefly to give them an insight to help them analyze the new age learners to make them better people. The idea of Mutual learning by forming groups which includes children with different skills was an eye opener to make the classes interesting and to improve the learning outcome was explained through a poll.



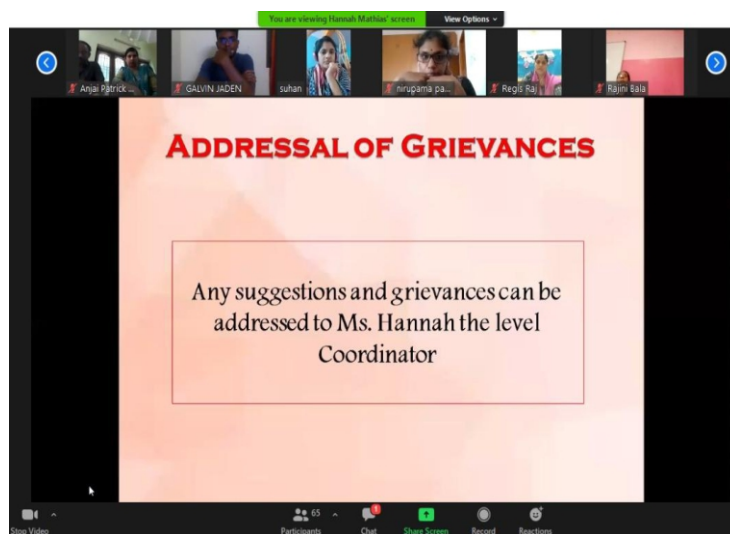
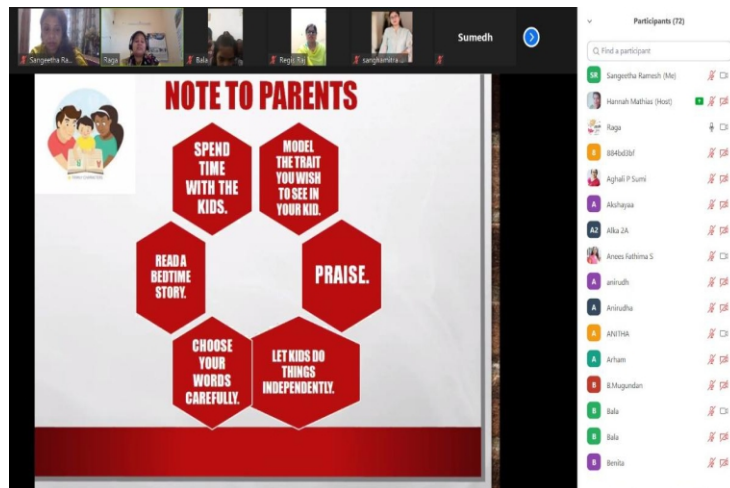
TEACHERS' TALENT HUNT

Talent Hunt serves as a wonderful platform to encourage the teachers to explore and express their talents. To showcase their talents, competitions were held for the teaching and non-teaching staffs. It comprised of different categories- solo singing, solo dance, miming, visual arts, DIY crafts and poetry recitation. The talents with their creative minds and innate caliber were at their best. They put up a scintillating display of their talents. All the events kept the audience spellbound and entertained throughout.



PARENTS' ORIENTATION PROGRAM

Orientation program for parents was conducted on 17th April 2021 for Level II & IV and on 19th April 2021 for Level - III. The orientation program is usually held at the beginning of every year to orient the parents about the school policies and giving them an overview of the various teaching methodologies, we follow. By doing so, the parents would be able to implement the learning process at home as well, ensuring the student doesn't lose continuity in learning. Child development was another area, the parent orientation program focused on. The teachers and the parents discussed the progress being made by their students and problem areas to find a solution. By involving the parents, the school ensures that the student will be given due attention to areas of improvement at home as well, and ensure that they can improve their performance. Yearly calendar was shared to the parents to acknowledge the academic year events and celebrations.



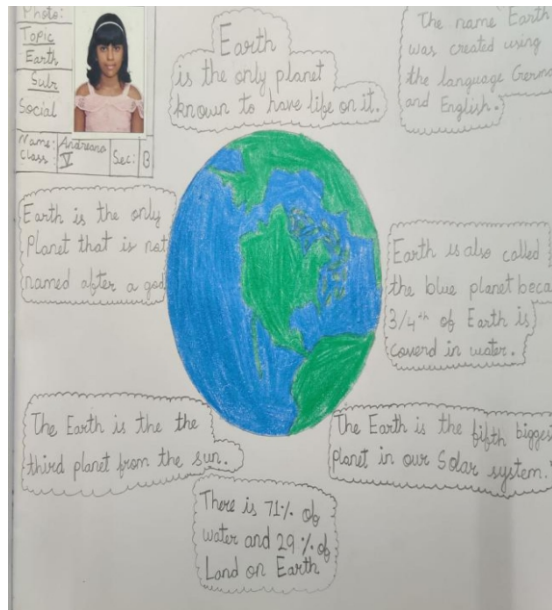
SUBJECT ENRICHMENT

Students of Grade V showcased their talents during Online Let's Learn session with full of energy and enthusiasm. Nothing can replace a day starting with smile and positive vibes to face the whole challenging days...



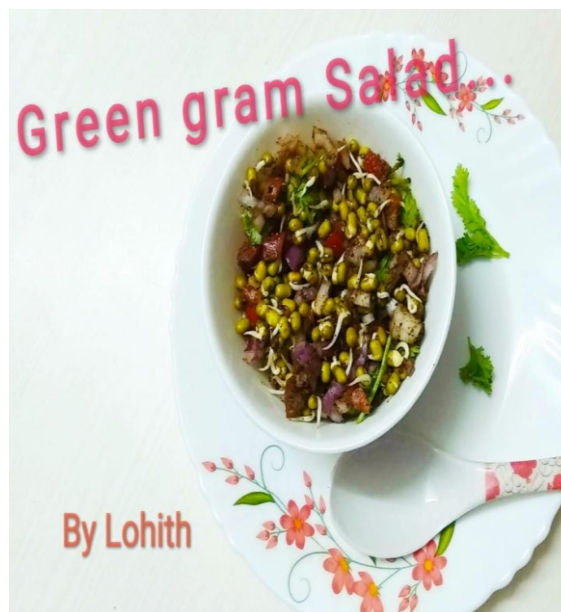
SOCIAL STUDIES

Students of Level – III have learnt about the Earth and its features during Social Online classes. They expressed ideas and knowledge through Higher Order Thinking Skills creatively. Learners expressed through HOTS that our home, is the third planet from the sun. It's the only planet known to have an atmosphere containing free oxygen, oceans of water on its surface and, of course, life. Earth is the fifth largest of the planets in the solar system. Well done dear students. Keep Exploring!



SCIENCE :HEALTHY SPROUTED SALAD

Students of Grade VI had an activity where they observed sprouting and made Healthy Salad with added vegetables. The students enthusiastically participated in this activity and made their colorful salads.



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ZERO SHADOW DAY

A zero shadow day is a day on which the Sun does not cast a shadow of an object at noon, when the sun will be exactly at zenith. Zero shadow day happens twice in a year for the places between +23.5 and -23.5 degrees of latitude.



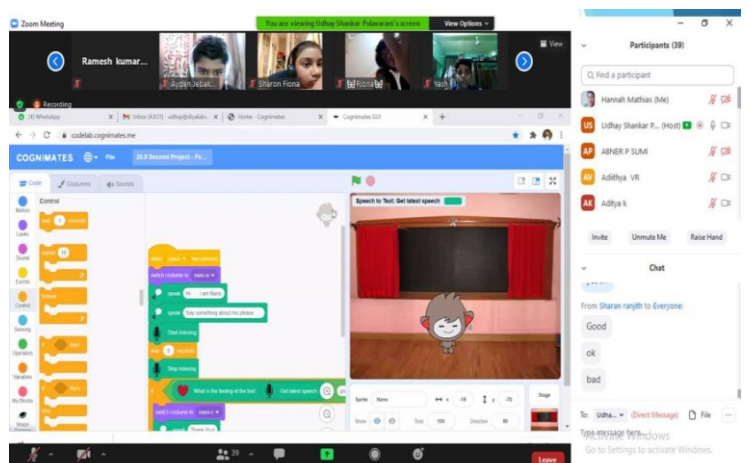
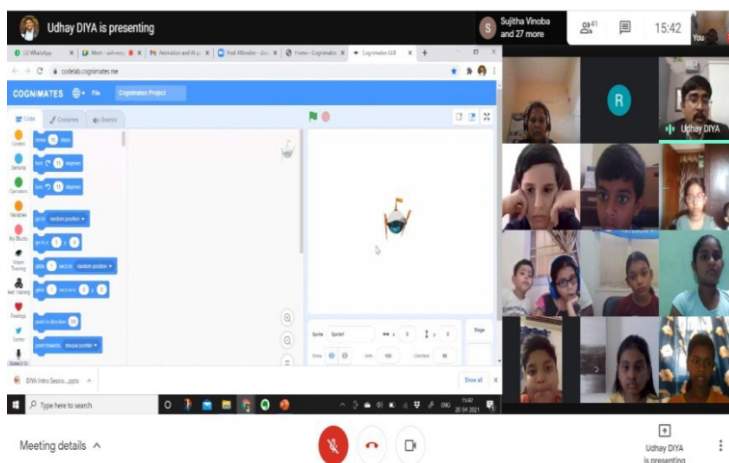
AWARENESS PROGRAM

The children of GISN were starting their summer vacation. A summer Awareness cum fun activity program named “SUMMER SPLASH” was organized by teachers of Level 2 for their extraordinary kids. The mood of celebration were sparkling in the air with summer facts ,summer drinks and much more .the event culminated with a dance related to summer which made the children and teachers shake their legs to the beat. Everything good has to have an end and so did SUMMER SPLASH, with lot of happy moments. The fun will continue when children are back after summer...



AWARENESS PROGRAM ON ROBOTICS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

The world is changing at light speed. Adaptability is the tool which needs to be embraced to be in the flow . Learning proforma's has gone through a turbulent tide and we hope a day of new normal will streamline the process of teaching learning system.The advantage of coding , artificial intelligence and robotics is seen in our everyday life No wonder that's the future and we at GISN never skip to keep our children upgraded with the happenings of the world.



TEACHERS' CONTRIBUTION

I AM A CLASS TEACHER

I plan, I plan and plan the whole day,
To handle all the challenges that comes their way.
I preach and teach day in and out,
Cause I want them to be the best humans, without any doubt.
I say a prayer for each of them,
I feel they are my family all the time.
I cherish each one for what they are,
Individually and as a team, sweet or sour.
Without seeing them even for a single day,
I feel really miserable I should say.
I insist on the fear of God,
Honesty and obedience – a must for all.
Only then the lessons will follow
Automatically I say, there's no need to borrow.
They are the precious jewels of the chain,
That makes the first batch of GISN grade X.
I have eight of them, a gift from god.
I am a class teacher of them all.

Mrs. Rebekah
Level – V Co-Ordinator

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मां सिर्फ एक औरत नहीं मे भी खास है।
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जसीहती से बनाया है।
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किया है।
सदा बहुत कुछ है मां लेकिन छिपाया आप से
हर समस्या में सौच आपको हिम्मत मिली है
आप से।
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और हिम्मत मिली आपसे
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Ms Mubeen Begum
Level – IV Coordinator

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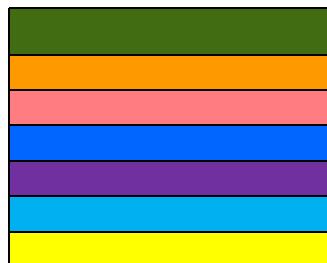
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Department of Tamil

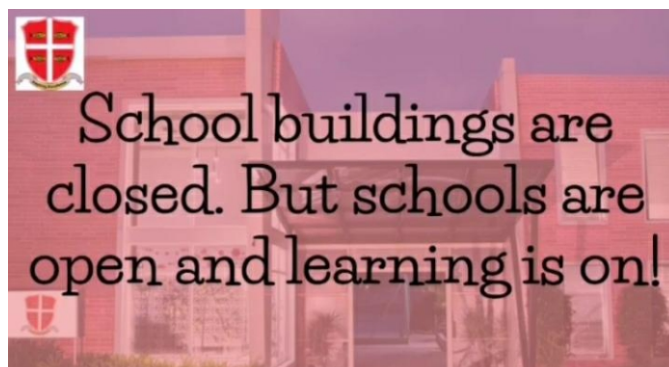
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April 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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					Good Friday	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Easter Sunday					Teachers Yearly Meet	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Staff Induction & Orientation	Teachers Workshop	Tamil New Year	Tamil New Year Holiday	Academic Year 2021 2022 begins	Parent's Orientation or Level II -IV
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
						Teachers Workshop
25	26	27	28	29	30	
			Summer Vacation Begins	Teachers Workshop	Teachers Workshop	



NO WORK DAY
SPECIALY OBSERVED DAYS
EVENTS & CELEBRATIONS
CONTESTS
AWARENESS PROGRAMS
EXAMINATIONS
CPD - CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



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