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SCRIPTING LIFE SINCE 1982

MANAGER'S DESK

THE SUCCESS IS OUR OWN



We are approaching the end of the academic year 2023-24. It is a time for our students to evaluate their effectiveness by appearing for examinations. They may approach the exam with confidence, if they have prepared from the beginning of the year itself. It needs several approaches: fixing a goal in consultation with their parents, proper planning, daily attending the class, completing homework and assignments on time, preparing for monthly tests and securing higher grades, clarifying doubts with subject teachers, participating in extra-curricular activities, interacting with peer group members, getting advice from the elders, keeping good health, doing physical exercises and by being with nature and enjoying its' bounty. In a way, they are challenges only.

On the other hand, if students do not have any particular goal for their study and are not serious about their studentship for the current year, they may not be able to face the series of challenges mentioned above. Facing the challenges does not mean, students can overcome them easily one by one at a stretch. There will be failures. That should not make the person to be in inertia. Evaluating the pros and cons and considering the defects and improving them with the help of others, should lead the person to cross over the failures. The end result is success. That success is our own.

Wish you all very good success in all your exams and praying for your bright future, I remain. May the loving God bless you all!

Rev. Fr. Dr. Thomas Cheeran CMI

PRINCIPAL'S DESK

BE INNOVATIVE NOT CONVENTIONAL

"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I; I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference."

(The Road Not Taken - Robert Frost)

Have you ever watched a child who doesn't want to go some place! His or her steps become smaller and smaller, they start dragging their feet and finally sit down. Have you watched a relay in which the last runner has to catch up with the others to win? His strides become longer and longer and his feet like mighty wings fly into the air, as if carried by the tempest!

The successful man lengthens his stride, meditates out of box, dares to explore extra miles in goal setting and finally sets benchmark that others are forced to imitate. On the contrary, the unsuccessful drags his feet, feels very much comfortable in his tiny orthodox universe, copies others, sits down and weeps like a little child expecting sympathy from others, setting up boundaries for his prospects. What goes into the lengthening of one's stride is more muscle, more determination and greater resolve. It requires conscious efforts. Though some may have a greater predisposition to work hard, it is only through consistent effort and dedication that one can be transformed into a hard worker, making full use of all their potentials.

Being fourth-year CARMEL student for the course LIFE, I have distinguished children, behaving themselves due to force or stress from parents, teachers or mentors. But, I have also spotted another rare category at Carmel, which is more self-disciplined and self-motivated. They are directed to their dream targets and are ready to take on the divergent roads. Hence, think positive, do not bother too much about criticism, stay motivated, take on innovative paths, be different and make the globe inspire.

Rev. Fr. Dr. Anson Panengaden CMI



ADMINISTRATOR'S DESK

HAPPINESS OF OUR LIFE



We are at the beginning of a hot summer that takes away our energy as the scorching sun dries the land. The months of March and April are always a nightmare for the students because of the exams. But these exams are serving as an opportunity to get a higher grade. It opens up new opportunities. So how we take things matters in our lives. If we think of exams as a burden or as an opportunity to get into the next grade, then they are a blessing. So the happiness of our lives depends upon how we take things in them.

On her 16th birthday, Monica was presented with a car by her parents. She complained that, being a member of a wealthy family, she was given a used car. She told her parents that she could not go to college with that piece of junk. Her parents insisted on either a car or no car. Not having any other options, she accepted it. The following day, she went to college in that car and parked it away from the sight of her friends. In the evening, Monica found that her car was unable to start. A poor girl whom she teased on the same day for spoiling her new shoes was passing by and noticed that Monica was in trouble. She helped Monica start the car, and as she was about to walk away, Monica stopped her and asked her to get in the car to give her a ride home in return for her help. That girl refused Monica's offer. Monica accused the poor girl's parents of not giving her a car. The poor girl told Monica that her father lost his job, and he even sold his car to meet the expenses. Even though she was in a difficult situation, the poor girl seemed to be grateful to her father and said that she had legs to walk to her home.

In the story, you can see the attitude of Monica and the poor girl. The poor girl was grateful to her parents, even though she was in a difficult situation. But Monica was complaining about not having an expensive vehicle. Dear friends, it is our attitude towards the situation that matters the most. Take things positively in our lives, so even in hard times we can also find happiness. Happiness in life depends on how you take things in your life. You can't find happiness in others or in anything that is around you. Be grateful for what you have and stop complaining about what you don't have.

Rev. Fr. Prabhath Eluvathingal CMI

REDACTOR'S DESK...

**Excited
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Do the best you can, until you know better, then when you know better, do better.

The four walls of a school teach us many things. They give us space to broaden our horizons, to come out of our shells, and to think from different perspectives. They give us wings to fly and to see our imagination take on a beautiful shape. A school magazine is an important medium of communication as it enables students and teachers to express their imagination fostered by the school and showcase their talents in the form of write-ups, poems, drawings, etc.

It is also an instrument to provide valuable information about school events; and build a strong sense of community among students, faculties, and parents. As you turn the pages of this issue of Script 8, prepare to be immersed in a vibrant showcase of our school community's talent and spirit. Within these pages, you'll encounter thought-provoking articles, captivating artwork, and inspiring stories of achievement that paint a vivid picture of the diverse and remarkable individuals who make up our school. This magazine wouldn't be possible without the dedication of our incredible teachers and students who generously shared their voices and talents. Their contributions are what bring this publication to life, and I extend my heartfelt gratitude to every one of them.

To all our readers, I encourage you to delve into the stories and explore the diverse perspectives you'll find within. This magazine isn't just for reading, but it's a platform for sharing. I invite everyone to consider submitting their creative works, ideas, and experiences for future issues. Together, let's continue to make the magazine a testament to the exceptional potential and vibrant spirit that thrives within our school walls.

Mr. Mohan A, Editorial Board



ACHIEVERS' GALAXY



Mrs. Nagarathinam S & Mrs. Anitha T
Winners of Saint Chavara Shreshta Guru Award 2023



Mr. Mohan A & Mrs. Sunitha B
Winners of Acharya Awards 2023



National Level Table Tennis Winner U-14



National Level Throwball Winner



HYGGE 2023 - Inter School Competition
Overall Championship



Star Performers of First Term (LKG - XII)



Whistle II - Sports Day Winners



SGFI Tamilnadu State Team Players



State Level Chess Winner



The Best Class Award



Athletics, Table Tennis, Chess, Drawing & Karate Winners



The Best Performer
of Srishti - Annual Day Celebration 2024



ACHIEVERS' GALAXY



District Level Basketball Runners Up



District Level Chess Winners



District Level Karate Winner



Star Performers of Second Term (LKG - XII)



Table Tennis, Karate & Athletics Winners



Autograph - Cultural Fest Winners



District Roller Skating Championships



District Level Basketball Winners U-13



IQ'24 - Science Expo Winners



Chess & Cricket Winners



Badminton & Taekwondo Winners



English & Maths Silver Zone Olympiad Winners



CHRONICLES

1

CAKES & MEMORIES

19 OCTOBER 2023



Carmel family celebrated the birthday of their dynamic Rev. Fr. Principal. The celebration commenced with a melodious song. Rev. Fr. Manager adulated Rev. Fr. Principal for influencing everyone's life positively with his great deeds. The teachers felicitated the celebrant and greeted him with a bouquet, greeting card and gift, followed by the cake-cutting ceremony. Rev. Fr. Principal distributed the sweets and thanked everyone for making his day a cherished one.



2

VACCINATION DRIVE

13 OCTOBER 2023



As per the directions of the Ministry of Health Department of Tamilnadu, a vaccination drive was organized in Carmel campus for the students aged 15 years with the consent of the parents, staff from the PHC administered the Tetanus-Diphtheria (TD) Vaccine to the students of Grade X.



3

EDUCATIONAL TOUR

20 & 27 OCTOBER 2023



An educational tour is an excellent opportunity for the students to learn outside of the class setting. Rev. Fr. Principal organized a trip to the Wonderla for the students of Grades VI to XII. The students enjoyed the thrilling and adventurous rides in the amusement park. That was a refreshing experience for all.



4

PTA COLLUDE

OCTOBER 2023 & JANUARY 2024



It is necessary to develop a strong bridge between parent and teacher for the holistic development of a child. The PTA meeting was organized for Kindergarten to Grade XII to discuss the student's performance and devise ways to enrich their learning experience. Overall, the meeting was very interactive.

5

LINGUISTIC MASTERY CLUB

10 NOVEMBER 2023



English is an effective tool for communicating with people all over the world. Taking this thought ahead, Carmel inaugurated the English Linguistic Mastery Club. The students presented cultural events to highlight the importance of the English language.

The chief guest Mrs. Dr. Vani Ayyashwariya, Assistant Professor, Kongu Arts and Science college, Erode orated the possibilities for the students to develop a flair for language and lauded the inquisitiveness of the students.

6

THE FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

& CHILDREN'S DAY 14 NOVEMBER 2023

It was a day filled with excitement and vibrant energy as our school came alive with the festivities of Diwali and the jubilation of Children's Day. The confluence of these two celebrations on the same day created a unique atmosphere of joy, unity and cultural richness. The teachers and the students were attired in the colour of the sky and the sea created waves of excitation and exhilaration. The celebration commenced with the pious prayer song. The chief guest Mr. Thirumoorthy Arumugam, Edupreneur, Managing Director, Sri Shanmugha Educational Institutions, Salem presided over the function and addressed the gathering. The teacher enraptured the students with the thematic presentation titled - 'Diya'. This grandeur celebration culminated with the bursting of crackers, which spared euphoria on the faces of everyone.



7

SAVE NATURE CAMPAIGN

14 NOVEMBER 2023



The most patriotic thing you can do is to take care of the environment and try to live sustainably. With the perspective of creating environmental awareness among the young minds save nature campaign was organised on the school premises. The students were active participants in this campaign as they took the pledge to save Mother Earth. They moved through the school reception and corridors and then entered various classes where they urged all the other students to save the Earth. The students sowed the seeds in the school garden and stressed the need to save the motherland from global warming and different issues emerging out of environmental pollution. The campaign was a huge success as our Carmelites were suffused with great fervour and energy to spread the importance of the environment.

8

CANONICAL VISIT

23 NOVEMBER 2023



The canonical visit is a salient moment of the institution. Carmel family afforded a warm welcome to the chief guest Rev. Fr. Dr. Saju Chackalackal CMI, Preshitha Province Coimbatore. The programme commenced with a lovely and lyrical prayer song. Rev. Fr. Principal opened the floor for the teachers to discuss the school activities. Rev. Fr. Dr. Saju Chackalackal, Provincial adulated Revered Fathers for their hard work towards the upliftment of the institution. The programme culminated with a vote of thanks right after the photo session, which engraved the memories.



AUTOGRAPH CULTURAL FEST

25 NOVEMBER 2023



When one's signature becomes an autograph, success floods his life. Carmel's cultural fest offered a huge platform to the students from Kindergarten to Grade XII, encouraging each Carmelite to showcase their inherent skills in literary and cultural events. Rev. Fr. Manager, avowed the inaugural address, highlighting the fact that today's participants are tomorrow's winners. The students spellbound performances left the judges challenged and it cheered the audience impeccably. It aided the students to develop an autographic sense.



10

LOGIC LEGENDS CLUB

2 DECEMBER 2023

Club is the instrument through which the students find their hidden talent. Carmel inaugurated the Logic Legends Maths Club to develop the skills of analyzing and problem-solving among the students. As a part of this endeavour, the students participated in all Maths activities with zeal and dedication. The chief guest Mrs. Kavitha, URC Palaniammal Matric. Hr. Sec. School, Erode encouraged the students to develop their core competence and advised them to be proactive in all situations. The club offered a delightful rendezvous with Mathematics.



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FESTAL GREETINGS

4 DECEMBER 2023

It was a delightful moment for the Carmelites as Rev. Fr. Administrator celebrated his heavenly patron's day. The celebration commenced with a prayer song to invoke God's blessings for his favours to be granted. Rev. Fr. Manager extended a prayerful festal greeting to Rev. Fr. Administrator. The teachers greeted him with a bouquet and a gift. The ceremony of cake cutting made the celebration even more rapturous. Rev. Fr. Administrator blessed everyone with a sacred orison.

12

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

11 DECEMBER 2023



Glad tidings of great joy, proclaimed when Christ was born, rippled exceedingly at Carmel during the Christmas celebration when the choir chanted mellifluous carols. The chief guest Rev. Fr. Joseph Alappadan, Vicar General, Ramanathapuram Diocese, Coimbatore emanated the meaning of Christmas in his message. The students mesmerized the gathering with the thematic presentation titled - 'Sparkle'. Followed by it Udhayam and Karunai Illam inmates amused everyone with their charming performance. Carmel campus was flooded with the season's mirth that reigned every heart with Great peace and Goodwill.



13

C-HANDS SOCIAL SERVICE SCHEME

11 DECEMBER 2023



The purpose of life is to serve, to show compassion and the will to help others - Carmelites proved this statement with love and care. Carmel management, teachers and students contributed to Carmel C-Hands social service scheme. The amount of 4 lakhs was donated to the most deserving orphanages, old age homes and the centre for differently abled children. In addition to that, a grocery kit worth Rs.1000 was distributed to 200 poor families on the Eve of Christmas. Honourable Rev. Fr. Principal adored all the students, parents and teachers for their voluntary contribution to this altruism.



14

COLLOQUIUM

DECEMBER 2023 - MARCH 2024



Carmel intrigued on some melioration programmes like career guidance, orientation sessions and awareness programmes in the Carmel symposium hall. The students were enriched in fulfilling their future dreams, gaining clarity on career goals, developing peer relationships and also to overcome exam stress. All the sessions were interactive and the students were built with positivity and discovered their full potential.



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ACCUEILLIR

1 JANUARY 2024

Year's end is neither an end nor a beginning but a going on, with all the wisdom that experience can instill in us. Carmel wished for this new year to be a time for everyone to put all of their bad experiences behind them and take a positive step into the future.



16**FOUNDER'S DAY 3 JANUARY 2024**

Education is to inflame the intellects of minds. Carmelites celebrated Founder's Day to commemorate the efforts of our founder Blessed St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara, who believed fervently in the transformative power of education. The celebration commenced with a blissful prayer song. Rev. Fr. Principal accorded a festal greeting to all and prayed that the spirit and vision of our founder continue to guide us in the years to come. The celebration culminated with the National Anthem.

18**BLESSING OF PARUDEESA – KIDS PARK 12 FEBRUARY 2024****17 LAUNCH OF CPPF 4 JANUARY 2024**

Discipline is a robust process which has long-term academic implications for students. Carmel launched CPPF to delve into ways of building a disciplined attitude among the students. Rev. Fr. Principal arranged a solemn discussion with the police parents regarding discipline and character formation, aiming at better mental and physical health and happy schooling for each student. Mr. Suresh Kumar lauded the Principal's approach towards this thoughtful launch which would produce worthy children and citizens.



The concept of Heaven being real, a physical place, flamboyant and graceful, perfect in ecstasy was designed at Carmel to give spontaneous learning experiences and offer glimpses of the blessings of Heaven. On this divine occasion, Carmel choir rendered a soothing prayer song. The Golden Jubilee of the Religious Profession of Rev. Fr. John Thattil, CMI was

celebrated on this day to acquiesce his unwavering commitment to converge into a lifelong Holy journey of faith and service to God. Rev. Fr. Manager presided over the celebration and addressed the Bliss of Heaven. Ms. Suganthi Thomas, Chemistry faculty and Mrs. Thenmozhi, PTA Representative felicitated the gathering. The chief guest Rev. Fr. John Thattil, CMI blessed and hanesed the Parudeesa – Kids Park. Rev. Fr. Principal envisioned the explicit happiness enunciated in the sculptures and the eco-friendliness of the park and also thanked the team of Mr. Joshi, the sculptor for executing Carmel's vision of providing a friendly ambience that caters to holistic education. Ever since the installation of Parudeesa, gleefulness at Carmel campus has been intensified.





Srishti
Relics / Part-II

Genitra Vandana
Guru Vandana
Mitra Vandana

Annual Day Celebrations, 5.00 pm, Saturday, January 13, 2024

The power to create is the power to change the world. Every creation is an opportunity to bring something new into existence. SRISHTI marked the end of another eventful year, a day to look back at our achievements, a day when success is rewarded and talents exhibited. Srishti commenced with the Carmel choir's mellifluous psalms of Tamil Thai Vazhthu. Rev. Fr. Dr. Anson Panengaden, Principal welcomed the gathering. The chief guest Mr. Jawahar G, IPS, Superintendent of Police, Erode delivered an inaugural address. Rev. Fr. Dr. Saju Chackalakkal CMI, Preshitha Province, Coimbatore gave a presidential salutatory. Mr. Jagadheesh, PTA Representative and Head Constable, Armed Reserve and Dr. Kumaresan, Treasurer, Carmel Alumni Association felicitated the gathering. Rev. Fr. Prabath Eluvathingal, Administrator felicitated Rev. Fr. Dr. Thomas Cheeran, Manager on his birthday celebration. Rev. Fr. Manager honoured the retiring staff Mrs. Nagarathinam and Mrs. Rukmani with a bouquet and memento. Rev. Fr. Fijo Chittilappilly, Principal, Mount Carmel International School felicitated the gathering. The chief guest Mr. Jawahar, IPS, launched the student's designed robot. Mrs. Nagarathinam, the retiring staff shared her thoughts about Carmel in her reply address. The winners of various competitions were awarded in the programme. 'Records' – the fleeting glimpses of the whole year's activities of Carmel were screened. The crowning moment of the annual day celebration was the astounding thematic presentation titled: 'Srishti' – A tribute to parents (Genitra Vandana), teachers (Guru Vandana) and friends (Mitra Vandana). The spectators were mesmerized by the dazzling performance of the students. The co-operation and active involvement of the Carmel family amalgamated the celebration as an awe-inspiring success.



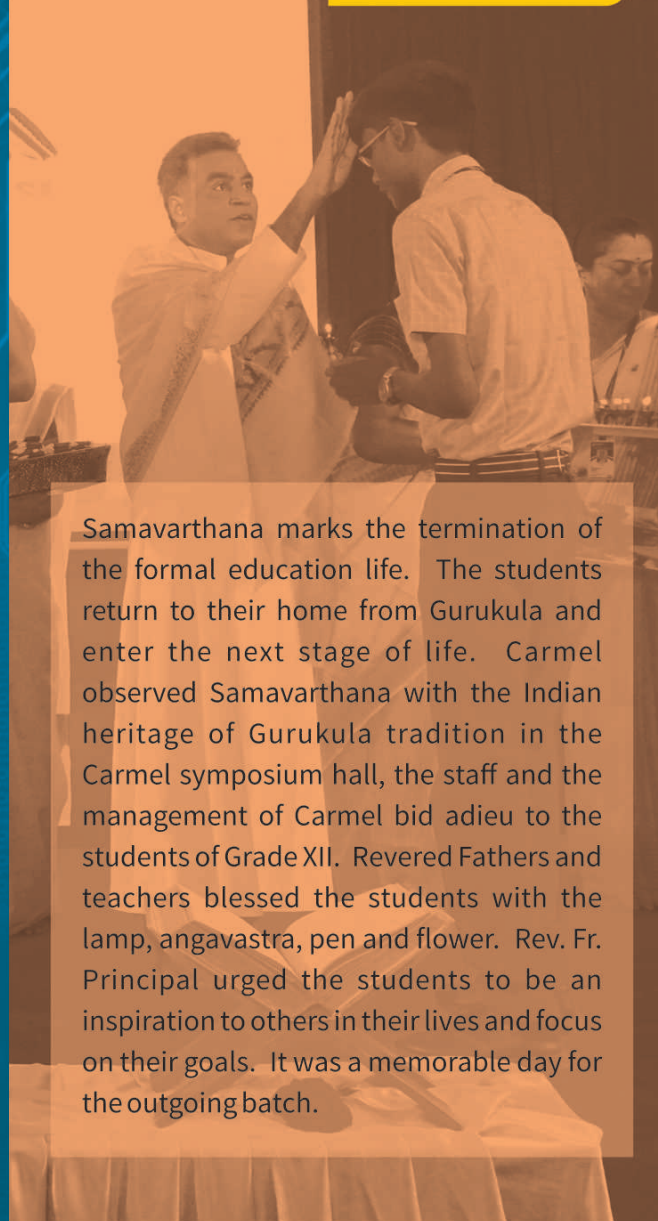


20 BIENNALE 17 FEBRUARY 2024

Science begins with wonder, scientific temperament and rational thinking. To inculcate a scientific attitude and research-mindedness in the students, Carmel orchestrated a Science Expo - IQ'24. The parent's fraternity was also invited to visit the expo. The participants displayed their creative scientific potential in diverse arenas. Rev. Fr. Principal and Rev. Fr. Administrator arbitrated the expo and interacted with the students. The best performers were honoured with the certificate for their indefatigable effort. The event provided a platform for the young scientists to give concrete dimensions to their ideas, from the zone of imagination to realism.

21 SAMAVARTHANA

26 FEBRUARY 2024



Samavarthana marks the termination of the formal education life. The students return to their home from Gurukula and enter the next stage of life. Carmel observed Samavarthana with the Indian heritage of Gurukula tradition in the Carmel symposium hall, the staff and the management of Carmel bid adieu to the students of Grade XII. Revered Fathers and teachers blessed the students with the lamp, angavastra, pen and flower. Rev. Fr. Principal urged the students to be an inspiration to others in their lives and focus on their goals. It was a memorable day for the outgoing batch.



22 WOMEN'S DAY

8 MARCH 2024

A woman has a positive mind and a fierce nature to excel in her respective fields. To honour womanhood, Carmel organised a Women's Day celebration along with Lady Jaycees of JCI Erode Metro for the girls of Grades VI to IX. Rev. Fr. Principal inaugurated the event and accented the importance of Women's Day. Ms. Dharshini, Project Chairman, JCI Erode Metro welcomed the gathering. Followed by it Ms. Lavanya, the Zumba Trainer explained the nutritious balanced diet and also the benefits of Zumba dance. With appropriate guidance, our students thoroughly enjoyed learning a new dance form and jovially grooving to their favourite beats. The energetic session proved to be a fun and healthy aerobic activity for all the students.

23 STAFF TOUR

9 MARCH 2024



Travelling is the best way to feed the soul and expand the mind. Carmel management arranged a refreshing trip to Kerala. First, we visited the Chavara Bhavan, the ancestral home of Saint Kuriakose Elias Chavara. It is a holy shrine and spiritual place which provides a peaceful ambience. From here we went to Alleppey, famed as the 'Backwater Capital' of Kerala. We enjoyed a fun-filling and exciting cruise over the silent backwater. Then to Arthunkal church, a pilgrim centre. At last, we moved to Mararikulam beach which is fringed with lush coconut groves. That was a joyous experience for all.

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FESTAL GREETINGS

19 MARCH 2024



Carmel family together elongated virtuous festal greetings to Rev. Fr. Principal on his heavenly patron's day. The ceremony of cake cutting made the celebration even more ecstatic. Revered Father blessed the Carmel family members with his divine sanction.

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KG CONVOCATION

16 MARCH 2024

Kindergarten graduation is an exciting milestone for tiny tots as it's their first step towards a future full of new possibilities and hopes. The blooming buds of UKG dressed in graduation robes and caps. Revered Fathers felicitated the students with the certificate of graduation. Kindergarten buddies put up a great show of confidence and charisma in the cultural events.



Their energy and vibrancy enthralled all the spectators. Parent representative Mr. Shabarinathan, appreciated the tremendous efforts made by the school and the Principal for the hard work put in with the students. It was a joyous and memorable day for the little ones and a proud moment for the parents and the mentors.



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COLLOQUIUM

OCTOBER 2023 – MARCH 2024



Students experienced hands-on practice learning sessions through which they got a better understanding of the curriculum. To create a propitious learning environment, the department of English, Maths, Science and Social emplaned an ingenious workshop for the students of Grades I-V to delve into the intricacies of the subjects. The workshop was informative, constructive and interactive.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 26, 2024 : Public Examination – Grade X
- March 27, 2024 : III-Term Examination – Grades I to VIII
- March 28, 2024 : Summer Vacation begins – Kindergarten
- April 13, 2024 : Summer Vacation begins – Grades I to IX
- April 27, 2024 : LKG Interview & Entrance Exam – UKG to Grade VII
- May 16, 2024 : Fee Collection & Book Distribution
- May 25, 2024 : LKG Interview & Entrance Exam – UKG to Grade VII
- June 5, 2024 : School Re-opening (UKG to XII)
- June 12, 2024 : LKG Re-opening

**Admissions Open
LKG to Grade VII**



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EDUCATING THROUGH YOUTUBE PLATFORM

NOVEMBER 2023 – MARCH 2024



Education is becoming more digitalized. It opened up alternative forms of learning. Carmel cultivates the life lessons with a visually rich lecture through our creation, which provokes the learners to develop their personality. The glimpses of the series of Carmel productions:

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| 1) Stay and Play series | – Kindergarten Talent Modules & Thematic Presentations |
| 2) Start Hunt | – Primary Talent Modules |
| 3) Children's Day'23 | – Highlights of Children's Day Celebrations |
| 4) Christmas'23 | – Highlights of Christmas Celebrations |
| 5) Carmel Crib'23 | – Christmas Greetings |
| 6) Srishti | – Official Trailer of Annual Day |
| 7) National Anthem | – Carmel's Tribute to Our Nation |
| 8) Srishti (Relics – Part II) | – Annual Day Celebrations |
| 9) Kids Park | – Blessing of Parudeesa |
| 10) IQ'24 | – Science Expo |
| 11) Mass Drill | – A Glance of Life Skill Training |
| 12) Samavarthana | – XII Batch 2023 – 2024 |
| 13) Kindergarten Expo | – IQ'24 |



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CARMEL PUBLICATIONS

OCTOBER 2023 – MARCH 2024

The grandeur of Carmel peaked when the scholarly monographs of Carmel were published in various newspapers like the Hindu, Malayala Manorama, Deepika and Mathrubhumi. Through these appreciations, Carmel has set the Thames alight.



Birthday Babes...



Mr. Shanmuga Sundaram P
October 4



Mrs. Sugandhi Thomas
October 8



Mrs. Bhuvaneshwari T
October 11



Mrs. Venkateswari M
October 12



Mrs. Sathyapriya R
October 15



Mrs. Sujitha K
October 16



Mrs. Ruba M
October 17



Rev. Fr. Dr. Anson Panengaden
October 19



Mrs. Bhavani B M
October 22



Mr. Pari P
October 24



Mrs. Amudha P
October 25



Mrs. Tintu K C
October 29



Mrs. Annie E
November 5



Mr. Jagadeesan S
November 19



Mrs. Rukmani C
November 20



Mrs. Sherlin Seles B
November 20





Mrs. Beulah R
December 1



Mrs. Santha Devi C
December 2



Mrs. Sudha S
December 2



Mrs. Nivetha M
December 3



Mrs. Malarvizi G
December 4



Mr. Sridhar B
December 15



Mrs. Mahalakshmi P
December 27



Mrs. Panjavarnam S
January 1



Mrs. Kavipriya M
January 2



Mr. Srinivasan Y
January 4



Mrs. Yasmeen J
January 7



Mr. Johnson G
January 8



Rev. Fr. Dr. Thomas Cheeran
January 18



Mrs. Gomathi K
January 28



Mrs. Perciyal D
January 28



Mrs. Gracy C
January 30



Mrs. Annakodi N
February 7



Mrs. Marceline Alphonse
February 13



Mrs. Nagarathinam S
February 16



Mrs. Naziya S
February 16



Mrs. Jency Rani C J
February 26



Mrs. Sasikala C
February 27



Mr. Palanisamy K M
March 1



Mrs. Vijaya Pricilla T
March 1



Mrs. Eswari L
March 6



Mr. Ravi W
March 15



Mrs. Kiruba Rani R
March 24



Mrs. Chithra C
March 27



Mrs. Joyce Gnana Shyla B
March 28



Mrs. Alphonsa A F
April 2



Mrs. Soumya M
April 2



Mrs. Amudha R
April 4



Mrs. Sathya Priya K
April 4



Mrs. Sunitha B
April 8



Mrs. Tamilselvi A
April 12



Mr. Ganeshamoorthi S
April 17



Mrs. Velanganni Mary L
April 17



Mr. Puyish D
April 22



Mrs. Ramya S
April 25



Mrs. Dhivya C
April 28



PARENTS OPUS

The follower for Life & Gratiied



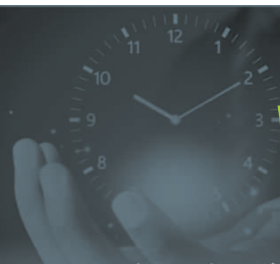
It gives me an immense sense of fulfillment to see how the students of Carmel strive to excel in various platforms, under the whole cohort of dedicated teachers, under the leadership of the Principal Rev. Fr. Dr. Anson Panengaden not forgetting the non-teaching staff, the nannies, and the dedicated drivers for their rendered support to fulfill the completion of every event, and my heartfelt plaudits to the entire team of CMHSS.

I as a proud parent would like to say.., Teachers, it is what you have sown in a child, the discipline, the values, the ethics, the cultures, and the spirituality which will abide and imbibe in a child for their lifetime and will be the follower for life. I experienced it for myself being a parent of Carmel to see the timid kid that I admitted years back in this school and to see the smart demanding student - a talented teenager in studies and in performing on stage most of the time and my joy has no bounds.

Nothing could ever make a parent so happy and proud. It's not only the teachers, I must mention that it is the personal support of the Principal for finding out my son's talent and motivating my son in his performance when he feels down and for the other students and participants as well. Father, acts as a friend to students at times by spending time during the weekend evenings playing football with students on the campus and I have no botheration where my son is playing because I'm sure he is safe spending time in his second home with his 'Guru' and pals. It is not only a place of Education but also an arena of bond and values which not only my child but every child would hold closely to their hearts and carry on forward with their heads held up high as a proud Carmelite. The assiduous efforts and attention of the entire Carmel team were shown in all programs held.

With a grateful heart and an esteemed sense of gratitude, I laud the entire Carmel team under the guidance of Principal. Rev. Fr. Dr. Anson. May your great efforts bring more laurels to the count. Thank you once again for all the love, care, and dedication that you put into teaching and other activities as well! Looking forward to the next academic year with new goals and more achievements. I'm beyond grateful for your guidance and support.

Mrs. Janice Marcer, P/o. Master Ferlyn Alfred Marcer IX B



Time to
Cogitate!!!



As a parent, witnessing the daily crescendo of their educational journey fills me with profound gratitude and admiration. Carmel School, a bastion of knowledge and nurturing, stands as a cornerstone in shaping the futures of our beloved offspring.

At the heart of it all, dedicated teachers serve as maestros, conducting lessons that ignite curiosity and spark intellectual growth. Their passion and commitment inspire not only academic excellence but also a lifelong love of learning, instilling in our children the belief that they can achieve anything they set their minds to.

Beyond academics, the school nurtures the holistic development of our children, offering a myriad of extracurricular activities and enrichment programs that allow them to explore their passions and talents. Whether it's sports, arts, or community service initiatives, these experiences cultivate resilience, teamwork, and leadership skills, preparing the children to navigate the complexities of the world beyond the classroom.

The most poignant aspect of the school's ethos is its unwavering commitment to creating a safe and supportive environment where our children can thrive both academically and emotionally. From the compassionate guidance of the Rev. Fr. Principal to the nurturing care of support staff, every member of the school community plays a vital role in ensuring that our children feel seen, heard, and valued.

As a parent, I'm grateful for the positive experiences my children have had at school. It's clear to me that the educational institution is not just a place of learning but also a community that nurtures their individuality fosters their potential, and prepares them for a bright future.

Mr. Saravanan Thangamuthu, P/o. Master Muhunthran S VII A





AN ELATED PARENT ENDORSEMENT

As the Gratiated parents of Carmel Matriculation Higher Secondary School, we express profound gratitude for the transformative journey she's experienced. Opting for Carmel has been a game-changer, nurturing her academic path and sparking a passion for holistic growth.

Carmel's faculty fosters an engaging learning environment, instilling not only knowledge but also a hunger for intellectual exploration in every student. Under their guidance, my daughter has consistently excelled academically.

Yet, Carmel goes beyond academics, championing holistic student development. She has actively engaged in a range of enriching extracurricular activities, from the dynamic cultural meet to the stimulating science exhibition. These avenues have unearthed her hidden talents, bolstered her confidence, and fueled her curiosity. The emphasis on discipline within these activities has honed her character, equipping her with crucial life skills like teamwork and time management.

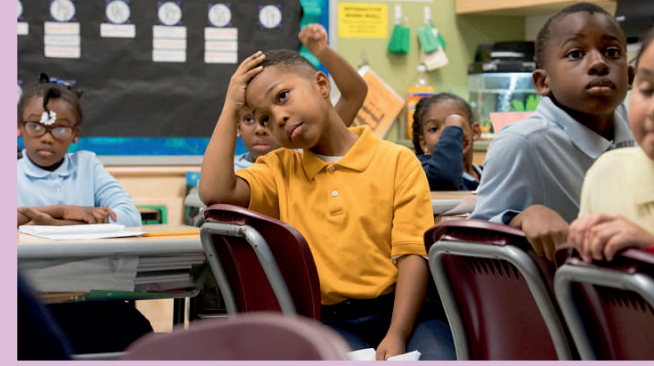
Witnessing my daughter's growth at Carmel fills us with immense pride. She's not just sharpened her academic prowess but also embraced social responsibility, nurtured her artistic sensibility, and fostered a healthy competitive spirit. Carmel's nurturing environment has empowered her to emerge as a confident, well-rounded individual, ready to seize life's opportunities.

We will always be indebted to the School Management, Principal and teachers for your constant dedication to Carmel; together, you have fostered a friendly, encouraging environment where each and every student feels appreciated and valued.

To parents seeking an institution that values both academic excellence and holistic development, we wholeheartedly endorse Carmel Matriculation Higher Secondary School. Carmel provides an unmatched learning journey that will undoubtedly equip your child for success in all aspects of life.

Dr. Rajkumar S, P/o. Selvi Prisharaj R LKG B

TEACHERS OPUS



எண்ணம் போல் வாழ்க்கை...



எண்ணங்களில் கவனமாக இருங்கள்
அவை வார்த்தைகளாக வெளிவருகின்றன.
வார்த்தைகளில் கவனமாக இருங்கள்.
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திருமதி. மேகலா ஞானதீபம் சா



Physics Concepts

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** The rates of diffusion of gases are inversely proportional to the square roots of their densities under similar conditions of temperature and pressure.

Name of the law: Graham's Law

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** The scattering of light by very small particles suspended in a gas or liquid.

Name of the law: Tyndall effect

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** The energy can neither be created nor destroyed but it can be transformed from one form to another. Since energy cannot be created or destroyed, the amount of energy present in the universe always remains constant.

Name of the law: Law of conservation of energy

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** Each planet revolves around the Sun in an elliptical orbit with the Sun at one focus. The straight line joining the Sun and the planet sweeps out equal areas in equal intervals. The squares of the orbital periods of planets are proportional to the cubes of their mean distance from the Sun.

Name of the law: Kepler's Law

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** Temperature remains constant, and the volume of a given mass of a gas varies inversely with the pressure of the gas.

Name of the law: Boyle's Law

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** The current passing through a conductor between two points is directly proportional to the potential difference across the two points provided the physical state and temperature etc. of the conductor do not change.

Name of the law: Ohm's Law

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** Equal volume of all gases under the same conditions of temperature and pressure contain an equal number of molecules.

Name of the law: Avogadro's Law

- **Scientific observation and experiment:** When a body is partially or immersed in a fluid, it experiences an upward thrust equal to the weight of the fluid displaced by it. i.e. its apparent loss of weight is equal to the weight of liquid displaced.

Name of the law: Archimedes Principle



Mrs. Sugirtham W



INVENTORS



Mrs. Sajithra P

- Who is the father of Mathematics? **Archimedes**
- Who discovered zero (0)? **Aryabhata**
- When is the Pi Day celebrated around the world? **March 14**
- Scientist who was born on Pi day? **Albert Einstein**
- Who discovered the symbol infinity '? **Johnwalls**
- Who is the father of algebra? **Muhammad Ibn Musa al-Khwarizmi**
- Who invented the equal sign =? **Robert Recorde**
- Who discovered the Fibonacci sequence? **Leonardo Pisano Bigollo**
- Who discovered line graphs, bar charts and circle graphs? **William Playfair**
- Who created the BODMAS rule? **Achilles Reselfelt**
- Who discovered the square root symbol ? **Christoph Rudolf**
- Who is the father of calculus? **Issac Newton and Gottfried Leibniz**
- Who discovered summation ? **Srinivasa Ramanujan**
- Who discovered '+' and '-'? **Johannes Widman**
- Who is known as the prince of Mathematics in India? **Srinivasa Ramanujan**
- Name the polygon that has 15 sides? **Pentadecagon**
- Who discovered the Identity Sign ? **Carl Friedrich Gauss**
- Who discovered Derivatives? **Gottfried Leibniz**
- Who is the father of Trigonometry? **Hipparchus**
- Who invented Boolean Algebra? **George Boole in 1847**



Alumni Opus

Carmel: A Journey of Perseverance and Compassion



Mr. Amalan G T A
Alumnaus

Carmel, a name synonymous with a kaleidoscope of emotions, has left an indelible mark on my life. It's not just the place that echoes memories of childhood laughter and impromptu plays, but the values instilled within its walls that have shaped me into the person I am today.

One of the most profound takeaways from Carmel is the unwavering belief in the power of perseverance. As a student who once struggled academically, I could have easily succumbed to discouragement. However, the teachers at Carmel became my guiding lights. Their unwavering faith in my potential, encouragement, and personalized guidance instilled in me the grit and determination to keep pushing forward.

Carmel's influence extended beyond academics, granting immense joy to my parents by helping me become the first graduate in my family. I still remember when my academic performance and financial constraints caused them immense worries. However, the school's financial and emotional support played a pivotal role in enabling me to pursue my studies. I owe it to the management and faculties of Carmel for laying a strong foundation in the skillset that I possess today.

Carmel's legacy extends far beyond the walls of the institution. It's a testament to the transformative power of education, shaping individuals academically and fostering compassion, perseverance, and a deep sense of social responsibility. Looking forward to a strong alumni connection with the school.

Legacy unveiled



Selvi Shree Mirra R
Alumna

When I was approached to share my experience of my life in Carmel, it was something I couldn't regret. School days are the foundation of our lives. The garden area and trees in our school feel like a place of home. It's a nurturing environment for the pursuit of knowledge and the above-board-stipulated syllabus made my school days enriching yet enjoyable.

Carmel has always focused on the all-round development of students. It enabled us to foster inside the classroom and outside of it too. In our school, discipline is not imposed from above but cultivated from within. It is nurtured through clear expectations, consistent guidance, and positive reinforcement, empowering students to take ownership of their actions and choices. Whether in the classroom, on the playing field, or in the community, students are encouraged to uphold the values of integrity, accountability, and ethical conduct.

It was a golden period of learning and enjoyment. Constant appreciation from faculties motivated me to make learning my passion. Dedication and perseverance for skill development by teachers at Carmel still motivate me to work towards my goal constantly. Apart from education, Carmel gives various opportunities to explore our hidden talents, like cultural functions, science exhibitions, and sports tournaments.

As an alumna of Carmel School, it brings me great joy to reflect on the invaluable experiences and lessons learned during my time there. I remember those nostalgic days, of which we were apart. I thank the management and faculties of Carmel for making me to encounter this society in a positive way. I wish this institution goes on doing great stuff and helps students achieve their dreams.



Students Opus

Do you know?

- The Eiffel Tower has 2500000 rivets and 1792 steps.
- The only food that doesn't spoil is Honey.
- The Average human can live 11 days without water.
- Starfish do not have brains.
- Snails can sleep for 3 years without eating.
- Eating a packet of chips a day is equivalent to drinking 5 liters of cooking oil a year.
- A hippopotamus can run faster than a man
- Apple is more effective at keeping people awake at night than caffeine.
- A Cockroach can live several weeks with its head cut off.
- A whale can swim for 3 months without eating.



Selvi Navishaa S G
II A



The words are spelt the same way from both ends.

- | | |
|---------|-----------|
| Mom | Nun |
| Dad | Deed |
| Madam | Peep |
| Civic | Wow |
| Level | Otto |
| Radar | Pop |
| Refer | Eye |
| Racecar | Did |
| Noon | Mum |
| Rotator | Malayalam |

PALINDROME WORDS



Master Subhikshan T
IV D

The World I saw

I went to the world of edges
That was full of wedges
I was fully frightened that I might be killed
As the wedges were so skilled
The world has many cares
That treated me as slaves
The world was full of darkness
That the hearts had many cracks
There was no way to get out
As they had already set out



Master Griffen R
XI A

Tongue Twister

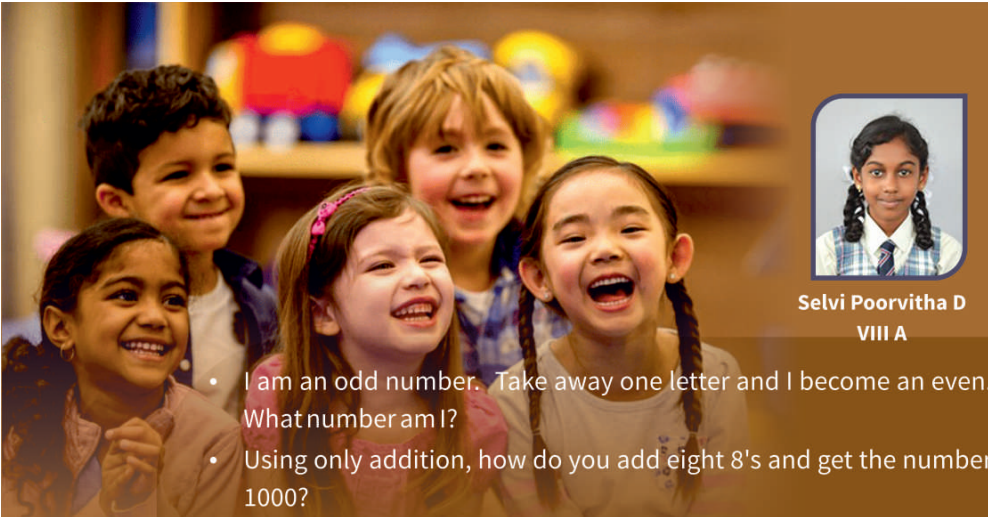


Selvi Nafia Roshini A
VI C

- Each Easter Eddie eats eighty Easter eggs.
- A big black bear sat on a big black rug.
- Bake big batches of bitter brown bread.
- Lesser leather never weathered wetter weather better.
- I thought, I thought of thinking of thanking you.
- Freshly fried fresh flesh
- Rubber baby buggy bumpers
- Green glass globes glow greenly
- The great Greek grape growers grow great Greekgrapes.
- Fresh French fried fly fritter.



Funny Riddles



Selvi Poorvitha D
VIII A

- I am an odd number. Take away one letter and I become an even. What number am I?
- Using only addition, how do you add eight 8's and get the number 1000?
- Which 3 numbers have the same answer whether they're added (or) multiplied together?
- How to get the number 100 by using four 7's and a 1?
- What is half of $2 + 2 = ?$
- How can you take 2 from 5 and leave 4?
- $20 + 20 + 20 = 60$. How can you make 60 gain by using the same number 3 times, but it can't be 20?
- Suppose: $1 + 9 + 8 = 1$, then what can be $2 + 8 + 9 = ?$

- Answers:**
- 7 (seven) [Seven Take away the 'S' and it becomes even]
 - $888 + 88 + 8 + 8 + 8 = 1000$
 - 1, 2, and 3. [Add $1 + 2 + 3 = 6$ Multiply $1 \times 2 \times 3 = 6$]
 - 3 [Half of 2 is 1. So $2 + 1 = 3$]
 - FIVE (5) [Remove the 2 letters F and E from FIVE and you have IV.]
 - $55 + 5 = 60$
 - 101 [ONE + NINE + EIGHT = ONE]
 - TWO + EIGHT + NINE = TEN]

பிரியானிடை



Mrs. Rukmani C
Care Taker

ருக்மணி அக்கா, இப்பள்ளியில் ஓடிக்களைத்து ஓய்வெடுக்கும் தருணம் வந்தது. இப்பள்ளியில் தன் பாதம் பதியாத இடமில்லை தன் பாசம் பெறாத பிள்ளைகளும் இல்லை எந்த நேரத்திலும், எப்பணியையும் மின்னல் போல் முனனே வந்து, என்ன செய்ய வேண்டும்? என்று கேட்பது பழக்கம்

தன் இதயத்தில் சுமை இருந்தாலும் தன் இதழோரம் என்றும் புன்னகைதான் அக்கா என்று அழைத்ததுமே, அன்புடன் வந்து நிற்பதே தன் வழக்கம் தனக்கென்று வாழ்ந்தது கொஞ்சம் பிறர்க்காக வாழ்ந்தது அந்த நெஞ்சம் தன்னால் முடியாதென்பதே இல்லை முயற்சியுடன் எதையும் முடித்துக் காட்டுவார் அன்பில் உயர்ந்தவர் உன்னைப்போல் யாருமில்லை ஒருகூட்டுப் பறவையாய் ஒற்றுமையாய் இருந்தோம் இன்று தனிப்பறவையாய்க் கூட்டை விட்டுச் செல்கிறாய் தவிக்கிறது எங்கள் நெஞ்சம் உன் அன்பிற்காக நீ செல்லும் இடமெல்லாம் சிறப்புடன் இருக்க நாங்கள் இறைவனைப் பிரார்த்திக்கிறோம்.



Mrs. Kannammal S
Care Taker



Cordial Memoir



Mrs. Nagarathinam S
Tamil Faculty

Reflecting on a Legacy: Farewell to Mrs. Nagarathinam S

It is with mixed emotions that we bid farewell to Mrs. Nagarathinam S, who has been an integral part of our esteemed institution since 1988. She has served as a dedicated teacher, imparting her knowledge and wisdom to students. Her excellence as a Tamil teacher has left an indelible mark on our school community.

Her commitment to the students went beyond the classroom, as evidenced by the success story of a Hindi-speaking student who excelled in the Tamil, Public Examination under her continuous guidance. Her involvement in various committees and her willingness to take on any assigned task showcased her unwavering dedication to the school's mission.

She has been a beacon of inspiration to colleagues, serving as a role model, mentor, counselor, and well-wisher to all. Her nurturing approach towards the students, treating them as her children, and her encouragement for academic excellence will be fondly remembered by all who had the privilege of knowing her.

As Mrs. Nagarathinam embarks on the next chapter of her life, having served Carmel School with distinction for 36 years, we extend our heartfelt wishes for good health, happiness, and fulfillment in her retirement. The school will always cherish her contributions, and her absence will be keenly felt.



Mrs. Kiruba Rani R, Art Faculty

Master Sanjay S VI B
The Winner
Rack Your Intellect



Rack Your Intellect

- What gets sharper the more you use it?
- What is always in front of you but can't be seen?
- Let's be the only place in the world where today comes before yesterday. Where is it?
- If I have it, I don't share it. If I share it, I don't have it. What is it?
- What did the zero say to the eight?
- What do you get if you cross a vampire and a snowman?
- What can be cracked, made, told, and played?
- What kind of ball doesn't bounce?
- What goes away as soon as you talk about it?
- I sometimes run, but I cannot walk, what am I?



Master Haarsieeth N M
VI D

**NOTE: Block out your answers to
Carmel email id: carmelmhss@gmail.com
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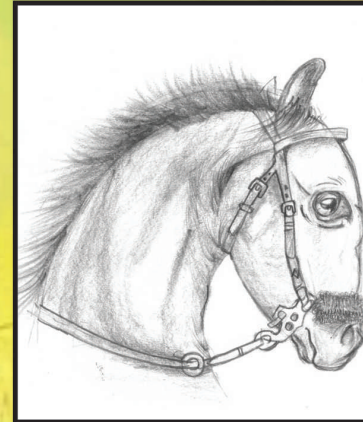




Master Prathiksan S I C



Selvi Kodhai Arasi VIII B



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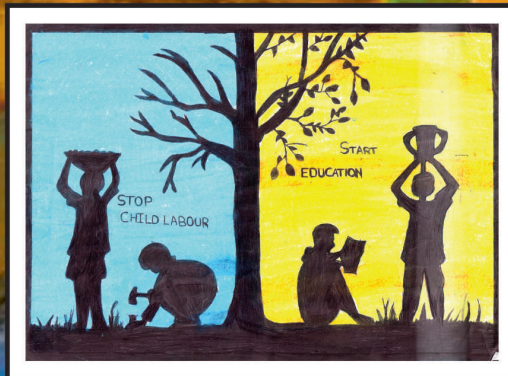


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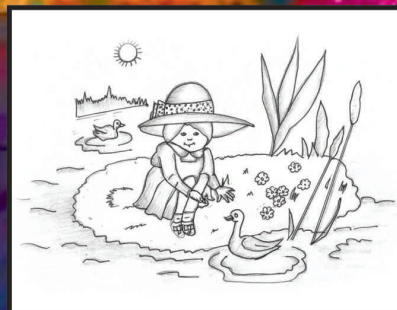


Master Felix A P III B

SKETCH OF KIDS



Master Santhosh S IX C



Selvi Koshika M SVC



Selvi Vibhithraa J S III C



Master Vikesh Raja N VI D



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