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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

by Hina Arshad



By the grace of Almighty, with the dedication of our teachers, students, and parents' support, we have completed the midterm, hence, it is the best time to think about the challenges and achievements of session 2021, as well as how we can improve for the next one.

For us, it's a delight to know that parents recognize the importance of Covid -19 and are similarly supportive of the school's immunization initiatives.

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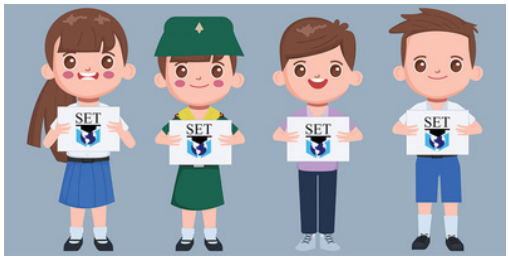
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Students' Achievements

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

It is also worth mentioning that this year, we've implemented a number of new school academic methods that are enabling us to better shape our childrens' learning capacities.

Learning resources developed by our academic staff are enabling students to become more self-directed and avoid rote learning.

English, Science, and Computer studies are all included in the extensive reading list. To help students better appreciate the concept of learning outside of textbooks, additional resources are provided. We can gauge the effectiveness of this practice by looking at how many of our Settians compete in national and international contests. This shows that the school is on the right track when it comes to developing students who can compete with other schools on an equal footing.

> *"We've implemented a number of new school academic methods*

In order to make any new innovation successful, one must first realise that change is tough at first, but as it proceeds in a positive direction, its effects become considerable and long-lasting.

I want to have the same kind of support in the following sessions, so that we can work together to make a difference in the lives of our children.

Principal
Hina Arshad
The SET School

WHAT IS THE CO-CURRICULAR ENGAGEMENT?

The term "co-curricular" refers to activities that are done in addition to academics. It is common for co-curricular activities to take place outside of the classroom, but they help students learn by doing. Students' problem-solving, reasoning, critical thinking, creative thinking, and communication skills all improve as a result of participating in these activities.

The globe is rapidly evolving in the 21st century. Because of this, the early 20th century's conventional education curriculum must be replaced with a new model of learning and education. The world has altered so radically in the previous few decades that the responsibilities of learning and education in day-to-day living have likewise changed permanently.

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> *co-curricular activities play a critical role*

Co-curricular activities aid in the overall development of pupils and the development of important abilities and skills necessary for success and fulfilment in 21st-century life and work. Consequently, co-curricular activities play a critical role in both school and college education.

When curricular and extracurricular activities are combined, you have a better opportunity of discovering your strengths, interests, and abilities. That is the value of co-curricular activities that complement the academic curriculum.



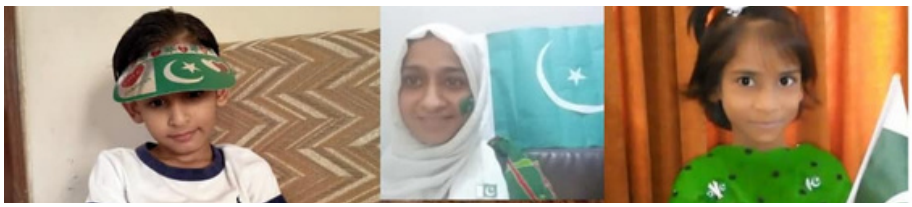
INDEPENDENCE DAY

School-based **Independence Day** celebrations include pinning flags to uniforms, viewing the national flag being hoisted, and singing the national anthem and songs.

The SET School found creative methods to commemorate the day when such activities were prohibited for Covid-19 safety concerns. The only way to commemorate the occasion was online.

The SET School held a taped presentation for kids, in which the faculty and school administration hoisted the national flag. In their own distinct ways, a few students sent in their recorded videos wishing everyone a "Happy Independence Day."

Despite the pandemic-induced lockdown, Independence Day was observed in the "**new normal**" way.







DEFENSE AND MARTYRS DAY

A series of events was organized in Campus-1 and North East Campus of The SET School in Karachi to observe the Defense and Martyrs Day 2021 and the death anniversary of Qaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah.

In our country, the yearly commemoration of Defense and Martyrs Day mark the contributions of our military's defense services. It recalls the 1965 battle when Indian armies attacked us, but our armed forces fended them off.

The SET School commemorated the occasion with an abundance of fervour. The students represented the armed forces of Pakistan by wearing uniforms and singing patriotic national songs while putting on performances and interviewing the national heroes.

> "students paid tribute to our warriors' bravery"

On this occasion, students delivered speeches in Urdu and English and paid rich tributes to Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah and the martyrs of the 1965 war.

All students from primary and secondary sections gathered to pay tribute to our warriors' bravery by performing a series of little skits.

The school choir also sang a selection of melodic patriotic songs in honour to their military heroes. The National Anthem finished the programme.



DEFENSE AND MARTYRS DAY





















CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES









VIDEO/PHOTOGRAPHY



VIDEO PRODUCTION AND PHOTOGRAPHY

Video, the new kid on the block, is expanding faster than its predecessors and has been around for over a century and has demonstrated its potential to interest us.

Students are glued to their screens the entire time. Students and teachers alike can benefit from incorporating media production into the curriculum.

As a result of making media, students gain a deeper understanding of themselves and the world around them, as well as the capacity to convey their ideas effectively.

In order to produce quality media, The SET School organised special classes of Filmmaking, Videography, and Photography for primary and secondary students.

Students developed the ability to write and rewrite, to do research in groups, and to think clearly. Students can communicate with anybody they choose as an audience through media production.

All of this occurred because students wanted to express themselves in ways that are meaningful to them, and this can only happen through authentic instruction.

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Students are glued to their screens

ISLAMIAT QUIZ

For young minds, religious education is important because it helps them learn more about religions and understand them better. It gives people better understanding of different religious practices, faiths, and beliefs, and it also helps people understand different cultures around the world.

When people from different backgrounds get to know each other, they become more tolerant. All in all, it helps build a better society, community, and culture for people.

An Islamic Quiz Competition was organized at The Set School's NE Campus, where students from the primary and secondary sections participated eagerly and prepared thoroughly for the competition.

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It is our firm belief that the Islamic Quiz competition and other such activities help students discover their true selves and develop a healthy sense of self-respect. Furthermore, it imparts a thorough understanding of one's obligations to one's fellow human beings.



اسلامی معلوماتی مقابلہ

تعلیم کے دائرہ کار میں اسکول کے طلبہ کے لیے اسلامی تعلیم بہت ضروری ہے،معلومات کا سب سے اہم نتیجہ علم کی حالت کو تبدیل کرنا ہے۔ اسلامی معلومات حاصل کرنے کا طلباء میں ذوق و شوق پیدا کرنے کے لیے معلوماتی مقابلے کا انعقاد کیا گیا۔

اس صلاحیت کو ابھارنے کے لیے اور طلبہ میں ذوق و شوق پیدا کرنے کے لئے 27/10/2021 کو دی سیٹ اسکول(کیمپس1) میں ایک اسلامی معلوماتی مقابلے کا انعقاد کیا گیا جس میں جماعت ششم تا نہم کی طالبات نے حصہ لیا اور اپنی بھرپور تیاری کے ساتھ مقابلے میں حصہ لیااور بہت ہی جوش و خروش سے سوالات کے جوابات دیئے ہمارا یہ معلوماتی مقابلہ تین مراحل پر مشتمل تھا پہلے مرحلے میں ایڈ باکس میں دیے گئے سوالات کے جوابات دینے کا تھا۔اسلامی معلوماتی مقابلے کے باقی دو مراحل سب سے پہلے مرحلے میں ہر طلبہ سے سوالات کے گئے، دوسرا مرحلہ تصاویر پر مشتمل تھا جس میں طالبات کے گروہ کو تصاویر کو دیکھا کر سوالات پوچھے گئے سوالات کے جوابات انتہائی مہارت سے دیئے گئے۔

طالبات کی حوصلہ افزائی کے لیئے کامیاب گروہ میں ٹرافی اور اسناد تقسیم کیے گئے۔















مقابلہ اُردو سخنوری

اصنافِ ادب میں سخنوری اپنا ایک خاص مقام رکھتی ہے۔اس کے بغیر کسی بھی زبان کا ادب نامکمل ہے۔جس طرح اردو زبان کے فروغ میں نثر کو اہمیت حاصل ہے اسی طرح سخنوری نے بھی زبان کے فروغ میں اہم کردار ادا کیا ہے۔سخنوری ایک ایسا صنف ہے جس سے جذبات کے اظہار نہایت عمدہ طریقے سے ہوتا ہے۔وقت کے ساتھ ساتھ اس صنف کو فروغ دینے کی ضرورت ہے کیونکہ آنے والی نسل اس سے دور ہوتی جارہی ہے۔آج کے دور میں اس کے فروغ کے لیے مختلف درسگاہوں میں اردو سخنوری کے مقابلے کروائے جاتے ہیں۔اسی مقصد کے تحت دی سیٹ اسکول کے دونوں کیمپس میں بھی ماہ نومبر میں یومِ اقبال کے تحت شاعر مشرق علامہ اقبال کی علمی اور ادبی کاوشوں کو خراجِ تحسین پیش کرنے کے لئے "مقابلہ برائے اردو سخنوری"منعقد کیا گیا جس میں طلباو طالبات نے علامہ اقبال کی نظموں کو یاد کیا۔اس مقابلے میں طلباءو طالبات نے انفرادی اور گروہی شرکت کی۔اس پروگرام میں جیتنے والے طلباو طالبات کو ٹرافیاں دیں گئیں۔

























World Teachers' Day is held annually on 5th October to pay tribute to teachers around the globe. It commemorates the anniversary of the adoption of the 1966 ILO/UNESCO Recommendation concerning the Status of Teachers, which sets benchmarks regarding the rights and responsibilities of teachers, and standards for their initial preparation and further education, recruitment, employment, and teaching and learning conditions.

The SET School marked the International Teachers' Day by paying attention to the vital role of teachers who shape the leaders of tomorrow and inspire nation building through focused mentoring and dedication to cause, shape the leaders of tomorrow and inspire nation building. All of the teachers of both campuses received gifts as a token of appreciation from the administration and management.

As part of their love-filled presentation to the teachers, the students also brought their handmade greeting cards and presented to their favorite teachers.










Bookmark Exchange Program

The Bookmark Exchange Project entails different schools creating their own bookmarks (of any style, shape, or design) to exchange with one another. The Bookmark Exchange Project is a simple, enjoyable method to share the joys and delights of books and libraries while also meeting new people through school libraries worldwide.

Happy Home School arranged a bookmark exchange project as part of International School Library Month celebrations and held a country-wide event to encourage students' creativity. Making new friends while discussing the wonders of books and libraries was a simple yet pleasurable experience.

In the "Annual Bookmark Exchange Program-2021," The SET School students were partnered with students from Happy Home School to exchange bookmarks. Our students made bookmarks to commemorate "National Library Month." Students from different schools were able to connect through the sharing of bookmarks embellished with their own artwork.







Poster Competition

To commemorate occasions such as Eid-e-Miladun-Nabi, Defense Day, Independence Day, Mother's Day, Teachers Day, and Earth Day, the SET School held poster-making competitions.

The goal of the activity was to inspire students to think outside the box. In order to convey their thoughts, students were requested to draw and paint. Through a variety of posters, the students demonstrated their artistic abilities.

Many students from each of the two campuses took part in the competition, creating eye-catching posters emphasizing the importance of the event and ensuring a cleaner environment for the next generation. It was a treat to observe these young minds put their thoughts on paper and express themselves. The students were enthralled by the experience.







Colors Week

Colors impact mood in both adults and children. Color psychology and its effects on children's learning and behaviour are well investigated.

We had a lot of fun celebrating "Colors Week" with our youngsters. Each day of the week, a different colours clothing was worn by the children. Teachers set up art activities like sketching, colouring, and paper crafting for their students to learn about the value of colour.











Campus 1 Colors Day











Fruit & Vegetable Day
Campus 1

Fruit and Vegetable Day is a health promotion event that aims to encourage increased fruit and vegetable consumption amongst pre-primary students through engaging activities for the school and home.

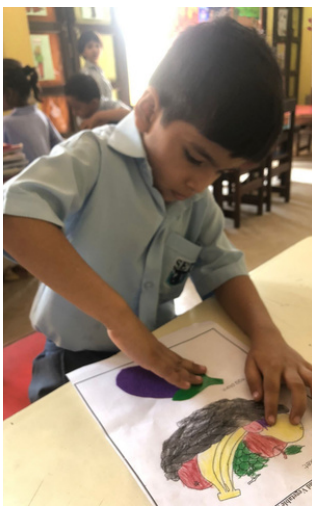
The pre-primary section celebrated Fruit and Vegetable day at Campus 1.













Fruit & Vegetable Day
NE Campus











Environment Walk

World Environment Day (WED) is celebrated each year. Like Earth Day, it's a day to learn about the environment, participate in conservation activities, and learn about ways to help in the future.

To mark World Environment Day, our pre-primary section organized an environmental walk.









A2Z Champs Arts & Creative Writing Competition 2021 (Season 2)

Campus 1

According to research, students who regularly engage in creative writing and art activities, also perform better in other academic areas, such as math, science, and foreign languages.

Students gain the self-confidence and self-control they need to excel in school and in life by pushing themselves to think creatively and solve problems.

Several students from Campus 1 competed in the A2Z Champs Arts and Creative Writing Competition 2021 (Season 2) and were awarded prizes and certificates for their efforts.











Campus 1









Eid Milad-un-Nabi ﷺ was celebrated on Friday, 22nd October 2021 at Campus 1. Students of all levels extolled various Naats to express their reverence and devotion to the last messenger whose entire life is guidance for mankind.



NE Campus









On Friday, the 29th of October, students at the NE Campus (Primary Section) celebrated Eid Milad-un-Nabi ﷺ. There were naat recitations from students of all levels to show their adoration for the last messenger of Allah, whose life has been a beacon of light for mankind..



The most remarkable day for children commenced with great zeal and enthusiasm. A children friendly ambience was observed as the teachers conducted showers of various events and programmes especially for the kids. The agenda of the programme was very simple – just to get on with the flow and cherish the moments for the rest of the life. All the children were given equal importance to take part in the various fun events.



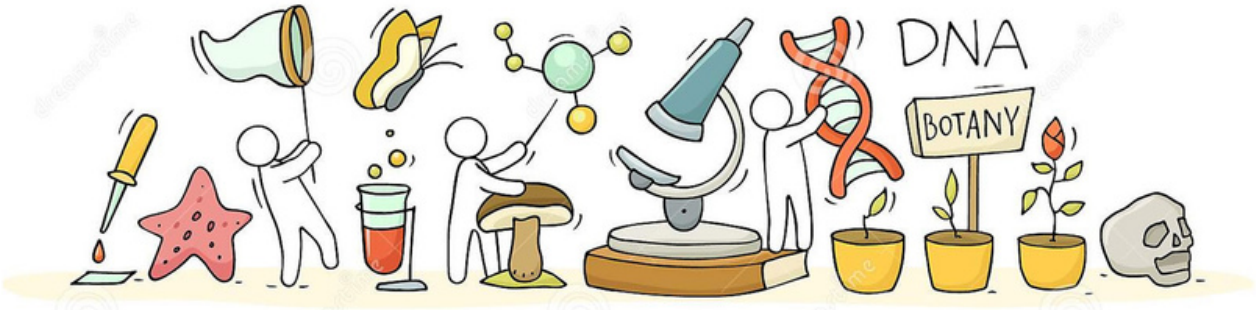










Visit To The TDF MagnifiScience Children's Studio

In the last decades, science education movements have enhanced the need to promote a better understanding of science, maths, and technology, to develop applicable knowledge on fundamental science concepts, on the methodological nature of science, and on its relations with other domains of the society.

Teachers from the school visited TDF MagnifiScience Children's Studio to experience hands-on science activities. The unique and thrilling experience allowed a first-hand experience at the interactive exhibits aimed at developing problem-solving skills. In this visit, a few students also joined in with the teachers and their experience was astonishing. In the future, more visits will be arranged for studnets



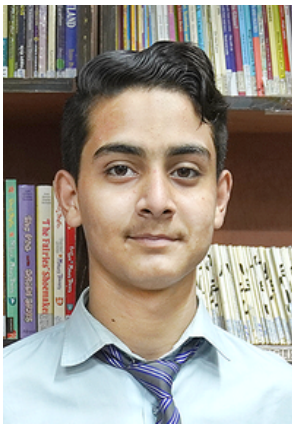
TDS MagnifiScience Centre Visit Report








Students Achievements







Following video production and photography workshops, a few students from NE Campus participated in national 'News Reporting' and 'Photography' contests.

Muhammad Baqar of class VIII and Alishba Fatima of class IX competed in Awakener Magazine's News Reporting event, while Dua Fatima of class IX competed in News Writing for Print.

Alishba Fatima of **IX-A** secured 'First Position' in the News Reporting Video contest. She made a news report on Child Labor and Children's Day.

Sakina Batool of **V-A** secured the First Position at Provincial Level in the FSP Magazine Photography contest.



Alumni Achievements

