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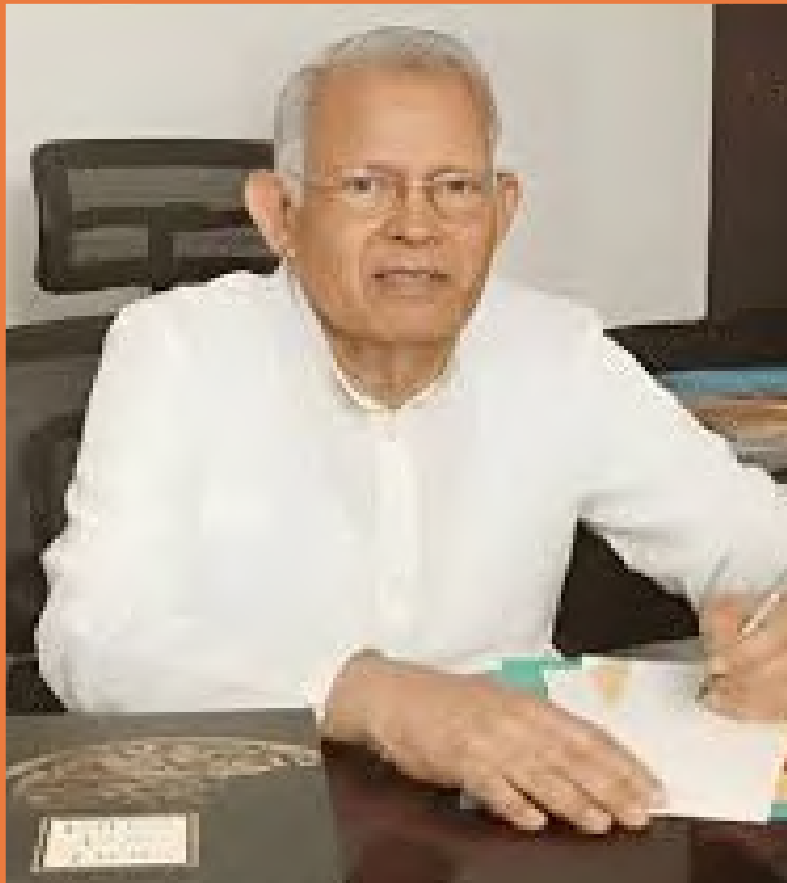
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LATE PROF. JAVED KHAN

President of Oriental Educational Society



Mrs. HUMERA J. KHAN

Message from the Desk of the Managing Director



Mr. Waseem J Khan

It is my privilege and pleasure to welcome you to **OES International School**; that aims to unlock and develop the academy and pastoral abilities of our pupils.

In a scenario where academic excellence is largely given importance for pupils applying for university places at institutions. **OESIS** offers key to success by offering experiences, personal qualities, skills and importantly the ability to use their secondary school academic and pastoral knowledge and apply it practically to real world problems. **OESIS** aims to equip our young generation with essential social skills and life skills to excel in our increasingly globalized world.

Our staff hails from variety of educational backgrounds committed to providing the best possible education. We have rich, varied and growing curriculum culminating that includes a strong co-curricular component.



Our strength on the sports field, in a variety of specialisms, increasingly sees us as a force to be reckoned with both in Mumbai and nationally.

Our pledge is to “**do what needs to be done**” to ensure the best possible learning experiences. We very much look forward to meeting you and to welcoming you to our School.

Message from the Desk of the Director - Principal



Dr. Rashmi Choudhri

“Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school” – Albert Einstein

Welcome to the world of **OESIS** where education means to create happy and successful individuals.

I take this opportunity to say confidently that the above quote is plainly followed at **OESIS** to nurture our students to become successful in their lives.

At **OESIS** we cultivate a positive spirit and believe in collaboration among students, parents, teachers and support staff striving to create an abode that sustains excellence.

Our exclusivity lies in the pursuit of the high academic standard through support, encouragement, commendation, and motivation. We are committed to providing quality and practical education to our 21st-century learners to excel in their future endeavors.



We encourage children for extracurricular, co-curricular and sport activities; we reinforce the moral values, ethics and inculcate a sense of responsibility in them towards the society.

School provides state of the art infrastructure with ergonomic furniture and digitally equipped classrooms of international standards.

We believe that parents and teachers have always played an important role in students' lives and in the current context our role has been rewritten as guide or mentor due to remarkable increase in information, knowledge, opportunities, and competition.

We anticipate your consistent support to make our children's future shining bright and take the school to greater heights.



OES

EDUCATION TOWARDS EXCELLENCE

ORIENTAL EDUCATION SOCIETY

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Oriental Education Society was established in the year 1992 under the dynamic leadership of well known educationist **Prof. Javed Khan**.

OES is a Public Charitable Trust registered under the Society's Registration Act and Bombay Public Trust Act. OES has always been committed to the cause of providing high quality education at various levels. From its humble beginnings in 1992, the Society today has grown into a big educational complex imparting high-level education to more than 8000+ students.

The objective of the society is to provide quality education with fine exposures to practical knowledge of industry & businesses. At OES, we strongly believe the fact that the base for all development is education, and hence the need for setting up a society for educational activities was initiated. The energy and dynamism of the youth today, need to be channelized into productive pathways. All these institutions aim at identifying and harnessing the potential of youth to its maximum in areas that provide a competitive edge to deal with the demands of markets and economies of tomorrow.

MISSION & VISION

OES International School

will be widely respected as a centre of excellence & learning dedicated to creating a community of well educated, internationally minded citizens.

To discover and develop the potential within each child so that they break boundaries and achieve excellence, with confidence and character.

GOALS

- To support and nurture individual students with diverse needs, to develop confidence and resilience through a wide range of creative learning opportunities and applied professional activities.
- To serve our students by establishing a dynamic, international learning community based on diligence, mutual respect and understanding.
- To achieve these goals by drawing on the richness of the school environment and its people, the broader school community and by encouraging each student to achieve their highest standards in all aspects of life.



- By providing children and young people with a diverse range of learning opportunities appropriate to their unique stage of development, we will build their confidence and independence, enabling them to grow into flexible and resilient young adults, capable of embracing the challenges of the future.
- To fulfill our corporate social responsibility through connections with charitable organisations such as Red Cross and UNICEF.

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OES International School extends warm greetings to all the readers of our annual school magazine '**SCHOLASTIC VOYAGE**.' This year 2024-2025 was year of acceptance of the re-calibration of expectations from a world formed anew. This Magazine shows you the glimpse of the monumental strides that our school has taken and presents a beautiful mosaic of student's activities and achievements.

So dear readers, sit back and take a moment to slow down and experience the showmanship, eloquence and wisdom of our budding wordsmiths. Without further ado, we give you '**SCHOLASTIC VOYAGE**' with a beautiful message of hope.

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"Leadership is not about the height
of our position, but the power of our
influence."

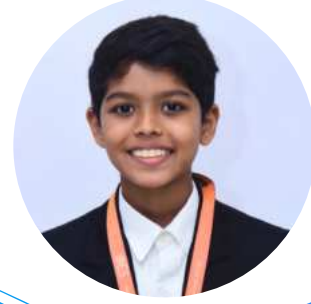
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**Explore
the OES
Minds**



**WE
BELIEVE
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Curiosity , Creativity , Character

HOW ART CHANGES OUR LIFE?

Arts subjects encourage self-expression and creativity and can build confidence as well as a sense of individual identity.

Art is a very peaceful subject and gives you time to think more about it. Art can change the way we see the world; it can take us back in time to reflect on our past or push us further into our future.

Art can help us understand our history, our culture, and our lives.

Art exists in the form of dressing, preparing food, communicating, and performing any creation such as drama, painting, music, sculpting, etc.

In other words, art helps us feel relaxed and forget about our problems.



Ayra Shaikh (Grade 6)

Advantages

- Art gives you patience.
- It improves memory.
- It reduces stress.

Disadvantages

- Artistic education has been lacking for years.
- Not many people are willing to become artists.

TEENAGE LIFE

Teenage life is a period of transition and discovery. It is a life mixed with excitement and challenges. We experience intense emotions, and friendship takes on new significance. We try to fit in with our peers. School becomes more demanding as we start choosing our streams and feel stressed about our board exams and future careers. We seek independence from our parents, not realizing that we still need their support. Social media influences our daily lives—sometimes positively and sometimes negatively. We face pressures from many directions but also enjoy the freedom and fun in our lives.

Through all the ups and downs of our teenage years, we get to know who we are and who we can become! I have just entered my teens, and it

already feels like a lot of burden, but at the same time, I love having independence in my life!



Rabab Kaur (Grade 7)

Teenage life is a whirlwind of transition and discovery—a mix of excitement and challenges that shape who we become.

- **Emotions Run High** - We experience intense feelings, ranging from joy to frustration, as we navigate new experiences.
- **Friendships Matter** - Friends become an important part of our lives, and we often try to fit in with our peers.
- **Academic Pressure** - School becomes more challenging, board exams approach, and choosing career paths adds to the stress.
- **Independence vs. Support** - We crave freedom from our parents yet unknowingly still rely on their guidance and support.
- **The Social Media Influence** - Social media shapes our daily lives - sometimes positively, sometimes negatively.
- **Balancing Fun & Responsibilities** - Amidst the pressure, teenage years also bring freedom, fun, and self-discovery.

Through all the ups and downs, we learn who we are and who we can become.

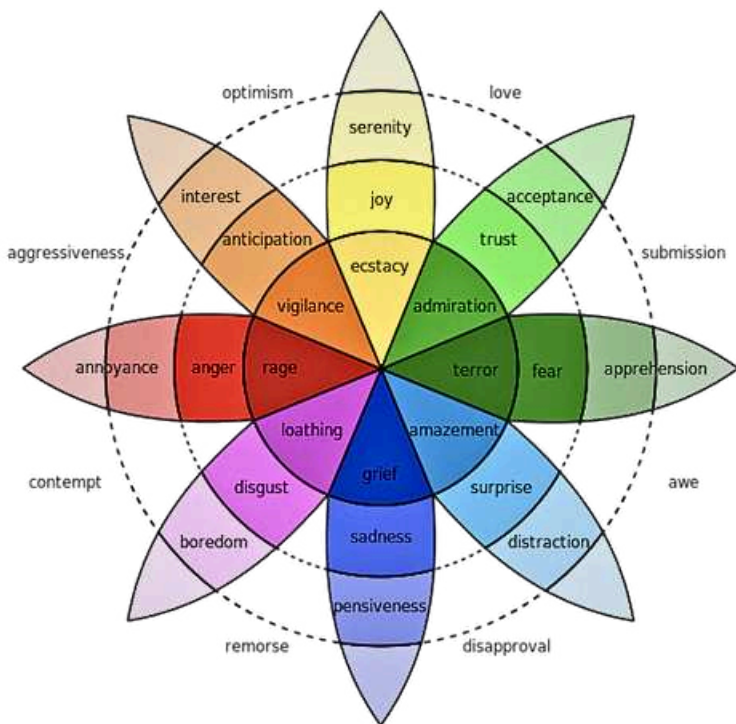
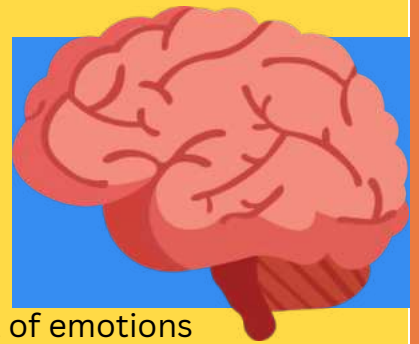
Emotions

ONE OF THE MOST FASCINATING ASPECTS OF THE HUMAN MIND



The human mind is a phenomenon. It is one of the most powerful parts of the body. The beauty of this organ lies in the fact that each part has a specific duty in helping us function in our day-to-day lives. One part of the mind is responsible for how we react to situations, how we feel about certain subjects, and our personality. This part is called the limbic system, which controls our emotions, motivation, and behavior. The limbic system is located inside the cerebral cortex, which manages our memory, thinking, learning, reasoning, problem-solving, and emotions.

A person experiences different types of emotions depending on their circumstances. Although it is believed that there are 34,000 unique types of emotions, the human brain contains eight primary emotions that serve as the foundation for creating others. These are anger, fear, sadness, joy, disgust, surprise, trust, and anticipation. Psychologist Robert Plutchik invented the wheel of emotions in 1980, illustrating the relationship between the eight primary emotions. It also demonstrated how new emotions are created by increasing or decreasing the intensity of existing emotions and by combining two of them.



Key Points of Plutchik's Theory:

- There are eight primary emotions: **joy, sadness, anger, fear, trust, disgust, surprise, and anticipation.**
- These emotions can vary in intensity (e.g., **joy can become ecstasy, and anger can turn into rage**).
- New emotions are formed by combining two primary emotions (e.g., **joy + trust = love, fear + surprise = awe**).
- He introduced the Wheel of Emotions, which visually shows how emotions relate to each other and how they evolve.



Robert Plutchik created the Wheel of Emotions in 1980

Nandita Nishanth (Grade 7)

Malnutrition

A CRISIS

Malnutrition is an issue that arises when there is a lack of food, nutrients, vitamins, minerals, plenty of water, etc.



What are the causes of malnutrition?

Poverty – In rural areas or poorer countries, people cannot afford to buy food and eat. As a result, newborn babies, children, adults, and elderly people are affected.

Lack of Education – Limited awareness about proper nutrition and hygiene often leads to poor dietary choices.

Food Insecurity – Many people struggle with basic survival, unable to stay safe or access sufficient food, which affects millions worldwide.

Poor Maternal Health – Malnourished mothers give birth to underweight babies, leading to illnesses, infectious diseases, stunted growth, and a continuous cycle of poor nutrition.

SOLUTIONS

- We need to help people who struggle to find food to eat.
- We must improve food security and access to nutritious food.
- Educate children about nutrition, hygiene, and the importance of a balanced diet.
- Discuss the physical, cognitive, and social consequences of malnutrition in children.
- Strengthen awareness of healthcare systems, including immunization and early childhood development.

WHAT ARE THE EFFECTS OR THE IMPACTS ON

MALNUTRITION?

The effects of malnutrition include people suffering from various infections such as diarrhea, malaria, etc.

If they do not drink plenty of water, they may experience illness, sickness, and dehydration.

Children who do not have access to food, nutrients, and grains may experience stunted growth, failure to form tissues or organs, and progressive weight loss, making them thinner and thinner.



Vanya Singh (Grade 7)

WATER CONSERVATION

THE IMPORTANCE OF WATER CONSERVATION

We need water throughout the day at different times. With 60% of our body made of water, we need to drink it daily to stay healthy.

It not only keeps our body cool but also carries nutrients to our cells and helps remove waste. The food we eat comes from farms, where farmers need water to grow crops. Without water, we would not be able to wash our clothes or clean ourselves after playing.

Not just humans, but plants and animals also need water to survive. Many animals cannot live without water. We must ensure that waste from factories and garbage thrown by us do not end up in water, harming marine life.

My only request to each of you reading this is: let's do our part and save this precious resource called WATER.

If you are wondering what we can do to make a difference, I have a few tips.

- Turn off the tap while brushing and encourage everyone at home to do the same.
- Take a shower instead of a bath every day.
- Make sure to fix any leaks.
- Wash your car using a bucket of water instead of a hose.
- Use rainwater to water plants.

Zaid Khoja (Grade 5)



What

does school mean to me?



I've been in this school for more than five years. The school provides a large number of facilities for students and teachers. For example, it has an art room for students to showcase their creativity, a science lab where teachers and students can conduct experiments, and digitally equipped classrooms. The school even provides a large basketball and football court, which is also used for other sports.

For me, school is more than a brick-and-mortar institution; it's a furnace of growth, discovery, and lifelong connections. It's where I not only gained knowledge but also learned invaluable life lessons.

The teachers in the school are very kind and explain topics in simple and understandable words. Students don't feel shy to ask them about any doubts or problems, as the teachers give equal attention to all students.



Burhanuddin Kanchwala (Grade 6)

Importance of child **EDUCATION**

The Power of Education: Shaping Young Minds

Mental health is about how we feel emotionally, how we deal with stress, and how we get along with others. It affects our thoughts, feelings, and behaviors. When we have good mental health, we are better able to manage challenges, make decisions, and build healthy relationships.

But when our mental health declines, it can impact our daily lives and overall well-being. Education is more than just books and exams—it's a gateway to confidence, success, and a better future. In today's fast-paced world, learning equips children with essential life skills that go beyond the classroom.

Here's how education transforms young lives:

- **Confidence & Empowerment** – Knowledge is power! An educated child grows with self-worth and independence, ready to take on life's challenges.
- **Critical Thinking & Problem-Solving** – Education sharpens minds, teaching kids to analyze, adapt, and innovate—key skills in a rapidly changing world.
- **Social & Emotional Growth** – Schools teach more than subjects; they nurture teamwork, empathy, and communication, which are essential for personal and professional success.
- **Economic Mobility** – Quality education opens doors to better jobs, uplifting families and communities toward a brighter future.

Let's invest in education today for a stronger tomorrow! An educated child is a step toward a better world! When mental health isn't good, even everyday things like school, friendships, and getting out of bed can feel much harder.

Uzzaman Baig (Grade 7)



Mind Matters:

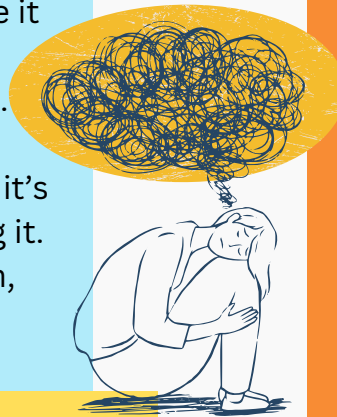
Why Mental Health Deserves Our Attention



Mental health is an important part of our well-being, but it's often overlooked. It affects how we think, feel, and act every day. Just as we take care of our bodies by eating right and exercising, we also need to take care of our minds.

Mental health is an important part of our daily life. It affects how we handle stress, make choices, and build relationships. When we take care of our mental health, we feel happy, confident, and ready to face challenges. But if we ignore it, we may feel sad, stressed, or find it hard to focus. Just like our body needs care, our mind does too!

Unfortunately, many people still don't take mental health seriously. Some think that mental health problems aren't as important as physical problems, or they might say things like, "You'll get over it" or "Just think positively." This kind of thinking can make it harder for people to talk about their feelings or ask for help when they need it. Mental health should be treated with the same importance as physical health, and it's essential to break the stigma surrounding it. When we talk openly about mental health, we create a safer space for everyone.

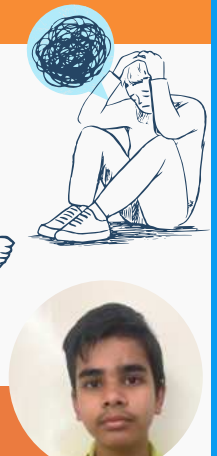


Good mental health helps us cope with stress and handle problems in healthy ways. It makes it easier to focus on schoolwork, stay motivated, and get along with others. If we don't take care of our mental health, we might struggle with feelings of anxiety or sadness, which can affect our happiness, performance in school, and relationships. Taking care of our mental health helps us feel stronger, more confident, and better able to deal with life's challenges.

Mental health is just as important as physical health. It affects how we feel, how we act, and how we interact with the world. By taking care of our mental health, we can face challenges more easily, enjoy our lives more, and build stronger relationships with others. We should support one another in taking care of our mental health and create an environment where it's okay to talk about our feelings. After all, a healthy mind leads to a happier, more successful life.



Arth Naryani (Grade 7)



Football

More Than Just a Game

Football is a sport played by millions and loved by billions. It is a game that unites people across the world, bringing excitement, passion, and joy. For me, football is more than just a sport—it's a way of life. Every time I step onto the field, I feel a rush of happiness, and nothing else matters except for the game.



One of the greatest footballers of all time is **Cristiano Ronaldo**, who plays for Portugal. His skill, dedication, and achievements inspire me. As a defender, I admire **Sergio Ramos**, one of the best defenders in football, who represents Spain.

Football is played at two levels: national and club football. My favorite club is Real Madrid, a legendary team from La Liga, Spain's top football league. There are 211 national teams and 210 leagues worldwide. The top five leagues in football are:

- Premier League (England)
- **La Liga** (Spain)
- **Bundesliga** (Germany)
- **Serie A** (Italy)
- **Ligue 1** (France)

With over 4,400 football clubs, the game continues to grow in popularity every day.

Look Into Football's History

Football has an interesting history that dates back more than 2,000 years. Later, the Roman army used football to train their soldiers, believing it would improve their aim.

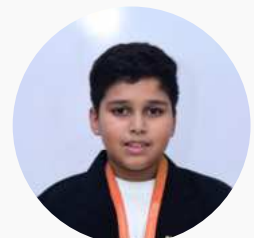
One of the most fascinating moments in football history occurred during

World War I

On Christmas Day in 1914, British and German soldiers put their weapons aside and played a friendly match. The Germans won 2-1, and after the game, both sides returned to the battlefield as if nothing had happened. Football is not just a sport—it is a game that connects people, teaches teamwork, and inspires millions worldwide. Whether played on the streets, in schools, or in massive stadiums, football will always be a game of passion and unity.

Did you know?

First footballs were made in China and stuffed with goat fur.



Aariz Syed (Grade 5)

Singapore: A Dream Adventure

Visiting Singapore had always been my dream, and last summer, it finally came true!

On 7th September 2024, I got the thrilling news—I was going to the Lion Island with my cousin. The flight was amazing, especially with a mini TV playing my favorite cartoon, Pokémon.

Upon arrival, I instantly felt it would be an unforgettable trip. We stayed at a beautiful hotel, enjoyed a swim, and indulged in a delicious breakfast. I love exploring cultural sites more than shopping, but due to time constraints, I missed the Art Science Museum at Marina Bay.

Still, the trip was extraordinary! As we packed to leave, I wished for more time, but Singapore had already given me a lifetime of memories. One day, I'll return to explore even more!



Hitaansh Patel (Grade 4)



Falling in Love with Languages

The Engaging and Captivating Teaching of Our Wonderful Teachers



Marathi and English are fascinating languages that have become my favorites, thanks to our amazing teachers, Aarti Miss and Lumina Miss. Their engaging and lively teaching methods have made learning these languages a joyful experience.

In our class Aarti Miss makes Marathi lessons exciting by introducing us to beautiful Marathi songs and interesting words, keeping us engrossed throughout the session.

On the other hand, Lumina Miss encourages us to write short articles about our school functions and field trips, which not only helps us express ourselves but also enhances our English vocabulary.

Because of their creative and captivating teaching styles, I have developed a deep love for both Marathi and English. If I could, I would award these languages a gold medal!

I am truly grateful to Aarti Miss and Lumina Miss for making our learning journey so enjoyable and enriching.

Thank you for being such wonderful teachers!



LEARN

LANGUAGES



Aarav Kapoor Grade 2

OES INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL'S EXCITING FIELD TRIP TO BANGALORE

Ooty & Mysore



At OES International School, we believe that learning extends beyond the four walls of the classroom. In line with this vision, learners from Grades 5 to 7 embarked on an unforgettable field trip to Bangalore, Ooty, and Mysore.

The journey was filled with adventure, learning, and cultural exploration, leaving our learners with memories to cherish for a lifetime. The trip began with visits to magnificent architectural sites, offering a glimpse into the rich heritage and grandeur of these historic locations.

St. Philomena's Church in Mysore.

This neo-Gothic architectural marvel left our learners in awe with its intricate designs and stained-glass windows. They learned about the history and significance of this iconic landmark, gaining insights into religious and colonial influences in India.

A Glimpse of Royalty at Mysore Palace

Stepping into Mysore Palace was like traveling back in time to an era of kings and queens. The learners marveled at the grandeur of the palace, its exquisite carvings, and the rich history of the Wadiyar dynasty. They were fascinated by the vibrant Durbar Hall and the intricate gold-painted ceilings, which reflected the opulence of a bygone era.



Wild Encounters at Mysore Zoo

The visit to Mysore Zoo was one of the most thrilling experiences for the learners. They had the opportunity to observe a variety of wildlife, including tigers, elephants, and exotic birds. This experience deepened their understanding of biodiversity and reinforced the importance of wildlife conservation.





A Day of Serenity at **Vrindavan Gardens** The picturesque Vrindavan Gardens provide a refreshing break with its lush greenery and beautiful landscaped fountains. The musical fountain show was a delightful spectacle that left everyone mesmerized. Learners learned about the significance of irrigation and landscape design while enjoying the serene beauty of the garden.



Tea, Chocolates, and Scenic Beauty in Ooty The visit to the **Ooty Tea Plantation** was both educational and delightful. Students witnessed the tea-making process firsthand, from plucking fresh leaves to their transformation into the perfect brew. This experience helped them appreciate the effort behind their daily cup of tea.

Next, a trip to the **Chocolate Factories** in Ooty was a dream come true for the students. They learned about the art of chocolate-making and got to taste some freshly made treats, making it one of the sweetest memories of the trip.

Shooting Point & Boat Ride Adventures

At Shooting Point, the learners were thrilled to see the breathtaking views that have served as a backdrop for numerous films. The scenic landscape inspired them to capture beautiful photographs and sketches. The excitement continued with a boat ride, where students enjoyed the cool breeze and tranquil waters, experiencing the joy of being amidst nature.



A Journey of Discovery and Fun

This field trip was much more than just sightseeing; it was an immersive educational experience. The students not only witnessed the **beauty and heritage** of these places but also gained valuable lessons in **history, wildlife conservation, architecture, and culture**.

The hands-on learning approach made these concepts come alive, reinforcing classroom lessons in a fun and engaging manner.

The trip concluded with joyful memories, new friendships, and a deeper appreciation for India's rich heritage. The excitement and enthusiasm of our learners throughout the journey reflected how impactful and enjoyable this experience was for them.

We at **OES International School** are proud to provide such enriching opportunities, ensuring that learning is not just confined to books but extends to **real-world experiences**.



OES School's First Art Festival Experience: A Journey to

Kala Ghoda 2025



The learners of OES recently embarked on an unforgettable journey to Kala Ghoda 2025, marking their first-ever trip to an art festival. The excitement was palpable as learners eagerly anticipated exploring the world of art beyond the classroom.

An Introduction to Kala Ghoda

Before setting foot at the festival, learners were introduced to the significance of Kala Ghoda, an art festival known for its immersive installations. They were amazed to learn that the festival celebrates creativity through themes that reflect emotions, reality, and change. The highlight of the festival is the recurring presence of a horse motif, symbolizing artistic expression and continuity.



Art Installations: A Deeper Perspective

As learners wandered through the vibrant festival, they were captivated by the intricately designed art installations. They quickly realized that these were more than just artistic structures; they were expressions of powerful themes and social narratives. Each installation told a unique story, leaving the students in awe of how art can evoke deep emotions and provoke thought.

The Impact on Learners

Experiencing these installations firsthand left a lasting impression on the learners. They engaged in discussions about the meaning behind the artworks and reflected on the impact of visual storytelling. The festival inspired them to view art as a medium for change and awareness, broadening their perspective on creativity.



Visit to Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya

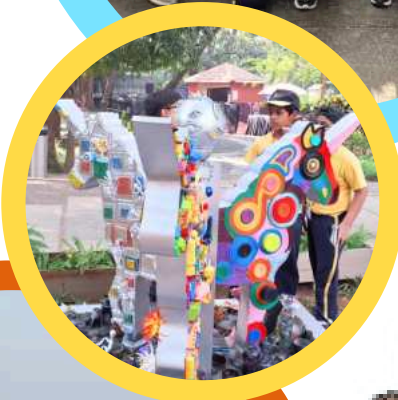
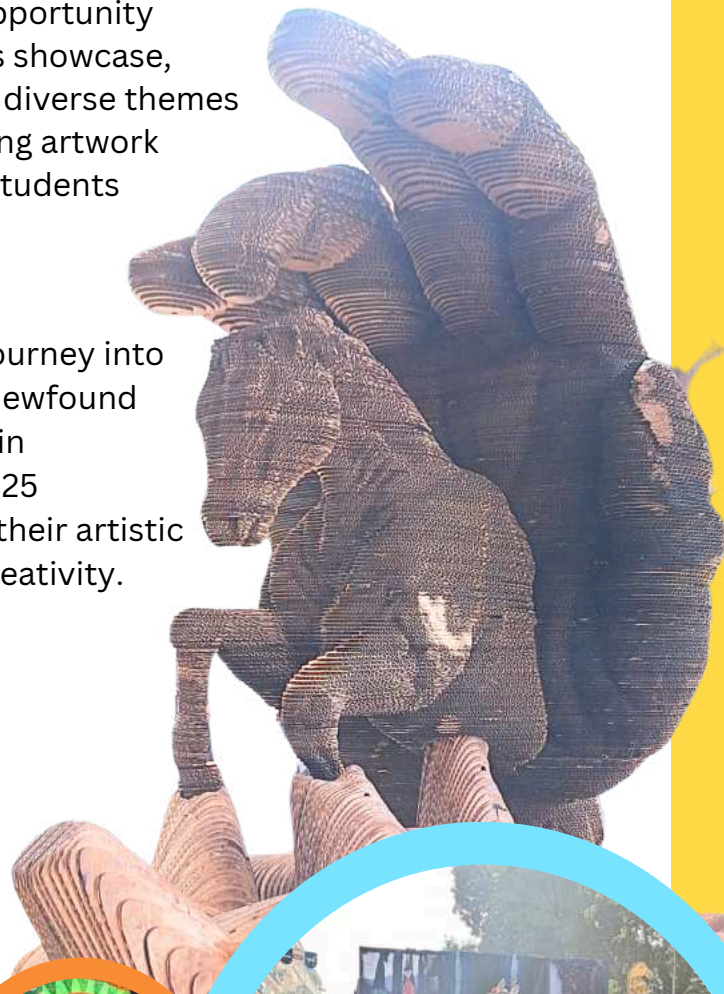
Following the festival, the learners visited the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya, where they had the opportunity to witness an inspiring kids' installation exhibit. This showcase, curated by students from various schools, covered diverse themes and displayed young artists' incredible talent. Seeing artwork created by their peers further motivated the OES students to explore their own artistic potential.

A Transformative Experience

This trip was more than just an excursion; it was a journey into the heart of creativity. The learners returned with newfound inspiration and a deeper appreciation for art's role in storytelling and societal impact. The Kala Ghoda 2025 experience will undoubtedly remain a milestone in their artistic journey, igniting their passion for expression and creativity.

Mumbai's Heritage: A Journey Through Time
During their enriching educational trip, the learners of OES embarked on a heritage sightseeing tour across some of the city's most iconic landmarks. This journey provided them with a deeper appreciation of the city's historical and cultural significance.

The tour began at **Nariman Point**, a prestigious waterfront that offers a stunning panoramic view of the Arabian Sea and the city skyline. Walking along **Marine Lines**, the learners observed the seamless blend of colonial-era architecture and modern skyscrapers, showcasing the city's evolving landscape. The next stop was **Cross Maidan**, an open ground steeped in history, often used for public gatherings and sporting events. Finally, they arrived at **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya**, a beautifully sculpted landmark from the British era, symbolizing Mumbai's colonial heritage. This immersive experience allowed the learners to connect with Mumbai's past, understanding how history, art, and architecture intertwine to shape the city's vibrant identity. The trip left them with a newfound appreciation for their surroundings, making it a truly memorable educational excursion.



Ms. Sanjana Mishra
Incharge of Academic and Administration



The Power of Education: Shaping the Future

Education is the foundation of a bright future. It empowers individuals, fosters innovation, and builds a progressive society. In today's fast-changing world, education goes beyond textbooks—it teaches critical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity.

One of the most exciting aspects of learning is that it never stops. Every lesson in the classroom, every book we read, and every challenge we face contributes to our knowledge and growth. Teachers play a crucial role in this journey, guiding students towards a path of curiosity and lifelong learning.

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 has brought significant changes in India's education system, emphasizing holistic development, skill-based learning, and flexibility in subject choices. This ensures that students are not only academically proficient but also equipped with the skills necessary to face real-world challenges.

Beyond academics, co-curricular activities such as debates, sports, music, and art are equally important. They nurture talents, build confidence, and teach teamwork. A well-rounded education prepares students to excel in all aspects of life.

As students, we must embrace education with enthusiasm and responsibility. The knowledge we gain today will shape the world of tomorrow. Let us strive to be curious learners, responsible citizens, and compassionate individuals who contribute to a better society.



Ms. Mahvash Asif
Chief coordinator

A Promising Future for Our School

As a coordinator, I envision a future where our school continues to thrive as a center of academic excellence, innovation, and holistic development. With a fresh start, we step forward, leaving behind our shortcomings and embracing new opportunities for growth and excellence. I believe that every challenge we have faced has been a stepping stone, guiding us toward improvement. Together, we will channel our experiences into building a stronger, more vibrant learning environment for our students.

Our focus will be on continuous progress, innovation, and holistic development. Professional development for our educators will remain a priority, ensuring that our teaching methods evolve with global trends and best practices. We will work closely with our dedicated educators, engaged parents, and motivated students to create a nurturing and inspiring atmosphere. Emphasizing modern teaching methods, technology integration, and values-based learning, we will prepare our students not only for academic success but also for life's challenges.

Your valuable feedback will be instrumental in shaping our path forward. By listening to your insights, addressing your concerns, and collaborating on solutions, we will create an institution that truly reflects our shared vision and collective aspirations.

Together, let us move ahead with optimism, resilience, and a commitment to excellence. Our school's future is bright, and with your support, we will achieve milestones that inspire pride and success for generations to come.



Ms. Radhika Naik

Primary & Secondary
Academic Co-ordinator

At OESIS, we are committed to providing a dynamic and engaging learning environment that fosters both academic excellence and personal growth. Our approach to education goes beyond textbooks, focusing on interactive, inquiry-based, and experiential learning methods. By integrating technology, project-based learning, and real-world applications, we ensure that learners develop critical thinking, creativity, and problem-solving skills.

Our facilitators play a vital role in guiding learners to explore concepts deeply and apply their knowledge in meaningful ways. A strong teacher-learner relationship lies at the core of our teaching philosophy, creating an environment where learners feel encouraged to ask questions, share ideas, and take ownership of their learning.

At OESIS, we believe in holistic development. Alongside academics, we emphasize extracurricular activities, sports, leadership programs, and community engagement to shape well-rounded individuals. Our goal is to nurture resilience, adaptability, and a lifelong love for learning in every learner.

With a commitment to continuous improvement and innovation, we strive to provide an education that prepares learners not just for exams, but for life. As an Academic Coordinator, I take pride in working alongside a dedicated team of facilitators to create an enriching and supportive learning experience for all.

Ms. Aashna Melwani

Nursery - Prep 2
Pre-School Co-ordinator



The Heart of Our Preschool: Coordination, Planning, and Excellence

I, Ms. Aashna Melwani, as the Preschool Coordinator, take pride in ensuring that every day is a seamless and enriching experience for both children and staff. From curriculum planning to daily operations, my role is to create a nurturing and stimulating environment where young minds can flourish.

Effective communication is key to running a successful preschool. I maintain open lines of communication with teachers, parents, and administrators to address concerns, provide updates, share circulars, and celebrate achievements.

We take a structured yet flexible approach to teaching. Our lesson plans are carefully designed to balance academics with play-based learning, ensuring that children develop essential skills while having fun. Teachers collaborate to create activities that promote cognitive, social, emotional, and physical growth—tailored to each child's needs and interests.

Every activity, lesson, and event is thoughtfully designed to support early childhood development. I work closely with teachers to craft engaging lesson plans that foster creativity, curiosity, and a love for learning. Whether it's sensory play, storytelling, or structured learning, every element aligns with the developmental milestones of our little learners.

From festive celebrations to educational field trips, we plan and coordinate events that bring joy and learning together. We believe that a child's early years should be filled with magical moments, and we strive to create those experiences through creative and well-executed programs.

With teamwork, commitment, and a deep passion for early education, our facilitators make every day at our preschool a wonderful adventure in learning.

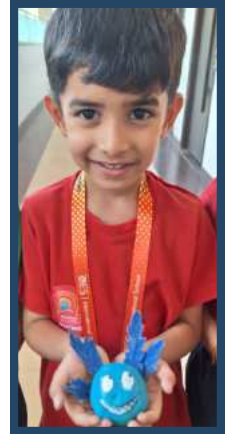
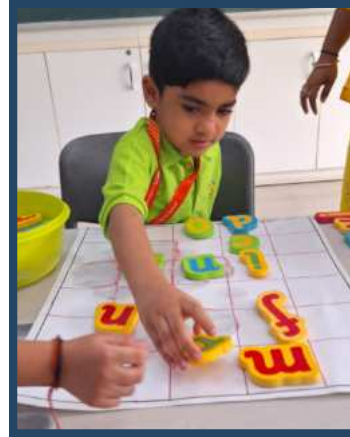


ANNUAL ALBUM 2024-25



WORLD BOOK DAY

Ink & Imagination: A Literacy Celebration!



INTERNATIONAL DANCE DAY

Feet in Motion, Heart in Harmony!



YOGA DAY

Align,
Breathe,
Transform!



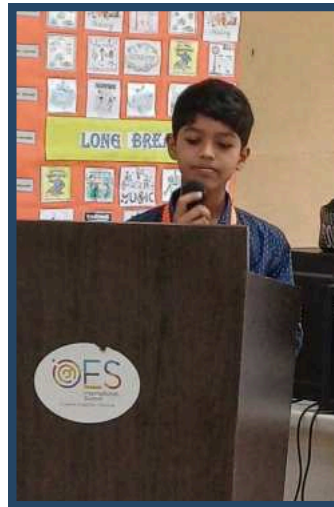
FRENCH DAY

Un Voyage en France: A Cultural
Soirée!



ENGLISH LANGUAGE DAY

Words That Shape the World!



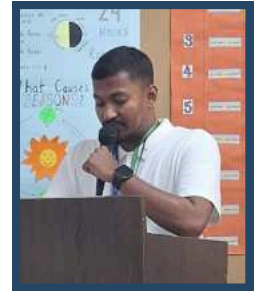
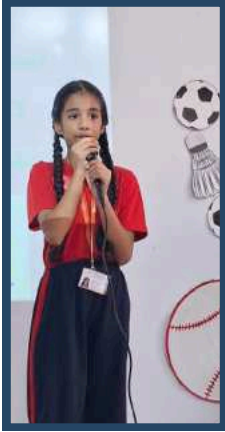
INDEPENDENCE DAY

Winds of Freedom,
Echoes of Courage!



NATIONAL SPORTS DAY

Chasing Greatness, One Game at a Time!



TEACHERS' DAY

The Architects of Tomorrow!



हिंदी की गूँज , भारत की पहचान!



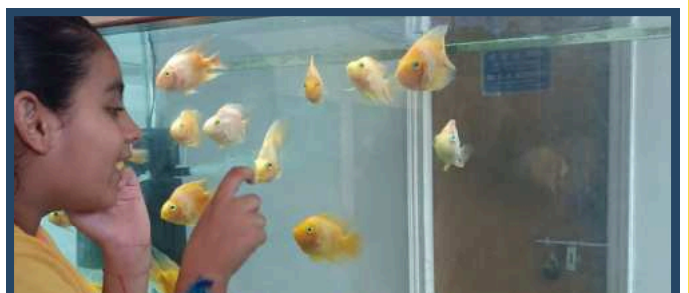
MARATHI DIWAS

Marathichi chhan, Maharashtrachi
jaan!



FIELD TRIP TO CIFE

Exploring the Blue Frontiers of Science!



FIELD TRIP TO KALA GHODA

Brushstrokes of Heritage!



FIELD TRIP - BYCULLA ZOO

Roars, Chirps & Wild Whispers!



TRAFFIC PARK

Green Light to Road Smarts!



NATURE BASKET

From Soil to Soul!



BEACH

Waves, Wonders & Sandy Adventures!





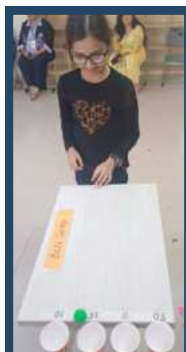
PICNIC

Laughter, Leisure & Lasting Memories!



CHILDREN'S DAY

Smiles, Fun & A World of Wonder!



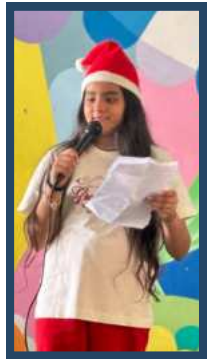
DIWALI & WORLD FOOD DAY

Flavors & Fireworks: A Feast for the Senses!



CHRISTMAS

Spreading Joy & Cheer!





WORLD FEST

A Cultural Extravaganza!



GRANDPARENTS' DAY

Celebrating Love Across Generations!



NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

Innovate, Experiment, Discover!



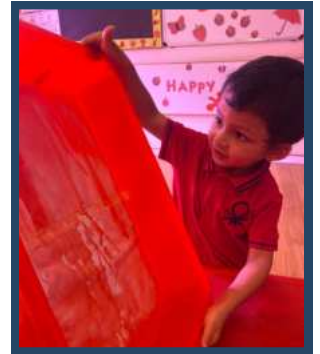
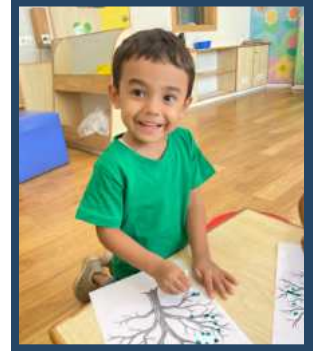
ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

Run, Play, Conquer!



COLOUR DAY

A Splash of Joy, A Palette of Fun!



CAR WASH

Bubbles, Shine & Wheels in Line!



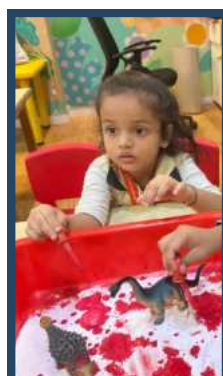
FARM WORLD

Sowing Seeds of Fun & Learning!



DINO WORLD

Roaring into the Prehistoric Past!





SENSES

Exploring the World,
One Sense at a Time!





VEGETABLES

Healthy Bites, Colourful Delights!



SINK AND FLOAT

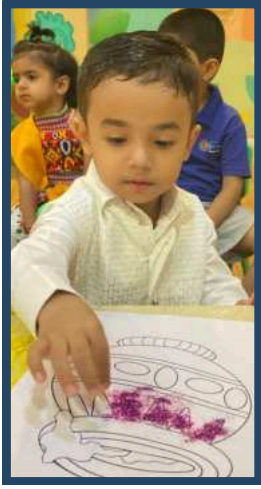
Diving into Discovery: What Stays, What Sways!



RAINY DAY

Drizzles, Puddles & Monsoon Magic!





JANMASHTAMI

Celebrating Krishna's Playful Spirit!



EID

Joy,
Togetherness
& Festive
Delights!



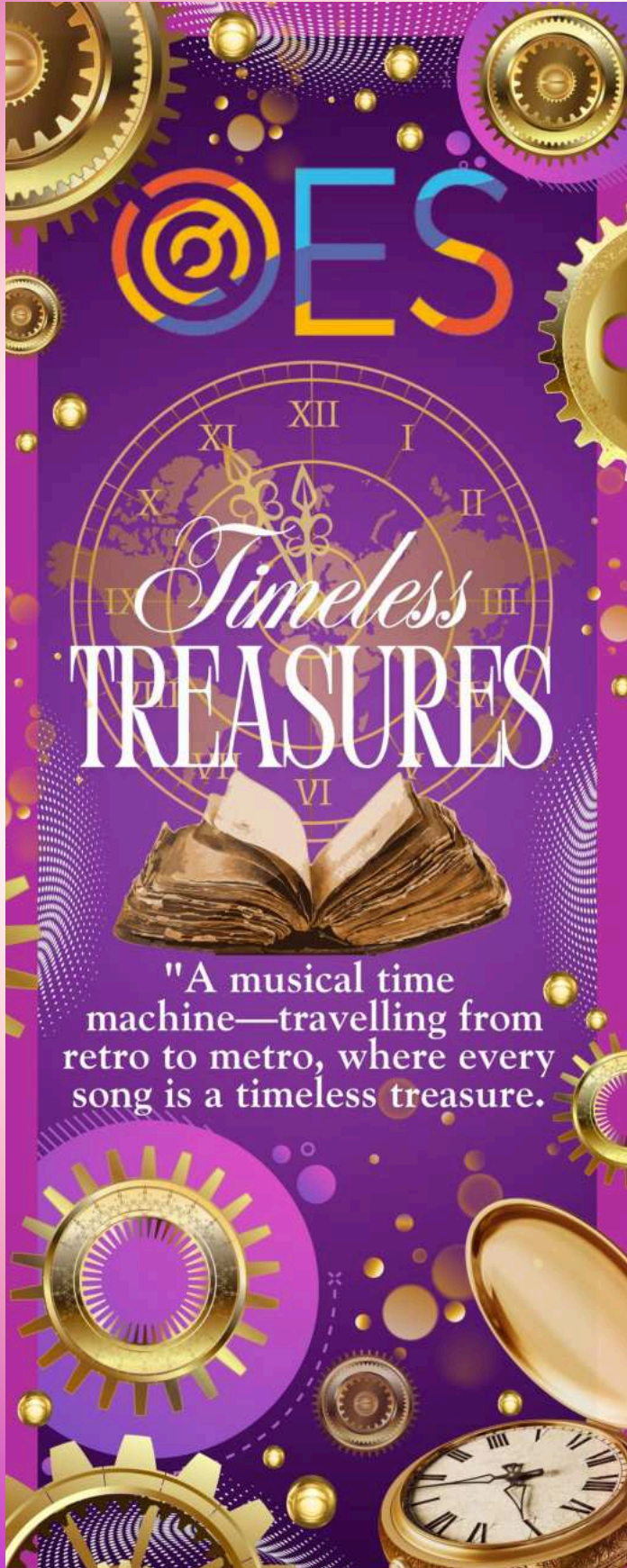
MAKAR SANKRANTI

Kites in the Sky, Hopes Flying High!



ANNUAL DAY THEME

Timeless Treasures – A Musical Journey Through Time



Music is a bridge that connects generations, a melody that transcends time, and a rhythm that binds the past to the present. The Annual Day at OES International School celebrated this universal language with the captivating theme—**"Timeless Treasures."**

This grand spectacle took the audience on a mesmerizing journey through the eras, guided by a time machine that transported learners back in time, reliving the golden age of music and moving forward to the vibrant beats of today. From the soulful classics of the retro era to the electrifying beats of the modern metro age, the stage came alive with performances that echoed the evolution of music across industries and cultures.

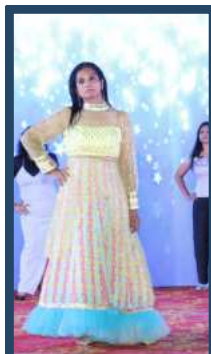
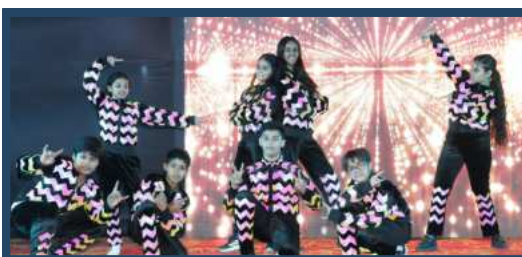
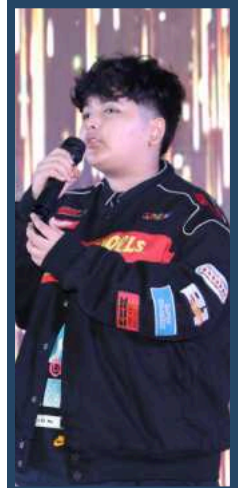
The learners, dressed in the essence of each era, swayed to the melodies of legendary tunes, rekindling the nostalgia of the past while embracing the energy of the present. Through dance, drama, and dazzling performances, they showcased how music, though ever-changing, remains an eternal treasure—one that holds memories, emotions, and stories within its notes.

"Timeless Treasures" was not just a theme; it was an experience—a celebration of music's enduring legacy, proving that no matter the decade, the rhythm of life continues to play on.

ANNUAL DAY

Flavours & Fireworks: A Feast for the Senses!







ACCOLADES AT OES:

CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE

At **OES**, excellence is more than just a goal—it's a tradition. The institution takes pride in recognizing and celebrating the outstanding achievements of learners, facilitators across various fields. From academic brilliance to artistic flair and athletic prowess, **OES** encourages holistic growth and rewards dedication and talent.



Taekwondo

Sports

Skating

SOF

LogIQuids

Art & Design

Taekwondo

Year 2024 - 25



Yasira Khatri
1st Place at
Taekwondo Challenge



Rittija Bhattacharjee
2nd Place at
Taekwondo Challenge



Vanij Singh
2nd Place at
Taekwondo Challenge



Aiman Shaikh
3rd Place at
Taekwondo Challenge



Muhammad Shaikh
2nd Place at
Taekwondo Challenge

Athlete of the year

Year 2024 - 25

Skating

Year 2024 - 25



Nandita Nishant
Grade 7



Ayaan Shaikh
2nd Place at
District -level Championship



Kyle Mascarenhas
Grade 6



Shayne Dsilva
4th Place at
Skating Championship

SOF

Year 2024 - 25



Parinaaz Limbuwala
Grade 1



Aiman Shaikh
Grade 1



Vanij Singh
Grade 2

LogiQuid

Year 2024 - 25



Aiman Shaikh
Rank 12 in First Stage of
Mental aptitude



Muhammad Shaikh
Rank 19 in First Stage of
Mental aptitude



Rittija Bhattacharjee
Rank 60 in First Stage of
Mental aptitude

Art & Design Year 2024 - 25



Smyra Sachin Bawkar
1st Place
Edu Junior Art Competition



Hitansh Patel
2nd Place
Edu Junior Art Competition



Rittija Bhattacharjee
2nd Place
Edu Junior Art Competition



Rabab Kaur
2nd Place
Edu Junior Art Competition



Dr. Rashmi Choudhari (Director & Principal) Receives Award for OES International School's Outstanding Achievement

OES International School is proud to be featured in the Times of India!

Dr. Rashmi Choudhari (Director & Principal) and **Ms. Radhika Naik** received a prestigious award recognizing OESIS's outstanding achievements.

This honor reflects our commitment to excellence in education and the dedication of our team, students, and parents. Here's to many more successes!



Our Andheri campus have been recognised for offering an outstanding **Cambridge (IGCSE) curriculum**. A proud moment as **Dr. Rashmi Choudhri** and **Ms. Aashna Melwani** received this prestigious honor, celebrating our commitment to excellence in education!

OES INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL VASHI AND ANDHERI

Teachers are like uncut diamonds and when they are polished, they sparkle bright the same way OES International School Vashi and Andheri believe in nurturing our toddlers with a lot of love, dedication, and patience to make them skilled learners.

OES International School Vashi is flourishing under the umbrella of the Central Education Society affiliated with the Cambridge Board whose objective is to strive for nothing less than excellence. The society was established by the well-known educationalists Late Javed Khan and Mrs. Waheen Khan and Humaira Khan, Trustees are taking OESIS to the next level of excellence.

The school has state-of-the-art infrastructure with beautiful and safe indoor and outdoor play areas and access to nature is a significant bonus to the learners. Toddlers start their day with prayer followed by circle time to mingle with each other and rejuvenate themselves to start the day.

OESIS preschoolers remain always enthusiastic and delighted to come to school every day without making any fuss in the morning because they find a safe and stimulating environment in the school with a lot of age-appropriate educational material to hone their gross and fine motor skills.

Teachers who are second mothers to our learners are highly qualified in early childhood education, phonics, etc., and have a strong understanding of child development.

Play-based learning, which fosters creativity, problem-solving, and social skills takes place to help learners understand and involved. Smaller class sizes add to personalized attention and care for each child.

Their collaboration with families to have better outcomes for children is liked by all parents.

Quality programs offer a mix of free play, structured activities, like dance, music, arts, physical education (PE), Martial arts, and opportunities for exploration. Field trips are conducted regularly for experiential learning with fun.

Principal and Director Rashmi Choudhari believes in providing a platform to young learners from nursery class to hone their sensory skills and to ensure their stage time for a lifetime.

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OES International School is proud to be featured as a top K-12 Cambridge school in the Times Preschool Survey. With a strong focus on **curiosity, creativity, and character**, we provide a stimulating, play-based learning environment led by dedicated educators.



Celebrating a Decade of Dedication!

Ms. Rachita Shah has completed **10** incredible years at OES International School, shaping young minds with passion and commitment. Her dedication to education and unwavering support have been invaluable to our school growth. We appreciate her hard work and look forward to many more years of success together!

Times Preschool Survey

The Primary Objective of the Research was to arrive at a list of Top Preschools

K-12 SCHOOLS, CAMBRIDGE CURRICULUM

Name
MET Rishikul Vidyalaya, Bandra West
Rustomjee Cambridge Preprimary Program, Dahisar West
J. Kumar International School, Malad West
Rustomjee Cambridge Preprimary Program, Thane
Bombay Cambridge International School, Andheri West
Rustomjee Cambridge Preprimary Program, Virar
OES International School, Vashi
OES International School, Andheri West
Dr. Pillai Global Academy, Panvel

This recognition reaffirms our commitment to excellence in education!

SCHOLASTIC VOYAGE

"Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire." – William Butler Yeats



Design idea

The back page of **Scholastic Voyage** symbolizes learning as an endless adventure. A galaxy background represents limitless knowledge, a ship on an open book signifies exploration, compass with educational symbols highlights guidance and wisdom. Together, they inspire students to navigate their lifelong journey of discovery.

*"As we conclude this edition of **Scholastic Voyage**, we celebrate the incredible creativity, talent, and hard work of our students and faculty. Learning is a never-ending journey, and we hope this magazine inspires you to keep exploring, questioning, and growing. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making this edition a success. Here's to another year of knowledge, innovation, and discovery!"*