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From Principal's Desk:

The Nation & Festivities...

Greetings to All...!



With fall season concluding its tenure and cold winds greeting the world we welcome another month and bid adieu to the first half of our academic session. The month of October commenced with a festive welcome to Lord Ganesha and Goddess Durga to help and guide us in the times of need and enlighten our paths with their blessings.

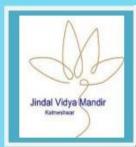
A visit most greatly cherished and welcomed by the CBSE Regional Director Mr. Mahesh Dharmadhikari truly blessed our school premises with gratification and honour as an educational institution serving the rural community of the nearby localities. We were appreciated and upstaged for our efforts and servitude by the guest and the special assembly on the 2nd of October to host our guest's visit is a reflection of our pride in cultural and traditional roots of our nation.

On behalf of the school management and the students, I'm immensely overjoyed to share our school's active and utterly fascinating participation in the Inter-JVM Meet to be held in the first week of November at JVM, Vijaynagar, Karnataka. A platform for the students of high-school to participate and share their artistic gifts through dance performances, visual and fine arts, sculpting and their strength and agility in the sports and physical competitions. I wish to acknowledge and praise the hard-work of my students under the guidance of their teachers for the preparations and wish them a good-luck for the upcoming competitions.

Furthermore, it's truly heartwarming to witness the dedication and the hard-work of the teachers for their efforts in pre half-yearly examination preparations and hope that my students did fairly well in scoring grades.

With all my Compassion, Kind wishes and Gratitude..!

C. Pallavi Principal



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Student's Section

Shining star of IA4P Bronze Level

My journey of IAYP bronze level was an interesting experience because I did a number of activities, which I had never done. It was a memorable experience and I learnt a lot from the activities which I undertook in skill building, Voluntary service, Physical recreation and Adventurous Journey.

Music, relaxes and calms your stresses; it was a dream of mine to be able to play a song on a guitar. I got the opportunity to involve music into my day-to-day life, I learnt to shoot hoops in basketball which was extremely enjoyable and it made me more inclined towards sports and helped me to work on my flexibility and also built up my stamina and strength. For Voluntary service, I chose to coach elderly people how to read and write as it will be helpful for them to read story books, read and send messages on phone, catch up on the current events through a newspaper etc. and in turn it also helped me to enhance my language skills.

In adventures journey I along with other participants visited Adasa, which is Heritage Site near Nagpur. We explored the place, talked to local people, made camp, cooked food. Overall, it was a fun filled learning experience for me. I've learnt a lot in these six months as IAYP Bronze level participant and I am extremely grateful to the Principal Ms. C.Pallavi, Award Leader, Ms. Deepa Nigam, Incharge teachers Govinda sir, Aditya sir and Ankita ma'am for their guidance throughout the programme and I'm eagerly waiting for the next level.



Ms. Mitali Lonkar Grade - X



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<u>CBSE Peer Life Skills Leadership Program : A skill and outlook upliftment...</u>

An Adolescent Leadership Program on Life Skills, health and wellness was organized by CBSE. Four students two teachers from Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar took part in the program. The training was of four days, from 11 October, 2022 to 14 October, 2022 on a virtual platform. Each of the 2 hrs. sessions covered topics on Health & Wellbeing, Life skills, Cyber security, Making Effective Career Choices, 21st century skills and many more. The sessions were as interactive as they were informative; we learnt a lot about adolescents and their hardships through these programs.

As peer educators, we gave our opinions and views on family-school partnership, digital world, metal health issues which affects education etc. we discussed a number of case-studies and the organizers conducted a few ice breakers in between the session to engage us and to keep our focus intact throughout the session.

All of us i.e., Swara Satone, Srujan Mahajan, Urja Chakkilala and Raghwan Khatedia are thankful to the School and the CBSE for these sessions.



Swara Satone Grade IX



Srujan Mahajan Grade IX



Urja Chakkilala Grade IX



Raghwan Khatedia Grade IX



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My School in Action

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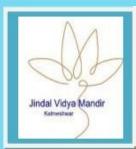












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Hon. Regional Director of CBSE Pune, Shri Mahesh Dharmadhikari along with the esteemed office bearers of Nagpur Sahodaya Schools Complex visited Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar recently. The Regional Director hoisted the National Flag and accepted the Guard of Honour during the March past display offered by the different contingents of the school. In his address Mr. Dharmadhikari praised the efforts of School Management in providing education to the children hailing from rural community and encouraged the teachers to continue the good work of moulding young students into responsible citizens. Mr. Rajesh Jain, Chairperson SMC and Principal Mrs. Pallavi Chakkilala extended gratitude towards the Regional Director for his visit to school.



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Green Day & Jungle Party: An ode to the Natural abundance...

The day was celebrated to make the students aware of the colour and objects of green colour, and the main objective of animal safari was to educate the students about wild animals and their natural habitat.

The tiny tots showed their excitement by dressing up in attires of various colours, some dressed up as fruits and vegetables and some were in a variety of wild animals and decorating their surroundings with green and jungle environment. The students were introduced to various shades of green and were informed about the benefits of green vegetables and the contribution of wild animals to ecosystem. Students were introduced to various facts about animals, and their sounds; they participated in the activity by arranging a few green coloured objects, and making a model of a forest. It was a thrilling experience for the kids that left an informative trail about the animals in their minds. The ECCE department worked hard under the guidance of Principal Ms. C. Pallavi and Ms. Deepa Nigam to make the day a success.













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World Mental Health Day: Of Mind, Body & Soul-A living being....

World Mental Health Day is celebrated on October 10th every year. The objective of World Mental Health Day is to raise awareness and educate about mental health around the world and to mobilize efforts in support of mental health. The theme for this year i.e. 2022 is "Make Mental Health & Well-Being for All a Global Priority". It is observed with the need to eliminate the stigma, advance awareness and treatment of mental illness that has never been greater.

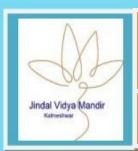
The day reminds us that, we are not alone in our miseries and hard times; it is often that we think we're the only ones going through a tough situation and it's comforting to know that other people have gone through it and made it out to the other end. It reminds us that we can overcome our own pain.

A session was conducted by Ms. Deepa Nigam for the teachers to raise awareness. Teachers actively participated in the session, wherein they shared their views and personal experiences on mental health and wellbeing. A questionnaire was shared through Google Form on the same. This helped them to understand their own state of mental health wellbeing. They exchanged different solutions like staying active, talking to someone, doing some relaxation exercise, a healthy diet, having enough sleep, etc. for strengthening their wellbeing which is beneficial, workable and measurable.









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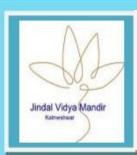
<u>Speical Educational Needs Session on "Observation Tool" : A deep insight..</u>

Being unique is a wonderful feeling, especially in a world where many people struggle to be themselves. It is impossible to be genuinely happy if you don't accept and embrace who you are. Learning to acknowledge your strengths and weaknesses is the key to embracing your uniqueness. Teachers play a vital role by observing students learning styles and can provide highly accurate, detailed, and verifiable information of a student's strengths and where they need improvements. In special education, observations are an important resource as they not only help the teacher to understand child's school day, but also helps in planning a learning environment which can be improved or changed to suit individual child's needs.

OBSERVATION is an acronym which depicts Objective Build Strength Engage Reflect Verify Aware Tweak Inform Ongoing Notes. It is the key to plan, to execute, to assess, to rectify, to verify and to succeed. Ms. Deepa Nigam under the Centre of Excellence "Special Educational Needs" of Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar conducted a session wherein 112 teachers of grade Nursery to Grade V of Jindal Vidya Mandir, pan-India locations participated. The session unfolds the meaning of Special Education, the tools to identify a special child and need to take care of their individual unique needs. Teachers shared their classroom observations and supported the idea of having an "Observation Tool", which will provide complete observation record of the child.

"It takes a special kind of person to care for a child with special needs."

A child with special needs will inspire you to be a special kind of person.

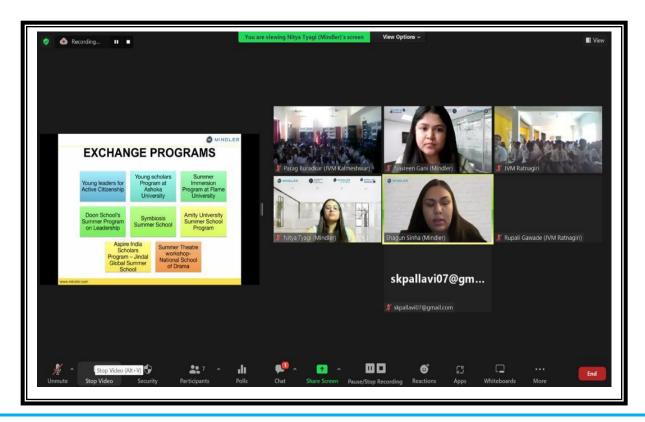


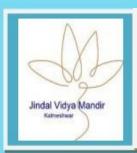
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Mindler session: Preparing the next generation...

Profile building is a tool through which you can introspect and bring out the capabilities and strengths within you, making yourself aware of your inner self thus becoming more confident to face the outside world. A webinar was conducted in collaboration with Mindler wherein students learnt to build profile and how to strengthen the same. For strengthening the profile, one can participate in certified courses in sports, performing arts, applied arts, language, Olympiads, internship or exchange programs. The webinar also discussed the importance of profile building and Aptitude Development in one's career journey. Profile building improves CV/Resume through an in-depth knowledge about topics/subjects one is passionate about. It also helps in skill building through projects and improves the chances of getting into a college/university of your choice. Moreover, it gives you more confidence in communicating better with the authority figures in interviews. The students interacted very well and were encouraged by the Principal Ms. C.Pallavi for mindful profile building. The session was coordinated by Counsellor Ms. Deepa Nigam.





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Pre-Diwali Celebration By Tiny Tots: The Festival of Lights..

The tiny tots of Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar celebrated Pre - Diwali celebrations. The students showed their excitement by dressing up beautifully in colorful attires resembling the different colors of light. The day was celebrated to share the significance of the festival and the value of good's triumph over evil and on the different ways of celebrating Diwali all over the country. The students were made aware of the harmful effects of crackers. To make the session more lively an activity of floating rangoli was organised. Students eagerly participated and prepared the Rangolis.

The programme was planned and conducted successfully executed by the teachers: Milita Wong, Ankita Sawalkar, Priyanka Dupare & Vandana Ugale under the supervision of Ms. Deepa Nigam and guidance of Principal ma'am Ms. C. Pallavi. The celebrations concluded with a prayer taught by Ms Pallavi, which spoke of the essence of the festival. The students participated with a great celebratory spirit and enthusiasm and had a memorable time in school.

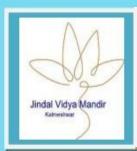












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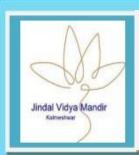


Green Campus - Tree Plantation Drive: Raising the Green-cap..

A tree plantation drive was organized in the JSW township to create an awareness on climate change and its adverse effects. The plantation drive was organised to work for a sustainable development goal no 15 'Life on Land' which includes to protect the terrestrial ecosystem and to beautify the areas for scenic beauty, to reduce the surface run-off discharge and checking soil erosion, to reduce temperature and increase humidity, under the heading 'Green campus'.

Mass tree plantation was carried out by JSW employees, JSW Akanksha Ladies Club and Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar staff. A range of 250 plants were planted in the township near the school in covering about a 2.5 acre area. The staff and students were grateful to the JSW Plant and Akanksha Ladies club for providing opportunity to JVM school.





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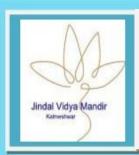


Rally on Eco Friendly Diwali celebration under the theme 'Cleanliness': March of the activists...

Students of Jindal Vidya Mandir, Kalmeshwar took an initiative to celebrate the festival of lights in an eco-friendly manner to promote the message "save environment and clean Earth." Let's all burst out together in laughter instead of bursting fire crackers which contributes to noise as well as environmental pollution; let's decorate the homes, schools, colleges, hospitals and workplaces with beautiful rangolis made with organic colours and flowers, let's buy diyas and other decorative items from local shops and footpath sellers in order to put a smile on their face on the festival of lights.

In order to achieve this students participated in a road rally to raise awareness towards an eco-friendly Diwali in the neighbouring residential area. The team urged all to avoid bursting loud and smoky crackers. The children prepared placards to promote awareness about air pollution causing lung cancer, ill effects of fire crackers etc. The rally was flagged off by the Principal Ms.Pallavi Chakkilala who encouraged and appreciated the students and teachers for their efforts.





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Rangoli Making Competition: A Cultural Artform..

Rangoli is the art of making designs and expressing one's idea on the floor. Rangoli making is an integral part of Indian custom, culture and tradition. A Rangoli making competition was organized in Jindal Vidya Mandir school premises on 21st of October 2022 to welcome the following Diwali celebrations. The competition provided platform for the aesthetic skills and creativity of the students. Students from Grade VI to VIII participated in this competition with enthusiasm and created excellent designs of Rangoli. The beautiful and lively Rangolis presented a picturesque portrayal and gaiety in the school premises.









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Congenial - Ice Breaking Activity: A time to reflect and share...









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WE ARE PROUD OF YOU DEAR TEACHERS...

Congratulations







Ms Deepa Nigam, Ms Vaidehi Baware & Ms Priyanka Dupare Successfully completed

Professional Development Training on Play Therapy for Inclinaive Education



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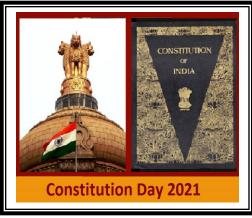
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why we celebrate children's day

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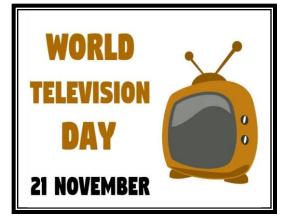
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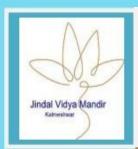
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