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## From the Headmistress's Desk

As the final bell of this academic year approaches, dear students, it is time to look back on a journey filled with learning, growth, and happy memories. Each one of our students has made this year special in their own way—by trying new things, asking questions, and giving their best every day.

As we say goodbye to this school year, our little learners can feel proud of all the wonderful things they have done. From learning new words and numbers to making friends, sharing, and playing together, each child has grown in their own special way. Their smiles, curiosity, and excitement have made every day bright and joyful.

Now, it's time to look forward to a brand new academic year! A new year means new classrooms, new activities, and more fun learning adventures. Our students will discover new ideas, make more friends, and continue to grow smarter, kinder, and more confident with each passing day.

So, we want them to carry all their happy memories and new learnings with them and step into the new year with big smiles and excitement. Wishing all our dear students a joyful break and a wonderful start to the new academic year!

*Reema Khurana, Headmistress*

## Big News!

### Orbisports ( 31st January)

Orbisports, the long-awaited maiden Sports Day, was celebrated with immense zeal and enthusiasm. The event commenced with a stunning parachute play by the playgroup children. This was followed by thrilling performances by the children of Nursery and Junior KG, who performed a lively pom-pom drill. The children of Senior KG stunned the audience with a spectacular skating and yoga show, which showcased poise, coordination, and confidence. Exciting and fun races were conducted class-wise for the students. Parents and teachers also participated in the races organised for them, which brought the school and parents closer together, making the event truly inclusive. The beautiful evening concluded on a happy and motivational note with prize distribution, which appreciated the efforts of all the students.

*Vandana Vaidya, CT, Senior Kindergarten Kiwi*

## Flavours from our orchard

### Heavenly Bodies ( 19th Jan - 23rd Jan)

This week, the little Orbians experienced a fascinating learning journey of Heavenly bodies. The explanation of the day and night cycles sparked the scientific curiosity in the little learners. The children were introduced to the heavenly bodies that they see in the sky - as the Sun, the Moon and the stars.

They explored the different skies that they see during the day and night. The learning was made more interesting and engaging when the little learners created their favourite sky in their files by drawing their favourite heavenly body and also understood the concepts of heat, light, and space. This theme not only helped in the cognitive and observational skills development of the students, but also their fine motor skills.

*Vandana Vaidya, CT, Senior Kindergarten Kiwi*



## Water Animals ( 2nd Feb to 6th Feb)

The little learners had a great time learning about animals that live in water this week. They learned about different marine animals that live in water, such as whales, dolphins, fish, crabs, octopuses, turtles, starfish, and seahorses. The kids were excited to see and talk about these cool animals that live in water.

The origami octopus activity and water animals identification were the best things that happened all week. The kids had a lot of fun folding colorful paper and making their own octopuses and identifying the water animals by putting them in the water tub. This activity made the weekly theme more fun, interesting, and easy to understand.

**Vandana Vaidya, CT, Senior Kindergarten Kiwi**



## Indoor and Outdoor Games ( 9th Feb to 20th Feb)

Children love to play all kinds of games, indoor, as well as outdoor. Knowing this, the school had organised a setup of indoor games like chess, snake & ladder, Ludo, Word Scrabble, and many more on one side and outdoor games like badminton and cricket on the other side. Children from each class were taken by their respective CTs to the games station to see, learn, and identify the difference between indoor & outdoor games. This activity was done for children to develop essential life skills like communication, cooperation, discipline, creativity, and teamwork. Games in themselves are considered to be an integral part of kindergarten education, which helps children grow into healthy, happy, and confident individuals. We too believe that our children will grow up to be amazing all-rounder individuals.

**Siona Shet, CT, Jr KG Peach**

## Fitness First ( 23rd Feb to 27th Feb)

Along with academics, it is very important for the young learners to focus on the 'Fitness First' activity for their overall well-being. This activity focuses on encouraging children to engage in physical movement through structured, age-appropriate, fun-based exercises. The session began with warm-up exercises like stretching and jumping in order to prepare the body for physical structured movement. Children were very excited to participate in various activities designed by the coach, such as balancing, stretching, and hand-eye coordination exercises, and more. These activities play a vital role in improving gross motor skills, flexibility, balance, and body coordination. "Fitness First" activities help in inculcating healthy, disciplined habits, for physical strength, and holistic development in children.

**Siona Shet, CT, Jr KG Peach**



## Good Habits ( 2nd March to 6th March)

Good Habits are a foundation upon which a successful and happy life is built. Inculcating good habits in the early years acts as building blocks for a healthy, happy, and successful life. The children were introduced to good habits. They learned simple good habits like brushing their teeth, washing their hands, sharing, being polite, and keeping their things neat. It was easy for kids to understand why it is important to follow good habits in everyday life. There was also an activity in which each child came up and talked about one good habit they already have. This gave them confidence and made them want to do more good things every day. The kids liked the activity and were glad to share good habits with their friends.

**Vandana Vaidya, CT, Senior Kindergarten Kiwi**

## The Annual Cultural meet - Orbitria ( 16th January)

The annual cultural meet - Orbitria provided an opportunity to invite the parents to witness the great art forms their kids had learned in school, like dance, music, theater, and drama. Our little wonderers participated in the amazing skit arranged by our teachers and some cultural performances like nursery rhymes and dance on some melodious songs. They went beyond our imaginations and showcased their dancing and creative skills. The little Orbians were confident and excited when they took the stage, and the audience loved it. Parents were proud and moved to see their kids show off their talents so well. Everyone loved the show, and parents were very grateful to the kids, the dedicated staff, and the school for putting on such a meaningful event.

**Vandana Vaidya, CT, Senior Kindergarten Kiwi**



## Special Assemblies

The students of the pre-primary classes celebrated Republic Day with great enthusiasm through a special assembly. The assembly began with an introduction to the Republic Day. A group song was performed by the Senior KG students that filled the atmosphere with pride and joy. The tiny tots came dressed as brave freedom fighters like Rani Lakshmi Bai, Jawaharlal Nehru, Swami Vivekananda, Savitri Bai Phule, and many more. The students had also prepared some lines to describe the personality they were depicting. This celebration in school gave a vibrant and patriotic spirit to the occasion. The effort and excitement of the students were truly commendable. The celebration not only helped them learn about the significance of Republic Day but also instilled a sense of patriotism and respect for the nation at an early age. Overall, the special assembly was a delightful and meaningful experience for both students and teachers.

**Rohini William, C T, Nursery Orange**



## Our Green Ways

Our pre-primary students actively participated in a fun and educational activity on rainwater harvesting. This activity was conducted to create awareness about the importance of saving water. Dummy rain was created by pouring water through the pipes, and the kids were ready to fill their buckets. This demonstration helped to understand how rainwater can be collected and stored for future use. A short video was shown about rainwater harvesting. They also enjoyed an interactive session about the importance of conserving water. Students learned that every drop of water is important and that saving water is essential for a better future.

**Rohini William, C T, Nursery Orange**



## Personality of the month

Aadit Palicha and Kaivalya Vohra are the young founders of Zepto, a leading Indian quick-commerce company founded in 2021 that delivers groceries in under 10 minutes. Dropping out of Stanford to pursue the startup full-time, they revolutionized the grocery landscape from their initial "dark store" model, achieving a valuation of over ₹40,000 crore, and both topping the 2025 Hurun India under-30 self-made rich list. They consistently top the Aventus Wealth-Hurun India under-30 list (2025), which recognizes young leaders making a significant impact on the Indian economy. Palicha emphasizes the importance of a fast-learning culture, hiring, and operational excellence. The duo is regarded as pioneers in India's rapid shift towards lightning-fast digital commerce.

**Rohini William, C T, Nursery Orange**

### Aadit Palicha and Kaivalya Vohra



## Virtue Alone Ennobles

Virtue Ennobles Alone focuses on helping our children to understand the importance of good values and enhance critical thinking. They get encouragement and motivation to practice virtues like honesty, sharing, caring, and spreading kindness. Children are also encouraged to explore imaginative ideas with the help of activities like art and craft, storytelling, problem-solving, and much more.

Out-of-the-box thinking leads the young learners to look at a situation in various innovative ways, which helps them to make the right choices. This helps to set a strong foundation and boost confidence, creativity, and moral values.

**Siona Shet, CT, Jr KG Peach**

## Parents' Prerogative

Akansh Jain, Parent of Sr.KG Kiwi - "Really appreciate all the efforts made by the teachers. Please keep it up".

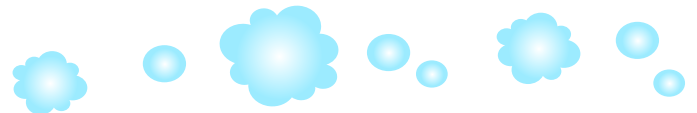
Amruta Pardeshi, Parent of Nursery - "Very well coordinated, well executed programme. Teachers take a bow for all your efforts. Thank you".



## I can do it!

- Q1. Who are Aadit Palicha and Kaivalya Vohra?
- Q2. What are their achievements?
- Q3. Which prestigious university did Aadit Palicha attend before dropping out?
- Q4. What age group were the founders in when they started Zepto?
- Q5. What is Zepto known for?

**Rohini William, C T, Nursery Orange**



### From the Editorial Team:

You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think.  
Keep smiling, keep trying, and never stop believing in yourself.

### Thought for the month

"May we think of freedom, not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to do what is right."

