STAR PUBLIC SCHOOL

JANUARY 2023 GLIMPSES

One Earth, One Family, One Future

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- Money Smart School by NCFE, Govt. of India
- Ranked No: 1 in Co-educational school category in Meghalaya by EW ranking **2022**
- Institutional Award **2020** under CUSB Pt. Madan Mohan Malviya National Award for teachers and teaching (MHRD Govt.of India)
- Fit Indian School
- Green School Award **2021**
- IT Enabled Learning , Thinking Classroom
- **100%** Results in Board Exam

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

BRICS, TERRE, PCRA, NASO, SCIENCE OLYMPIAD, MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD, FAST READING ASSESSMENT, FORTIS PSYCH MENTAL TEST, YOUTH PARLIAMENT, COUNTINGWELL ETC.

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National Youth Day

Every year 12th January is being celebrated as the National Youth day to mark the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda. This year National Youth festival has a theme of Vikasit Yuva Vikasit Bharat which means that if the youth of India is leading on a path of development then only India can be developed.

To make aware the youth of today, The Training Unit, CBSE organized a webinar on Swami Vivekananda on his birth anniversary titled, "Swami Vivekananda's Teachings: Relevance for today's Students". The students and teachers attended the webinar and learnt about the teachings and preaching's of Swami Vivekananda who had preached 'neo-Vedanta' an interpretation of Hinduism through a western lens and believed in combining spirituality with material progress.

National Youth Day

A special assembly was also organized by the Students of Star Public School on this occasion and they acquainted their friends with the teachings of the monk. The students also sang and performed on devotional music. The main attraction of the day was the delivery of the iconic speech of Swamiji delivered on 11 September 1893 at Chicago. The program in true sense meant to spread his ideology and philosophy.

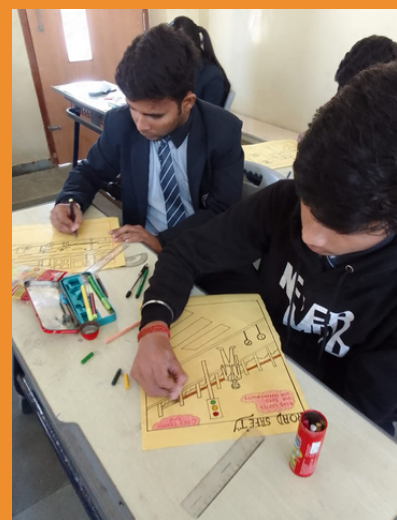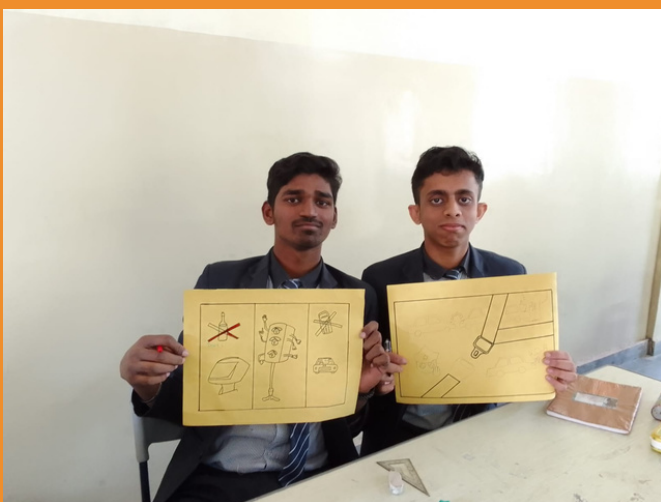# Observance of Road Safety Week

In order to decrease road fatalities, both the Central Government and State Governments are working in the area of road safety.
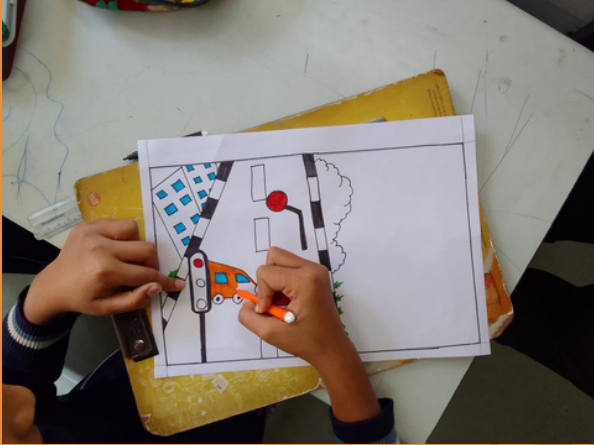
In this regard, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways organized Road Safety Week from 11th - 17th January 2023, under "Swachhata Pakhwada" a concept inspired by Hon'ble Prime Minister, in order to create awareness among general public to improve the safety on road.

As indicated, various activities, viz. posters, slogans, paintings, quiz, etc. were undertaken by the students of Star Public School to observe the occasion.

With an objective to enhance the awareness on Road safety, Department of EHS, SCL celebrated the week by organizing Drawing Competitions for the students of 4th to 12th under the Junior and Senior category.

Observance of Road Safety Week

About **200** students participated and the following students were declared the winners:

Junior Category - Class IV – VII

1st Sonakshi Paul
2nd Samiksha Soni
3rd Debjani Nath

Senior Catergory – Class VIII-XII

1st Anant Mehta
2nd Anurag Deb
3rd Priyanka Kumari

School Digital Transformation and Holistic Learning Orientation and Training

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The program primarily focussed on Hybrid Learning, Digital Literacy and Skill Hub Initiative.

Five nomitated teachers from Star Public School, viz. Prem Tantod, Amarjeet Banerjee, Puja Soni, Dhyanjyoti Barman and Shanborki Lamare attended the Orientation Program in order to fulfill the criteria of Coordinating the Hybrid Learning, Digital Literacy and Skill Hub Initiative.

CBSE School Principals Conclave

CBSE has partnered with Microsoft and Tech Avant Garde to train teachers in Hybrid Learning. In this regard Microsoft conducted CBSE School Principals' Conclave on 21st January 2023, which also meant for Project Coordinator & the DTHL Coordinators.

The points of discussion in the Conclave were:

- NEP 2020 and its Significance
- Project Outcome
- Project Responsibility
- Project Role of Stakeholders
- Project Overview
- Hybrid Learning & its impact
- Hybrid Learning Pedagogy
- Project Implementation Strategy and Outcome
- Skill Development and its Significance

Finally, the Panel Discussion focussed on Role of Mentor Schools.
Vote of Thanks was proposed by Ms. Roshni Kumar, Director, Tech Avant-Garde

Pariksha Pe Charcha

The 6th edition of Pariksha Pe Charcha (PPC), an interactive program by the Honble Prime Minister with students, teachers and parents, was held and all the students from Class - VI and above from Star Public School, teachers and staff members participated.

This interactive program was broadcast live on 27th January 2023 from 11.00 am onwards. In this meeting, Prime Minister, Sh. Narendra Modi asked Students not to use unfair means or cheat during the board examinations. He also stressed upon working hard but smartly by focusing on time management.

He laid the importance on being honest as ordinary people do extraordinary things. He also focussed on handling criticism positively to progress in a better way. In his meeting he stressed upon digital fasting once a week and added that students should also learn practice regional languages to promote diversity.

During the meeting, Prime Minister, Sh. Narendra Modi said "Don't remain under the pressure of the Pressure! Think, Understand, Act then give your best to achieve your goals."
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Stay Safe Online Campaign

The Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has launched a campaign called "Stay Safe Online" as part of India's Presidency of the G20. This campaign aims to raise awareness among citizens about the importance of staying safe online, given the widespread use of social media platforms and the increasing adoption of digital payments in India.

To spread awareness among all teachers and students about the campaign, various activities like quizzes, drawing & slogan writing competitions, debate etc. were organized at Star Public School for wider dissemination of the information on safe use of social media platforms and online transactions.
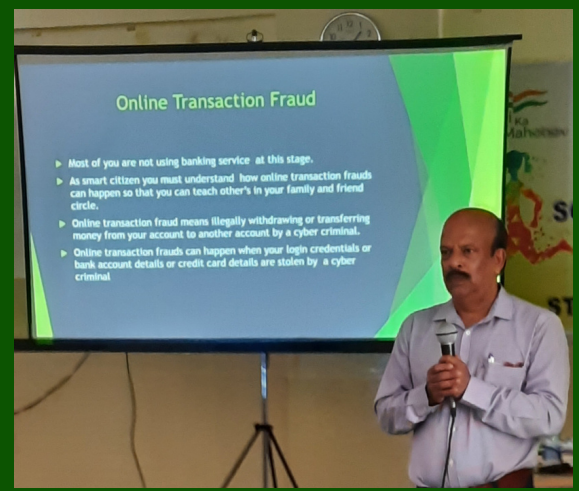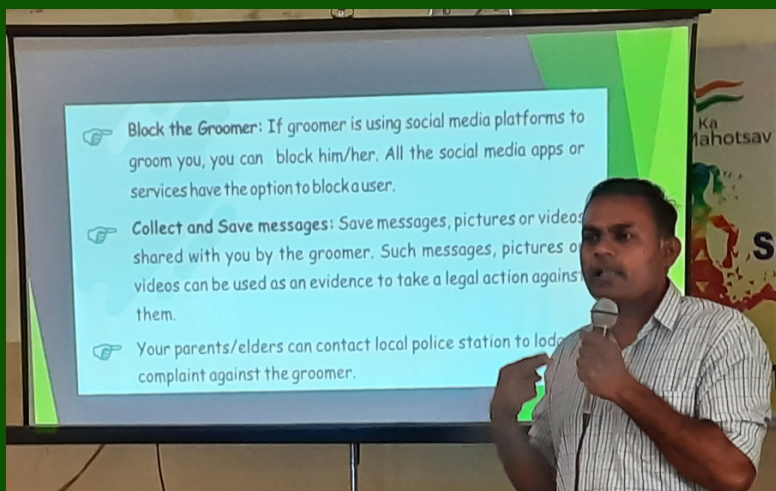
Republic Day Celebration

The 74 th Republic Day was celebrated with pride and reverence at Star Public School. The ceremony began with the unfurling of the tri color flag by the Principal, Mr. Dilip Kumar.

Unfurling of the flag was followed by the National Anthem to pay tribute to the motherland. The celebration commenced with the address to the students by the school Principal. The Principal in his address apprised the gathering, briefly about the making of the Indian Constitution, its unique features and the significance behind the celebration of Republic Day that The Constitution of India, which was adopted by the Constituent Assembly on November 26, 1949, came into effect on26th January 1950.

Republic Day Celebration

After a brief celebration at school, the students marched to the Administration building where the grand celebration was awaited. The captivating dance and song presentations were enough to keep the audience enthralled. The marching of the band playing students was a sight to behold. As usual, the yoga performance stole the limelight and it received a standing ovation by one and all.
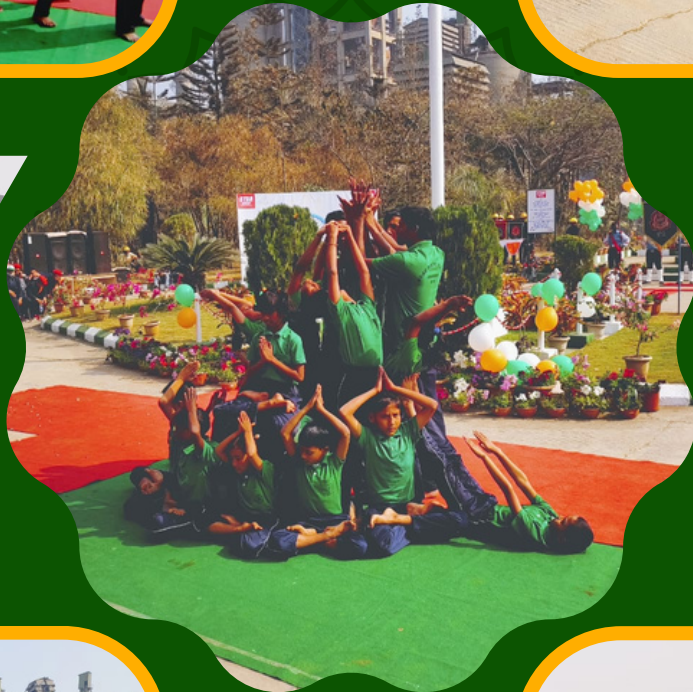
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The celebration came to an end making us feel proud of our country and its achievements.

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Saraswati Puja celebration

Saraswati Puja, the festival to celebrate the goddess of learning and music, was celebrated with much enthusiasm and vigor by the students and staff of Star Public School, on 26th January, 2023.

Everybody came together on this auspicious day of Vasant Panchami, which also marks the advent of Spring Season.
The Puja was organized in the reception hall where the emplacement of the idol of the Goddess Saraswati has already been done. All the teachers and the students gathered at the school premises to celebrate the day. Puja was offered to the Goddess of Learning.

The color "Basanti" signifying the season of spring, was prevalent not only in the traditional attires worn by students and staff but also in the aesthetically designed handmade decorations. The entire campus had a festive look and all the decorations and arrangements for the puja were done by the students with the help of their teachers. The serene ambience, the sound of conch shells, the chants of the sacred mantras, melodious devotional songs sung by the students filled the air of Star Public School.
The Puja left an inspiration to educative value to be enlightened with knowledge, to be spiritual and respectful, wise and successful.

Science Olympiad Foundation

Every year the Science Olympiad Foundation (SOF) conducts the olympiad for different subjects for students of classes 1-12. 64 students from classes IV to X and XII participated in the Science and Maths Olympiad Foundation Exam. Based on the performance 14 students in Science and 1 student in Mathematics have been awarded "Gold Medal of Excellence."

The names of the students having received
Gold Medal of Excellence
1. Manasi Nath : Cl-VI
2. Binith Sinha : Cl-VI
3. Susmita Chanda : Cl-VI
4. Anukriti Yadav : Cl-VI
5. Aarv Singh :
Nihan Attik, Anuj Mishra, Vivek kumar
Choudhary, Prince kumar Singh, Nidhi Gujjar,
Rakshit Malik, Subham Kumar Singh, Abu,
Ahmed Bin, Hariom Jha in science Olympiad and
Parth Yadav in maths Olympiad.

Two Students namely Nidhi Gujjar (VIII)and Nihan Attik(VII) have qualified for second level(IMO) exam to be conducted on 12th Feb, 2023

Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Jayanti

Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Jayanti was observed at Star Public School on 23rd January 2023 to pay tribute to Subhas Chandra Bose. The Birth anniversary of Subhas Chandra Bose on January 23 is being observed as Parakram Diwas.

Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose is the greatest among the names that will forever be written in golden letters in the history of India's freedom movement.

A special assembly was organized by the students expressing the valor of the brave soldier and torch bearer of India. Presentation of song filled the heart of everyone with a love for one's country.
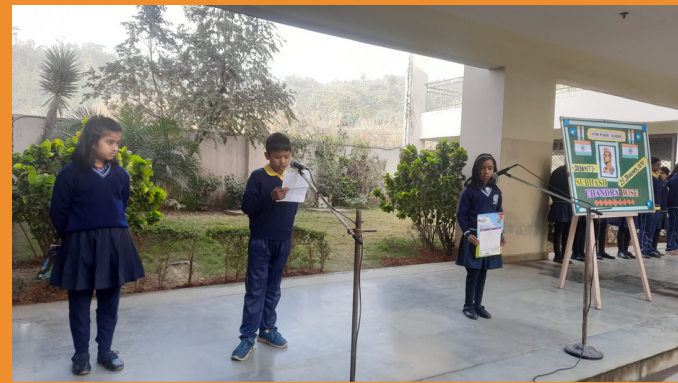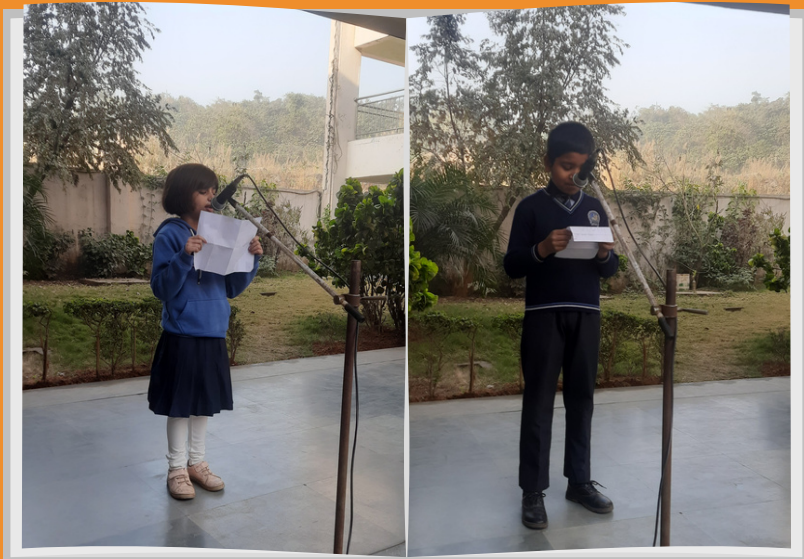
GSP Audit

GSP is a meaningful environment education programme. It helps schools audit their use of resources and map their consumption and wastage. The exercise involves collection of information under the following heads:

Air
Helps schools understand how their transport policies affect air quality and to find ways of reducing their emissions so that a citizen's right to clean air is protected.

Energy
Audits the sources of energy, the consumption of energy; and explores ways in which this resource can be saved, to minimise pollution and costs.

Food
Helps your school to coordinate, implement and monitor its canteen to provide good-quality and nutritious food. The section will encourage students to be more conscious of the kind of food being promoted and consumed.


Land
Focuses on the land-use of schools to map green areas, to identify biodiversity; and to grasp the enormous ecological and economic value of this resource.

Water
Helps build an understanding of water use, on the sources of water, on the ways of water conservation (rainwater harvesting and water recycling), the importance of sanitation facilities, with the ultimate aim of building a water literate and prudent society.

Waste
Helps in finding out the total amount of waste that is generated, and offers ways and means to reduce it by segregation, recycling and reuse. Star Public School submitted GSP Audit. The results will be announced in February and all green schools will be invited to New Delhi for GSP Carnival and Awards Ceremony on February 21, 2023
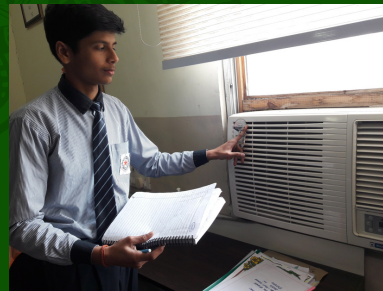
Parents Teacher Meeting

A Parents Teacher Meeting for the classes Nursery to VIII was held on 31 st January 2023 to discuss the performance of students with their parents. Parents were given feedback on their ward's performance in Periodic Test – II..

A total of 344 parents attended the meeting and it was a fruitful interaction between the teacher and the parents for the development of their children where they discussed where they discussed both the strengths and areas of improvements. The progress reports were shown to the parents and suggestions were noted.

The PTM came to an end with the conclusion that the joint effort, mutual understanding and co-operation of parents and teachers is very important for the proper development and progress ofstudents.

Brief Write ups on G20

Group of Twenty (G20)

The G20 was founded in 1999 after the Asian financial crisis as a forum for the Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors to discuss global economic and financial issues. As you are aware that the Central Bank in India is known as the Reserve Bank of India. As a premier forum for international economic cooperation, G20 plays a vital role in shaping and strengthening global architecture and governance on all major international economic issues. G20's role as international forum was recognized through its initiatives for economic and mutual cooperation of member countries and the Group of Twenty was strengthened and upgraded to the level of Heads of State and during the global financial crisis of 2007 and got designated as the 'premier forum for international economic cooperation'. This makes G20 truly an international organization for economic cooperation among its member countries.

G20 comprises 19 countries and an organization of countries known as the European Union as members. The members of G20 are: Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, Mexico, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Türkiye, United Kingdom and United States and the European Union. The countries are from across the world and these members represent around 85% of the global GDP, over 75% of the global trade, and about two-thirds of the world population. This is why G20 is an important organization from the current economic, political and socio-cultural contexts as every country endeavors to enable themselves to economic develop and be a self-sustaining country in the context of globalization.

Teachers' Training / Course

Sr. No	Teacher Name	Course /Training Attended	Organized By
1	Dilip Kumar (Pricipal)	Essay and Report Writing	Amity University
		Hybrid Learning Project Orientation & Training	CBSE-Microsoft
		Digital Literacy Project Orientation & Training	CBSE-Microsoft
		Skill Hub Project Orientation & Training	CBSE-Microsoft
		CBSE School Principals Conclave	CBSE-Microsoft
2	Vidya Singh (Vice Pricipal)	ESL003: Upper-intermediate as a second language	Saylor.org
		ESL004: Advanced English as a Second Language	Saylor.org
4	Elina Baheti (PRT English)	Teaching Professional Olympiad	MyCenta
		Decoding Centa international TPO webinar on Early Childhood Education	MyCenta

Crowdsource governance ideas from citizens

MyGov is a citizen engagement program launched by the Govt. of India to promote the active participation of Indian citizens in their country's governance and development. It is aimed at creating a common platform for Indian citizens to "crowdsource governance ideas from citizens".

In the series of quiz conducted under this platform, one of the students from CI-X, Debraj Nath scored 100% in the quiz series on Incredible India in a very short time for which he has been awarded with a t-shirt, a diary and a pen along with a letter of appreciation.
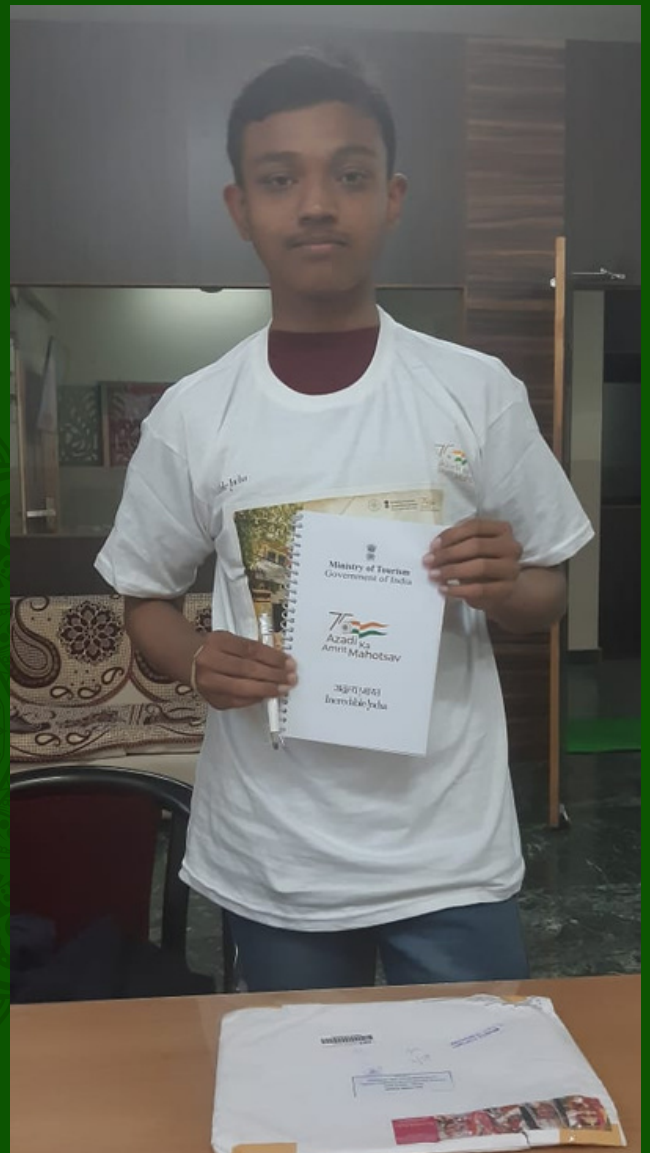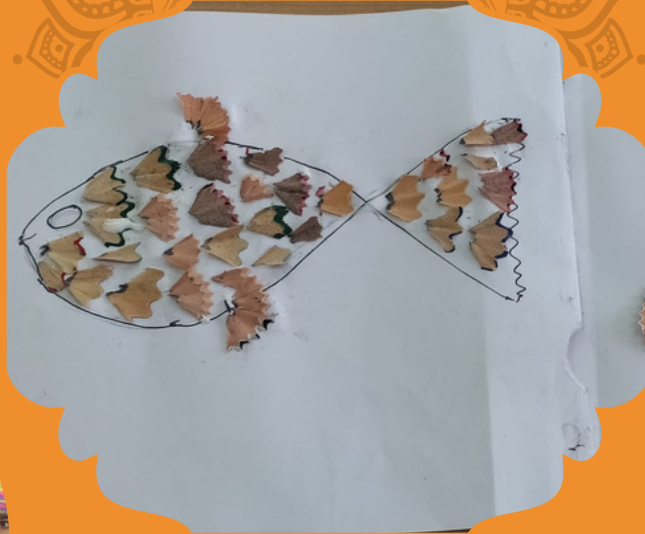
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