

STAR PUBLIC SCHOOL Glimpses March-2023

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Aryabhatt Ganit Challenge

The Aryabhatta Ganit Challenge is a National Level Talent Search Exam for Class VIII to X students of India conducted by CBSE. Aryabhatta Ganit Challenge provides an effective way of building mental discipline and encourages logical reasoning and mental rigor. It provides the students an opportunity to show their talent, speed and accuracy. It is conducted at two levels.



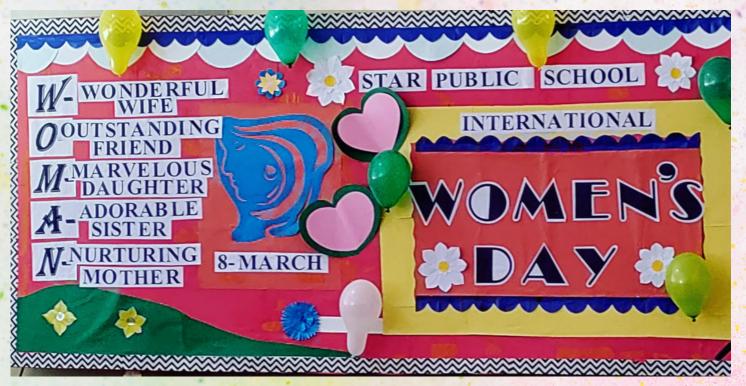
Out of the three students who had qualified for the Second Stage of Aryabhatta Ganit Challenge, conducted on December 15, 2022, Divyansh Sharma from Grade IX has been identified in the top 100 position, in Guwahati Region.

A Big Congratulations to Divyansh Sharma for his future endeavor.



Women's Day Celebration

International Women's Day (IWD) is celebrated annually on March 8th as a focal point in the Women's Rights Movement, bringing attention to issues such as gender equality, equal wages and violence and abuse against women. It is to celebrate and recognize the social, political, cultural, and economic achievements of women. This day marks a call to action to expedite gender parity.



A special assembly was organized on this occasion at Star Public School. It is indeed an undeniable truth that no success would ever be achieved without a woman's participation. The significance of the day was aptly described by Vice-Principal Ma'am. It was followed by the presentation of thought by Priyanka Das.

Women have a dominant role in the matrilineal society of Meghalaya and it was explained very beautifully in a form of short speech by Ribhameki ma'am. Quotes envisioned for the day were presented by Elina ma'am and Rumana ma'am. Illustrating the need of Yoga especially which proves to be beneficial for women's health, various asanas were demonstrated by Laxmi ma'am and Puja ma'am.



It was followed by a poem recitation by Priyanka Kothari ma'am.

Dancing is one of the most liberating and opens ways to express feelings and on this occasion the power of women was beautifully demonstrated by Sonal, Reshma and Rashmita ma'am. A session on Menstrual Health and Hygiene was conducted by Rinki and Ruma ma'am for the girl students of Grade VII to XI.









Mr. K. Dilip, Principal, SPS, in his concluding speech recognized the role and importance of women in life's various domains. Acknowledging different career options now available for women to excel in, he inspired everyone to show strength and perseverance in one's life.



A short program was organized by the male members of the school to felicitate all the female staff members working in the school. Program comprised of recitation of poems by Pawan Sir and Kamal Nayan Sir, song by Subhadeep sir, Bidhu Bhusan Sir and Kamal Sir. Fun games and housie added to the charm. The entire program was compered by Mantun Kumar Singh.



The fun-filled and inspirational day came to an end with a positive note and a new vigor make oneself stand against all odds.

Capacity Building Program on Jadui Pitara

Jaadui Pitara- a compendium of material created and collected on Learning-Teaching Material (LTM) for implementation of the National Curriculum Framework for Foundational Stage (NCF-FS) was launched on 20th February, 2023 by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

National Council for Educational Research and Training (NCERT), had planned a series of Capacity Building Program for teachers/stakeholders dealing with the foundational stage of teaching learning (Three Years Pre-Primary/Bal Vatika and Classes 1-2) on the transaction and development of such Jaadui Pitara from 27th February, 2023 to 3rd March, 2023 from 11.00 AM to 12.30 PM.

All the teachers, to get an insight on this, attended the training as part of the Capacity Building Program





Essay writing competition by OP Jindal Global University

OP Jindal Global University (JGU), Sonipat Haryana is an Institution of Eminence (IOE) and India's highest-ranked Private University as per the QS World University Rankings 2023.

The Jindal School of Environment and Sustainability, in pursuance of its aim to promote environmental consciousness, organized a Pan India Inter-School Online Essay Writing Competition "Eco-Exposition" from 3rd to 5th February 2023.





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With immense pride we announce that one of our students Vasundhara Singh, XI has won 2nd position in the Eco-Exposition. She has made our school proud by showcasing her zeal and creativity towards one of the most pressing challenges of modern times. She has been awarded with a Certificate and an amazon pay gift card of Rs. 2500/-.

Congratulations.....



Interactive Panel by DC office

Interactive screens (touchscreens) have become a major part of our lives and setting up smart interactive classrooms equipped with interactive smart panels in classrooms is increasing interaction among children and teachers with greater efficiency.

The interactive panel works on Android technology and teachers can connect to it with their mobile phones for technology-assisted teaching.

In order to digitally empower the classrooms Smart interactive panels have been distributed by Meghalaya Govt. in certain identified schools. Star Public School, being one of the identified schools, has also been presented with one such Interactive Panel with android technology. Mr. K. Dilip received the panel on the occasion of inaugural function by Abhilash Banarwal, Deputy Commissioner, East Jaiñtia Hills.







PTM and Result declaration

A parent Teacher Meeting for classes Nursery to XI was held on 25th March 2023 to discuss the performance of students in the annual examination. A total of 414 parents attended the PTM. They were given feedback on their ward's performances in Annual Examination 2023. It was a great interaction between the teacher and the parents for the development of their children where they discussed both the strengths and areas of improvements. The class teachers shared their comprehensive feedback provided by the subject teachers and the suggestions given by the parents were noted. Parents were informed regarding new academic session which will start from 4th of April.



SOF Award Ceremony

Science Olympiad Foundation is an Educational Organization popularizing academic competition and assisting development of competitive spirit among school children.

SOF was established with the aim of promoting Science, Mathematics, Computer Education, English, Social Studies, General Knowledge and professional courses.

To further this cause SOF endeavors to identify and nurture future scientists, technologists, IT and other professional talent at school level and encourage students' participation in national/international competitions/ programs/events.

In the SOF 2022-23 64 students from Star Public School appeared for the test and 14 students were awarded with the Gold Medal of Excellence.



Webinar on NCF

The NCF is one of the key components of NEP 2020 that enables and energizes the transformation to usher India to prepare itself to meet the challenging demands of a 21st century knowledge society.

To create awareness & for dissemination of information about the aims and objectives of "National Curriculum Framework –Foundational Stage (NCF-FS)" across the country, CBSE Training Head Quarter organized a webinar on 28th March, 2023. All the teachers from Star Public School participated in the webinar so that they, as practitioners, should be able to relate it to their current realities.



Teacher's Training

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Sr. No	Teacher Name	Course /Training Attended	Organized By	
1	Dilip Kumar	Teacher Energized Resource Manual- Upper Primary	CBSE	
		Catch the Rain	NCERT	
2	Vidya Singh	Microsoft Educator Academy	Microsoft	
		Catch the Rain	NCERT	
3	Elina nag Baheti	Microsoft Educator Academy	Microsoft	
		Catch the Rain	NCERT	
1.2		Visual Mathematics	My Centa	
	Ser Bar	Action Research	Diksha	
		Art of approaching History	My Centa	
4	Subhadeep Das	Microsoft Educator Academy	Microsoft	
14		Catch the Rain English B2	NCERT	
		Competency based education module 4	CBSE	
5	K. Bidhu Bhusan Singha	Microsoft Educator Academy	Microsoft	
		Catch the Rain English B2	NCERT	
		Embracing Multilingualism in Classrooms	COE CBSE	
6	BIJOY BIAM	Microsoft Advance Educator	Microsoft	
1 1	1.	Catch the Rain English B2	NCERT	
		Competency based education module 2	CBSE	
		Competency based education module 4	CBSE	
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7	Ajit Kumar Singh	Microsoft Educator Academy	Microsoft	
		Master in Microsoft Teams for any learning environment		

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	Microsoft Team Educator Name	School Representing	State	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Abhisek Banerjee	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Bijoy Biam	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Dhyanjyoti Barman	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Dilip Kumar	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Elina Nag Baheti	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
í		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Jaintia Dhar	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	K Bidhu Bhusan Singha	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Mantun Kumar Singh	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Pawan Kumar Singh	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Prem Tantod	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Priyanka Das	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
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1	Priyanka Kothari	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Puja Soni	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
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	Rashmita Patri	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
	Deskusersi Dei	Star Public School, Lumshnong,	Markalaur	
	Reshmaraj Raj	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
	Ribhameki Patlong	Star Public School, Lumshnong, Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
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	Rinki Kumari	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
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	Rumana Akthar Laskar	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,	IVICEIIalaya	
	Subhadeep Das	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
-	Swapnanil Sarmah	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Bijay Kumar Mahatha	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	
		Star Public School, Lumshnong,		
	Bijan Debnath	Meghalaya	Meghalaya	

National Safety Week

A drawing competition based on the theme Industrial Safety was organized among school students at Star Public School, Lumshnong on 5th March 2023 in collaboration with EHS Department of Star Cement Ltd. on the occasion of 52nd National Safety Week, 4-10 March, 2023.

11 and 7 students participated in Junior and senior category respectively. Best 3 entries were selected and the prizes were given during the closing ceremony of the National Safety Week on 10th March, 2023 in Star Club.

Result:

Junior Category (6-8): 1st: Shreyashi Suklabaidya 2nd: Babita Rabidas 3rd: Palak Mishra Senior Category (9-12): 1st: Prabeen Das 2nd: Priyanka Kumari 3rd: Sakshi Singh



Completion of Board Examination

This month has been a crucial month for students and teachers as well. This month is also observed as an examination month. During the entire month Board examinations and internal examinations were conducted.

Though this month was a very demanding one, keeping everyone on toes, the successful completion of examinations on 31st March,2023 has taken away all the woes and left everyone with a sense of relief.



Thank you for being part of this incredible journey.

Pre-primary activities

Pre-Primary children have always been the center of attraction. The curriculum is designed in such a way that it plays a vital role in preparing a child for social readiness and emotional preparedness that helps them succeed and to move forward. Regular physical activity also helps young children to build endurance and develop strong muscles and bones.

On 3rd March yoga and games activity were organized as Yoga helps strengthen children's growing bodies and helps them improve their flexibility, which can reduce their chance of injury. Yoga teaches discipline and reduces impulsivity. Yoga can reduce challenging behaviors in the classroom by providing a physical outlet for children to express themselves.







On 7th March pre Holi celebration and drawing and coloring was organized as coloring is not only a classic and favorite pastime for children, but it is also a simple activity that helps children to develop cognitively, psychologically, and creatively. It sparks their imagination and gives children and adults alike an opportunity to express themselves.



















On 10th March dance and music activity was organized as children learn new things, like sounds, words and patterns through music. With dance, they can explore and control their body movements. These activities are great for the development and stimulation of the connections in the growing brain.









On 14th March Picnic was organized as school picnic provides a great opportunity for students to cherish wonderful experience and face a range of challenges that can contribute significantly to their personal development. Hence, it is important that students must participate in the picnics as it provides a holistic education.













On 18th March Fancy Dress competition was organized for children as a fancy dress competition not only blends learning with fun but also develops confidence in students by giving them an opportunity to speak in front of their own classmates.



















On 22nd March Graduation Day was organized for the children as the Graduation Day Ceremony commemorates the precious moments for the little ones. This offers an opportunity to celebrate the culmination of their preschool years and the beginning of new experiences.



















































Supreme Court: Minimum age criteria for class I admission is six years Article Published By Education World



The Supreme Court on Monday observed that children should not be sent to schools at a very young age keeping in mind their psychological and mental health. "There is a kind of rush to send children to schools. Parents want to start as soon as their children are two years old. This may not be conducive to their psychological health," remarked a bench of justices Sanjay Kishan Kaul and MM Sundresh in regards to an appeal by a group of parents challenging the minimum age criteria of six years for admission to Class 1 in Kendriya Vidyalaya for the coming academic session. Challenging an April 11 order of the Delhi high court, a group of parents claimed that the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanghathan (KVS) suddenly changed the admission criteria for class 1 to six years just four days before the admission process which was slated to start in March 2022. The previous minimum age criteria was five years.

The bench added: "There are studies to show that there is a right age to admit a child to school. Don't push the child too much. It may impact his ability to grasp and read. There could be psychological impact."

The petitioners further argued that the change in age criteria without any prior notice is prejudicial to the interest of the students who have the right to participate in the admission process. This also violates their right under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009.

The bench said that this is in sync with the National Education Policy (NEP), which has fixed the age criteria with a view to ensure uniformity in admission age. 21 states have implemented the six-plus regime for Class 1 under the NEP, which came in 2020, pointed the lawyer appearing for the central government.

"According to the New Education Policy and also Ministry of Women and Child Development's policy for early childhood care the minimum age criteria for Class I admission of a child is six years instead of five years. It also distinguishes that 0-3 years falls under child care facility (playschool). So, if one is sending their wards to a playschool at the age of 10 months, they need not worry as there would be no formal education," said Dr Swati Popat Vats, president of the Early Childhood Association (ECA, estb.2011) which has a membership of 38,000 preschools countrywide, and president of the Association for Primary Education and Research. Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanghathan (KVS) has just followed the government policy and the Apex court decision too is justified as it is abiding the policies of NEP 2020."Parents too need to understand that there is an age to begin formal education before which there is no need to pressurise them," said she.

Vats further stated that the problem is not age, the problem is that each state has a different age group. It is important that all the states in India come under one roof and follow an uniformity in age for admissions to schools.

The court then proceeded to dismiss the appeal, affirming the Delhi high court's order. The Delhi High Court in its April 11 order, had rejected the parents' plea, stressing that these children have not been prohibited from taking admission. "The only effect of the impugned guidelines is to shift their eligibility to the next academic year which in my view cannot be a ground to interfere with the impugned guidelines especially when the respondents have already received over 7 lakh applications for admission to Class-I for the academic year 2022-2023," the HC said.

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Star Public School Lumshnong selected for Skill Hub initiative March 6, 2023



Star Public School has been chosen as a pilot institution in East Jaiñtia Hills district to implement 'Hybrid Learning, Digital Literacy and Skill Hub Initiative' with support of Microsoft and CBSE.

Under this initiative all the teachers from the school are being trained on digital literacy skills, hybrid learning program and skill hub initiative and are declared microsoft educators.

The initiative is implemented as per the guidelines under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojna 3.0. Principal of the school, Dilip Kumar informed that the school will provide skill development and vocational training opportunities to target population segments from in-school students of classes 9 to 12, school dropouts and out of education candidates.

"With the increasing importance of technology in our daily lives, digital literacy has become an essential skill for people of all ages and backgrounds," he said. As digital literacy can enhance creativity and innovation, allowing individuals to express themselves in new and exciting ways, he pointed out that with online courses and resources available it will improve personal and professional development.

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