

Birla Open Minds Preschool Newsletter



Dear Parent

Warm Greetings!

Welcome to the July newsletter of the Academic Session 2023-24.

Here we are at the start of the monsoon season after a long heist of heat wave what a relief ...drizzling rain, rainy wear, fresh smell of mud, hot yummy snacks all create an excitement and a buzz. Students were too involved with the themes of the month Wavy Water and Raving Rain with the practical and experiential exposure to rains.

Drizzly July!

July month started with the most beautiful and valued message of saving trees through Van Mahotsav celebration where children were made to understand the importance of trees and why Van Mahotsav is celebrated. Children participated enthusiastically and performed short skits, recited poems and dance performances showcasing the importance of trees. The efforts of the children, teachers and parents were praiseworthy.

Teddy Bear Picnic was the most fun filled activity where all the children got their favourite teddy bears and had great time with their friends playing, sharing, chatting and relaxing ,of course yummy snacks were the hot favourite.

The thanksgiving festival of Telangana, Bonalu was celebrated with traditional fervour. The school was vibrant with authentic decoration and colourful traditional attire worn by the students and teachers .

The incessant rains and adverse weather conditions were not a deterrent and didn't stop the learning. Teachers were quick to change to online classes during the rainy days.

Regards

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Nursery

Fabulous Family

Wavy water

Shy snails

Themes in the month of
July

K1, K 2

Raving rain

Enormous Earth

Parent Engagement

By **R Ramya**

We have an **obligation** to read aloud to our children. To read them things they enjoy. To **read** to them stories we are already tired of. To do the voices, to make it **interesting**, and not to stop reading to them just because they learn to read to themselves.

–Neil Gaiman



“Today a reader, Tomorrow a leader” – Margaret Fuller.

Reading is one of the most vital skills children need to be up-and-coming.

Not only it helps the students academically, but the skill required for lifelong success. Reading improves vocabulary, increases attention span, and stimulates critical thinking.

Few tips to encourage good reading habits in your child by making reading fun.

- **Make a reading area in your home. Books to be kept within the child’s reach.**
- **Reading anything anywhere. It can include reading their favourite television channels, movie names, road signs, menus, game instructions, grocery list. Basically reading is available all around them.**
- **Easy access to books.**
- **Visit local library with your child.**
- **Check where the child is feeling difficult to read and help out.**
- **Read bed time stories everyday.**
- **Introduce them to different genre of books and have a variety of reading material.**
- **Let your child pick up the book of their liking, while you guide them around.**
- **Repeat your child’s favourite book again and again.**
- **Read aloud to your child with different voices to make it more interesting.**
- **Most important is to act as a role model and read in front of your child.**

FASCINATING MOMENTS OF THE MONTH

VAN MAHASTAV CELEBRATION



ENTHRALLING MOMENTS OF THE MONTH

TEDDY BEAR PICNIC



ENTHRALLING MOMENTS OF THE MONTH

BONALU CELEBRATION



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RED COLOUR DAY CELEBRATION



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PTA MEETING



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THEME CULMINATION



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ONLINE CLASSES



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EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING - LITTLE HANDS AT WORK

I Hear and I Forget, I See and I Remember, I Do and I Understand



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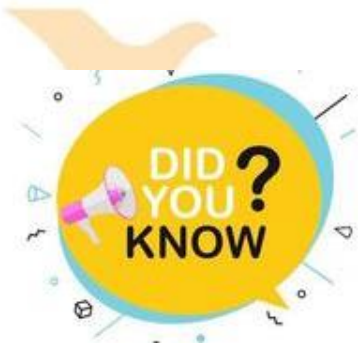
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For each minute of the day, 1 billion tons of rain falls on the Earth.

The fastest speed a falling raindrop can hit you is 18mph.

Fun Facts

The most rainfall ever recorded in one year is 25.4 meters (1000 inches) in Cherrapunji, India.

Rain occurs on other planets in our solar system but it is different than the rain we experience here on Earth. For example, rain on Venus is made of sulfuric acid and due to the intense heat it evaporates before it even reaches the surface!

The Atacama Desert in South America is the driest spot on Earth based on meteorological observations. It averages only 0.019 inches (0.5 millimeters) of rainfall annually, according to Guinness World Records.

Rain does not always reach the ground

When rain falls from the clouds, it usually reaches the ground. But if the air is very dry, raindrops can evaporate during their ascent toward the Earth's surface, so in terms of sensible weather, it would just be cloudy.

Rainfall drops that evaporate before reaching the ground is called "virga."

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Next Month

Important Dates

Celebrations

Friendship day celebrations-4th August, 2023, Friday

Independence day celebration –14th August 2023, Monday

Raksha Bandhan – 30th August 2023, Wednesday

Holidays

Independence day – 15th August,2023, Tuesday

Varalakshmi Vratam – 25th August, 2023, Friday

Pre - Nursery

Fabulous Family

Tinker toys

Upcoming Themes

K1

Enormous Earth

Cultural week

Fun forest

Nursery

Murky Mud

Slippery sand

Cultural week

Towering trees

Upcoming Themes

K2

Enormous Earth

Cultural week

Fun forest