

## 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day Celebration



### Celebrating Freedom: A Joyous Independence Day at D Y Patil World School, Nigdi.

The **Independence Day** celebration at **D Y Patil World School**, was a magnificent tribute to the **77th anniversary of India's freedom**, filled with vibrancy and national pride. This year's event by students, aimed at highlighting the importance of unity and patriotism in today's world.

The festivities began with a flag hoisting ceremony, resonating with the sound of the national anthem, which filled the air with a sense of reverence. Students from various grades showcased their talents through traditional and contemporary dance performances, each beautifully narrating a chapter of India's remarkable journey to independence. The dances were not just performances; they were heartfelt expressions of love for the nation, reflecting the diverse cultural tapestry that defines India.

In addition to the captivating performances, students actively participated in cultural events and a vibrant parade, showcasing their creativity and enthusiasm. Colourful decorations adorned the school, echoing the hues of the national flag and creating a festive atmosphere that celebrated India's heritage.

### Krishna Janmashtami



**Krishna Janmashtami** was celebrated with vibrant festivities, featuring students dressed as Radha and Krishna. The highlight was the exhilarating Dahi Handi event, filling the air with joy and enthusiasm.

### Ashadi Ekadashi



**Ashadi Ekadashi** was celebrated with reverence. This occasion commemorates the importance of devotion and the eternal bond between Lord **Vitthal** and Goddess **Rukmini** in Maharashtra's spiritual heritage.

**Celebrations** in schools enhance student morale, foster community, and encourage personal growth by allowing students to connect and showcase their talents. At **DYPWS**, we strive to cultivate the highest levels of creativity in our students.



## Tips for reducing screen time

**These six tips can help you trim your children's screen time when not in school:**

### 1. Be accountable

Set expectations with your child, and create goals to be intentional about reducing screen time. Many devices have features to set time limits for use.

### 2. Be realistic

If your kids spend a lot of leisure time on screens, including watching TV from start by setting smaller and more attainable goals. Instead of jumping right to the recommended one to two hours or less per day, start by cutting their current screen time in half.

### 3. Be engaged

After school or work, spend time each day talking face to face with kids and give them your full attention.

### 4. Put hand-held devices away

During screen-free hours, put devices away or at a charging station in a common area so they're not attracting your kids' attention.

### 5. Create phone-free zones in the home

Making family meal areas a phone-free zone is an easy way to start.

### 6. Go outside

Putting down the phone and taking a walk or playing outdoors increases your endorphins and provides that feeling of happiness in your brain, boosting your mood and improving your physical health.

At **DYPWS**, we celebrate the joy of reading through our Reading Club, embrace the magic of learning with Karadi Path, honor our educators on Teacher's Day, and promote harmony on World Peace Day—building a brighter future together!

## World Peace Day



On September 21, **DYPWS** School celebrated World Peace Day with an inspiring event organized by the Rotary Club. The day was filled with engaging activities, including peace-themed workshops, art displays and speeches by community leaders. Students participated enthusiastically sharing their thoughts on peace and unity through art and poetry.

## Teacher's Day Celebration



This year's Teacher's Day celebration was extremely special as the students of class 7 stepped into their teachers shoes. The day began with a refreshing twist as students became the teachers, standing confidently at the front of the class, explaining lessons, and engaging their peers.

## Reading Club



## Karadi Path Session



The **Karadi Path** session at **DYPWS** School aims to enhance English proficiency for students of grade 1 to 5. This engaging program uses storytelling, interactive activities, and music to create an immersive learning environment. By exploring into the nuances of language through fun and relatable content, students develop their vocabulary and comprehension skills. Ultimately, the initiative fosters a love for English, ensuring that young learners build a strong foundation for future academic success.

On August 10, 2024, **DYPWS** proudly launched its new **Reading Club** for students in grade 5 to 7, encouraging them to cultivate the valuable habit of reading. This initiative aims to inspire a love for literature and enhance students' critical thinking skills. The club will meet fortnightly, providing a vibrant space for young readers to discuss their favourite books and share ideas.



## Experiential Learning

## Excited to Compete !

## Our Achievement



Class 3 A



Saraswati Vishwa Vidyalay, Talawade.



### Fish Tank Activity

This fish tank activity transformed us into junior aquarists, allowing us to dive into the fascinating world of aquarium care and the intricate dance of ecosystem dynamics.

### The Next Generation of Orators !

This experience not only sharpened the public speaking skills but also fostered a sense of camaraderie among young orators.

### Maharashtra State Level Championship 2024-25

**DYPWS** School achieved an outstanding performance in the karate competition, securing 8 gold, 7 silver and 9 bronze medals. This tournament was held in Baramati on 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> August 2024.

## Nutritional Requirements: Diet Chart

This diet chart is designed to meet the nutritional needs of students aged 10-14 years considering their energy, protein, carbohydrate, fat, vitamin and mineral requirements.

Meal	Food Items
<b>Breakfast</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Oatmeal topped with fruits (banana/berries)</li> <li>- Glass of milk or yogurt or curd</li> <li>- A handful of nuts (almonds/raisins/dry fig/walnuts)</li> </ul>
<b>Mid-Morning Snack</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Fresh fruits (apple or orange)</li> <li>- A small serving of yogurt or curd</li> </ul>
<b>Lunch</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Whole grain roti or Nachni bhakri with mixed vegetable curry- Brown rice or quinoa</li> <li>- Salad (cucumber, carrot, tomato, beetroot)</li> </ul>
<b>Evening Snack</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Whole grain sandwich with lettuce protein and salad</li> <li>- Fresh juice or smoothie (without added sugar)</li> <li>- Makhana</li> </ul>
<b>Dinner</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Whole grain (Chapati)</li> <li>- Steamed vegetables (broccoli, carrots)</li> <li>- Whole grain pasta or brown</li> </ul>



### Celebrations of our Little Stars

1. Ashadi Ekadashi
2. Pajama Party
3. Red Day
4. Blue Day



### Tongue Twister

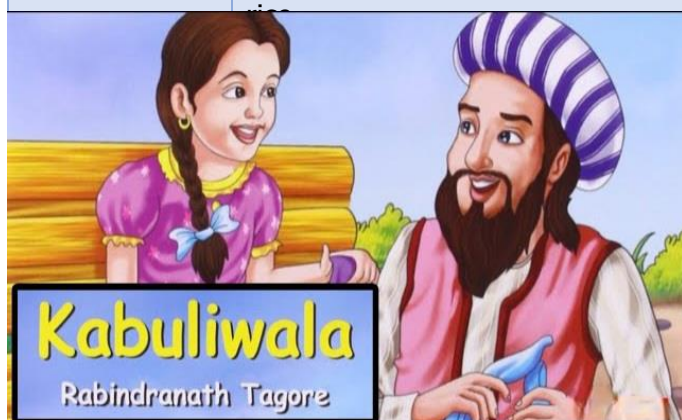
Susie works in a shoeshine shop. Where she shines she sits, and where she sits she shines.

**"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."**

- Nelson Mandela

### Book Review

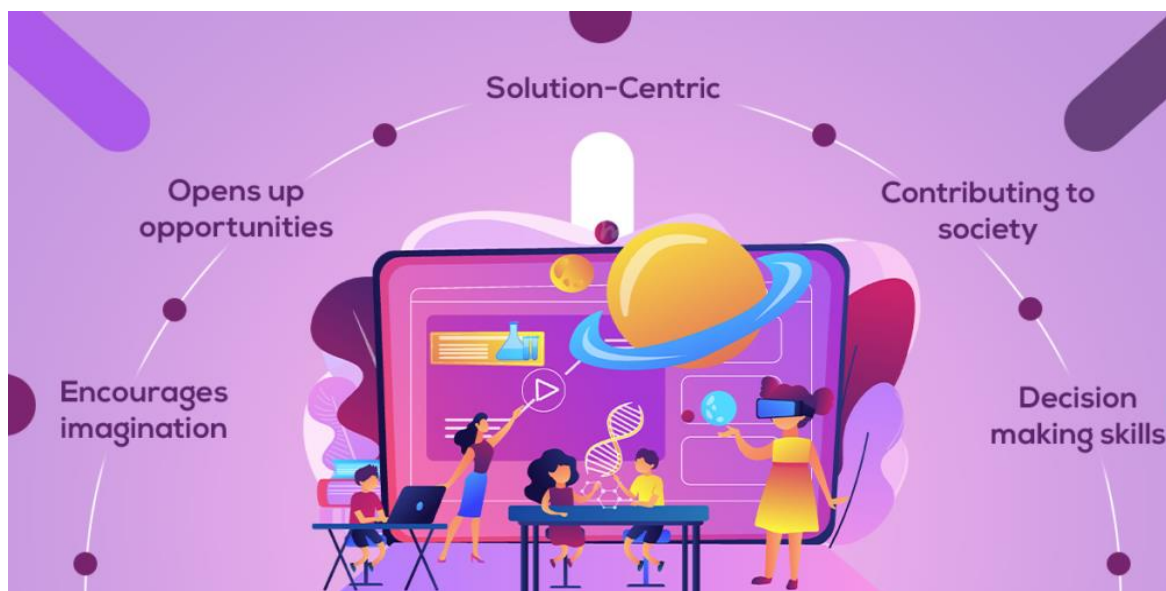
**"The Kabuliwallah"** by Rabindranath Tagore tells a touching story about friendship between a dry fruit seller and a little girl. It explores how time changes relationships and is a heartfelt read that everyone should experience.



**Kabuliwala**  
Rabindranath Tagore



## AI for Kids: Let's have a look at the benefits of Artificial Intelligence for students!



### Encourages Imagination

- Skills developed at a young age tend to last a lifetime.
- Introducing AI and machine learning can spark children's interest and creativity.

### Opportunities

- AI is the future, creating more jobs rather than replacing them.
- Learning about AI prepares students for a job market increasingly focused on automation and machine learning.

### Contributing to Society

- AI aids organizations and governments by predicting events like natural disasters and market trends.
- Understanding AI empowers individuals to contribute positively to society.

### Decision-Making Skills

- AI helps clarify choices, enabling better decision-making by providing data-driven insights.
- This reduces ambiguity and leads to more logical outcomes.

## "Quiz time! Let's test your knowledge."

1. What is the name of a shape with 5 sides?
2. How many Continents are there?
3. What is the name of the tallest mountain on earth?
4. The planet Mars is also known as what? The ( ) planet.
5. How many months have 31 days?
6. How many colours of the rainbow are there?
7. My mother's mother is my...what?
8. Which animal lays the largest eggs?
9. How many zeros are in ten thousand?
10. In which country would you find the Sydney Opera House?

A woman called the police and told them to come to her house immediately. When they arrived, she told them that a man with a black mask had entered her home. After tying her up, he stole all her money and disappeared. However, the policemen did not buy her story and arrested her for misreporting. Why?



## Color by Letter!

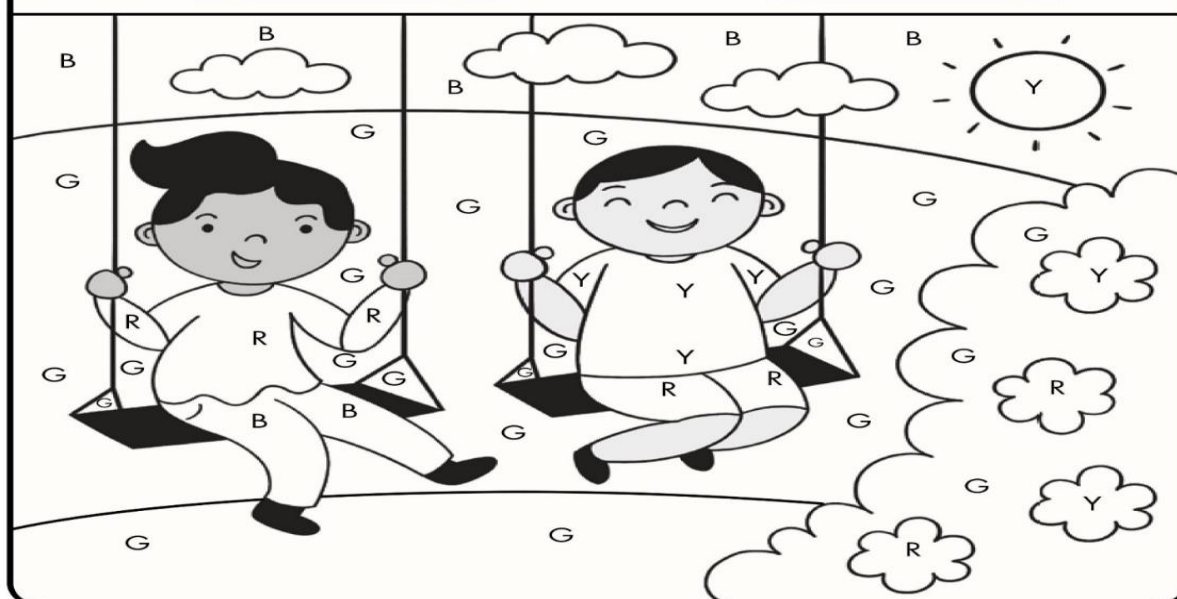
Color the picture by using the color key for each letter.

B = blue

G = green

R = red

Y = yellow



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E

Why was the math book sad?  
..... it had so many problems.

What's a snake's favourite subject?  
Hisstory.

Why did the student eat his homework?  
..... his teacher told him it was a piece of cake!

What time would it be if Godzilla came to school?  
Time to run!

Why did the dog do so well in school?  
..... he was the teacher's pet!

Why did the egg get thrown out of class?  
..... he kept telling yolks!

**Quiz** - Pentagon, Seven, Mount Everest, The Red Planet, Seven Months, Seven, Grandmother, Ostrich, Four Zeros, Australia.-  
If she was tied up and couldn't move, how did she manage to call the police?