



DPS INTERNATIONAL MAY NEWSLETTER



MORNING ASSEMBLIES

As we begin the mayhem of May, deadlines bloom like flowers, the sun lingers a little longer, and every plan somehow doubles. There's a chaos to it, mid-year momentum, summer edging closer, and just enough disorder to make things interesting. So here's to navigating it, one task, one laugh and one slightly-too-busy day at a time. 🌻

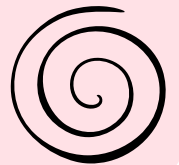
BREATHE RIGHT

Each day, we pause to breathe, reflect, and grow together. In every breath, we build calm, focus, and balance together as a school. Our journey continues one mindful breath at a time.



THIS MONTH AT A GLANCE

- Morning Assemblies
- Mother's Day
- Nutrition Day
- CCA Highlights
- ECA Highlights
- Helper's Day
- IT Week



The school assemblies focused on the theme **"Building Positive Relationships,"** with each class presenting on sub-themes such as teamwork, communication, care, conflict resolution, leadership, and kindness. Through skits, role-plays, and presentations, students confidently highlighted the importance of healthy relationships. The assemblies were engaging and helped students learn valuable life skills.

ASSEMBLY MOMENTS IN MAY



Our Year 4 and 6 learners took centre stage during this a special assembly on resolving conflicts like true professionals. The session began with calming practices such as Tai Chi and Five Finger Yoga, helping students relax, focus, and prepare for the learning ahead.

The highlight of the assembly was an engaging skit performed by the Year 4 and 6 learners.

Through a relatable classroom scenario, they demonstrated how conflicts can be managed effectively by staying calm, listening, and communicating respectfully.

The entire school then participated in an interactive segment, where Ms Shikha and Ms Bhavika worked together to guide students through five real-life case studies. They actively elicited ideas from learners, encouraging them to think critically and share positive strategies for resolving conflicts.

The students thoroughly enjoyed the activity and participated enthusiastically, offering thoughtful and creative solutions.

Overall, the assembly was a meaningful and enriching experience, helping students develop empathy, self-regulation, and strong problem-solving skills while fostering a collaborative and respectful school culture.

Year 3 learners also performed a wonderful role play on the theme "Sharing is Caring." Through their confident acting and meaningful presentation, they beautifully conveyed the importance of kindness, empathy, and helping others. The performance was engaging, thoughtful, and well appreciated by everyone.



The assembly was held on 13th May on the topic "Listening and Communication" and was presented by Year 2 students. It focused on the importance of listening carefully and expressing ideas clearly. Students presented a skit showing good and poor communication with the key takeaway that good communication helps strengthen relationships.



HELPERS DAY CELEBRATION

On the occasion of Helpers' Day, DPSIS Alexandra celebrated and acknowledged the invaluable contributions of all support staff who work tirelessly to make our school a happy and safe place for everyone. As part of the celebration, students expressed their gratitude by creating heartfelt cards for our beloved Saras Aunty.



Through their thoughtful messages and colorful creations, the children showed appreciation for her kindness, care, and dedication. The activity helped students understand the importance of recognizing and valuing the efforts of those who support us every day.



The celebration made Saras Aunty feel special and appreciated, while also teaching students the importance of gratitude, respect, and kindness towards all members of the school community.



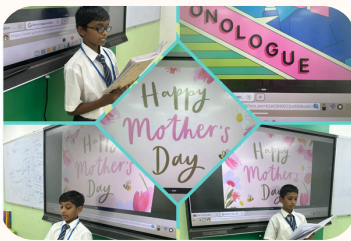


THE FIRST BLOOM OF MAY



CELEBRATING MOTHERS TOGETHER

As Mothering Sunday approaches, our school is excited to honour and celebrate our amazing mothers through a variety of fun activities, creative expressions, and meaningful moments together.



They showcased their love and gratitude by creating touching video messages and performing monologues, where they shared personal reflections, kind words, and special memories about their mothers. These performances truly highlighted the deep bond and admiration they hold for them.



On 10th May, DPSIS students celebrated Mother's Day with great joy and enthusiasm. The students showed wonderful creativity by making beautiful cards and participating in different activities dedicated to their mothers.



This special initiative allowed learners to recognise and honour the invaluable role their mothers play in their lives, making Mother's Day a truly memorable and heartfelt occasion.

To celebrate Mother's Day, our learners expressed their heartfelt appreciation for their wonderful mums through a variety of thoughtful and creative activities.

In addition, students put their creativity to work by designing beautiful handmade cards, colourful garlands, and vibrant posters—all dedicated to their amazing mums. Each creation reflected care, effort, and love, making the celebration even more meaningful.



MAY MAGIC CONTINUES



Led by our Head of School, Dr Neetu Sood, our wonderful mothers were invited to take part in a special session designed to help them relax and feel appreciated. It was a heartfelt opportunity to express our gratitude and love for them, recognising the integral role they play in nurturing strong and resilient children.

The session began with an energising yoga routine, followed by calming pranayama and a soothing savasana relaxation. It was truly a rejuvenating experience, celebrating the strength, care, and dedication of our amazing mums.

The morning session did not end there; it continued with a heartwarming sharing and caring activity, where mothers led a candle-making session for the teachers.



This provided a wonderful opportunity for mothers to connect with one another, exchanging their experiences and reflecting on their enriching journey with DPS International.

Bringing the morning to a close, the mothers were sent off with tokens of appreciation, carrying with them a sense of love, gratitude, and togetherness.



"Appreciation can make a day, even change a life. Your willingness to put it into words is all that is necessary." – Margaret Cousins





NUTRITION DAY



UNDERSTANDING NUTRITION AND VALUE THROUGH EXPERIENCE



For Nutrition Day, our learners took part in an enriching experience organized by our Head of School, Dr. Neetu Sood, which included a visit to FairPrice.

During this activity, students were guided to plan a healthy meal for two by creating a thoughtful shopping list.

This hands-on and engaging task challenged learners to apply their understanding of balanced nutrition, while also developing practical life skills such as budgeting and decision-making.

They carefully selected items from various food groups, while also considering the quantity and weight of each product.



Through this experience, they gained a deeper appreciation for the value of money, the importance of mindful food choices, and the effort involved in planning healthy meals.

As a school community, we enjoyed this special moment of togetherness, sharing food lovingly prepared by our wonderful mums at home.



Following a delightful morning experience, our learners came together to share a healthy meal with one another.

The spread was truly heartwarming, featuring a variety of delicious home-cooked dishes—from flavourful biryani rice and traditional Gujarati thepla to soft idlis served with sambar and chutney.



It was a joyful celebration of healthy eating, culture, and community spirit.



LEARNING JOURNEY IN PROGRESS

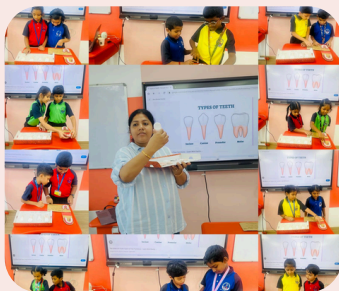
INTEGRATED LEARNING ACROSS THE CURRICULUM



Mini Science Lab



They also learned about the structure of teeth, where the teacher explained concepts using illustrations, pictures, and videos, supported by 3D models to enhance their understanding.



In addition, students conducted electrolysis experiments, with the teacher guiding them through visual demonstrations and videos, helping them understand the process and its real-life applications in a more interactive and meaningful way.



Students explored fingerprints, learning about unique patterns and their role in identification through engaging discussions and activities.



Exploring Numbers



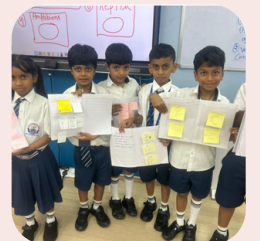
Students learned about odd and even numbers through engaging and hands-on activities.

The teacher used flashcards, interactive examples, and practical exercises to help learners identify and understand number patterns in a fun and meaningful way.

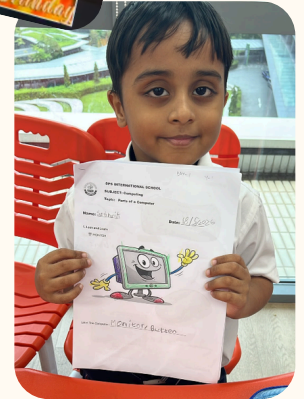
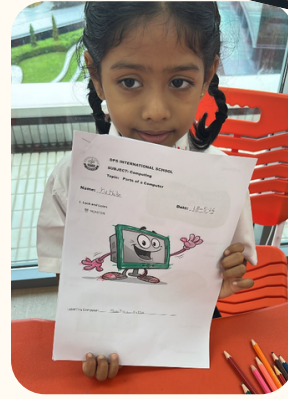
The learning experience included a diverse set of activities aimed at developing multiple skills. In English, students explored tenses, phrases, parts of speech, and figures of speech to strengthen their language abilities.



In mathematics, they practiced the abacus to enhance their numerical skills and mental calculation. Additionally, in science, students participated in a creative cutting and pasting activity focused on amphibians, allowing them to understand the characteristics of these animals through hands-on learning.



IT WEEK



Year 4 students learned about Artificial Intelligence, discussing its advantages and disadvantages, and also worked on Word and Scratch projects including the Disappearing Dragon.

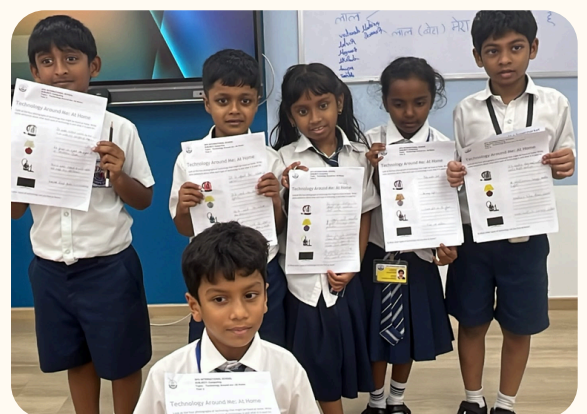
Year 5 students strengthened their computational thinking through an algorithm word search, explored Micro:bit coding, and created a Scratch project featuring a tennis player. Year 6 and Year 7 students collaborated on algorithm-based skits, worked with Micro:bit, and designed interactive Scratch projects like Disco Dance.

Overall, IT Week provided a fun and meaningful opportunity for students to enhance their creativity, problem-solving, and coding skills while developing a deeper understanding of technology.

This week, our Year 1 to Year 7 students had an exciting and enriching IT Week where they explored a variety of technology-based activities and built important digital skills.

Year 1 students learned about the different parts of a computer and began their coding journey using Scratch Junior, while Year 2 students worked with Bee-Bots and further developed their understanding of Scratch programming.

Year 3 students explored how technology is used everywhere around them and created engaging projects such as the Skating Penguin using Scratch.



CO CURRICULAR FUN TIME



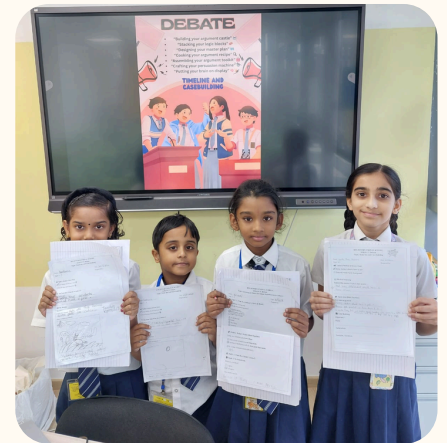
Creative expression was highlighted in Drama & Theatre, where students enhanced their acting and stage presence, building confidence and teamwork. Similarly, the Debate Club provided a platform for students to express their ideas, strengthen critical thinking, and improve their communication skills.

During the month of May, our teachers placed a strong emphasis on thoughtfully planning and organising co-curricular activities (CCAs) to ensure meaningful student engagement and skill development. Each CCA was carefully designed to nurture creativity, confidence, and essential life skills.

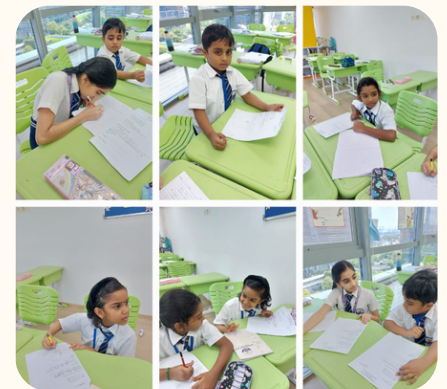
The Fireless Cooking CCA encouraged students to explore healthy and simple food preparation techniques without the use of heat, promoting independence and awareness of nutrition. In the Reading Club, students developed a love for books through engaging reading sessions, discussions, and storytelling activities.



Practical learning was an important focus in Life Skills, where students engaged in activities that promoted problem-solving, empathy, and decision-making. The Financial Literacy CCA helped students understand basic money management concepts such as saving, budgeting, and responsible spending.



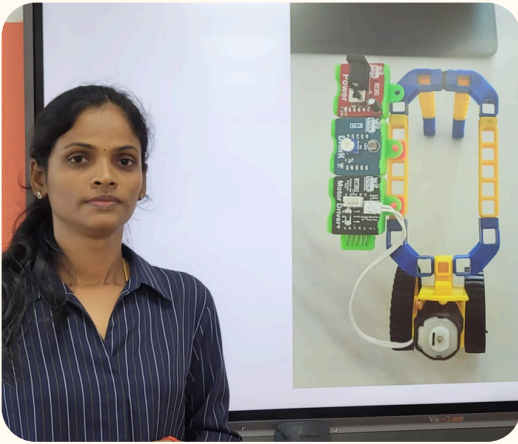
In the digital domain, Animation & Canva allowed students to explore design and creativity, developing skills in visual communication and technology. Lastly, Public Speaking sessions helped students overcome stage fear and speak confidently in front of an audience.



The CCAs in May were conducted with great care and dedication, ensuring that every student had the opportunity to discover new interests, build confidence, and develop essential skills in a supportive and engaging environment.

EXTRA CURRICULAR HIGHLIGHTS

Beyond the Classroom



Our learners actively engage in a range of enriching Extra-Curricular Activities that support holistic development beyond academics. In Yoga, learners build focus, balance, and well-being. Robotics encourages creativity and problem-solving through hands-on building and exploration.



Taekwondo helps develop discipline, strength, and coordination. Through Classical Dance, learners express creativity while appreciating rhythm and culture. In Keyboard classes, learners explore music and develop confidence in playing.



Overall, these activities nurture creativity, confidence, and essential life skills, truly taking learning beyond the classroom.



Election Day: Voices, Choices, and Excitement!



"As one of the Academic Year Highlights of 2026, Election Day for choosing our Head Boy and Head Girl was an exciting event filled with enthusiasm and participation. Candidates went through campaigning, poster-making, and balloting to showcase their leadership.



Students also voted for the three Leader Councils, promoting responsibility and teamwork.



The day was vibrant and memorable for all."





MAIN CAMPUS FIELD TRIP



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Students visited the main Kovan campus of DPSIS, where special arrangements were made to provide them with a memorable and enriching experience. They enjoyed outdoor play on the field, giving them the opportunity to explore and engage in physical activities in a larger environment.

The students also participated in exciting music, dance, and art sessions, where they expressed their creativity and learned new skills. A highlight of the visit was the tour of the science laboratories, where they observed and conducted simple experiments under the guidance and supervision of teachers. It was a fun-filled and educational day that the students thoroughly enjoyed.



Our Student Leaders: Head Boy, Head Girl, and Student Council



The Academic Year 2026 witnessed one of its most exciting highlights—Election Day for the Student Council. The school campus buzzed with enthusiasm as students actively participated in the process of selecting their Head Boy and Head Girl.

From creative poster-making and energetic campaigning to the final balloting, candidates showcased their leadership qualities with confidence and spirit. The election also included voting for three key leadership roles, encouraging students to take ownership, demonstrate responsibility, and work collaboratively as a team.

The day was vibrant, democratic, and memorable, leaving students with a valuable experience of leadership and participation.

We are proud to announce our Student Council leaders for 2026–27:

Head Boy: Balabhadruni Sai Srihaan (Year 6)

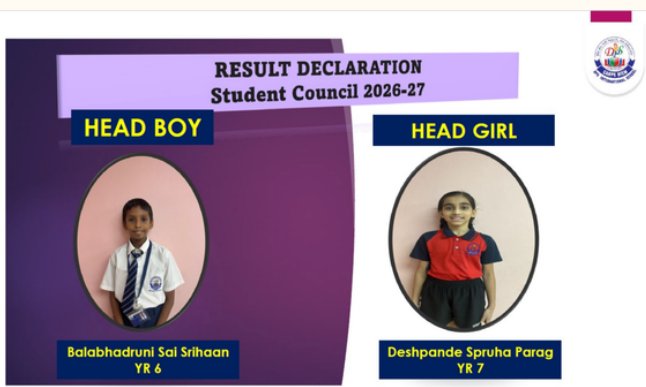
Head Girl: Spruha P. Deshpande (Year 7)

Student Conduct Ambassador: Srihaan N.S. Rongali (Year 5)

Student Wellness Ambassador: Deeksita Srikanth (Year 5)

Performing Arts Ambassador: Aradhya Shukla (Year 4)

We congratulate all the elected leaders and look forward to their contributions in making the school year inspiring and successful for all.



"A Creative and Knowledge Hub: Our New Art Room & Library"

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☀️ Overview

Our school is proud to introduce a newly designed Art Room and Library, created to inspire creativity, imagination, and a love for learning. These spaces provide students with modern, comfortable, and engaging environments to explore both artistic expression and reading.



🎨 Art Room Features

Spacious creative area with natural lighting

Dedicated zones for painting, sketching, and crafts

Display boards to showcase student artwork

Storage units for safe and organized materials

Digital art corner (if applicable) for modern creativity

This June, DISCOVER. LEARN. CREATE. GROW.
A HOLIDAY OF FUN, SKILLS & GROWTH!

DPS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL JUNE HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
A dynamic blend of Learning, Creativity and Skill Development for every child.

EXCITING CAMPS TO EXPLORE

- TECHNOLOGY CAMP
- VEDIC MATHS
- SUSTAINABILITY CAMP
- PERFORMING ARTS CAMP
- MINDFULNESS CAMP
- LITTLE EXPLORERS CAMP

WHY THIS PROGRAMME STANDS OUT

- Develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills through technology and maths.
- Build environmental awareness and responsibility via sustainability initiatives.
- Enhance confidence, creativity, and expression through performing arts.
- Improve focus, emotional balance, and well-being through mindfulness practices.
- Engage in hands-on, experiential learning beyond the classroom.

KEY BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS

- Productive and meaningful use of holiday time.
- Exposure to diverse skills and new interests.
- Opportunities to collaborate, create, and innovate.
- Development of independence and self-confidence.
- A balanced approach to academic enrichment and personal growth.

OPEN TO ALL!
The programme is open to all DPS students as well as external students across Singapore, offering a wonderful opportunity to be part of a vibrant and enriching learning environment.

LIMITED SEATS!
Seats are limited and will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

Upcoming Events
June Summer Holiday Camp
Preparation for Cyclic Test