



Class- Bal Vatika II

Session-2025-26

"Let the sunshine in, and let your spirit be as free as the summer breeze."

Dear Parent

As summer unfolds, we embrace a season filled with bright days, laughter, and exciting new experiences! A fun-filled journey of learning and discovery awaits our little Dipsites, as every day becomes a chance to explore, imagine, and grow. Whether they're building sandcastles, gazing at stars on a clear night, creating art with nature's colors, or simply cherishing quiet moments at home, summer is a time to nurture their creativity, spark curiosity, and build meaningful connections.

This special time is a golden opportunity to make heartwarming memories, strengthen family bonds, and allow our children to blossom through the magic of play and exploration.

Let's make this summer a joyful mix of adventure, rest, and inspired learning!



EMERGENT LITERACY (ENGLISH)



"Imagination Hour: Where Stories Shape Young Minds"

Storytelling is one of the most engaging ways to nurture children's personality and enhance their creative abilities. It helps them develop good values while also expanding their vocabulary.

- Narrate simple, age-appropriate stories and ask your child questions to recall characters and events.
- Encourage your child to imagine a new ending or describe what might happen next.
- Introduce a few new words while reading the story, explain their meanings and later encourage your child to use these words in their own sentences.
- Motivate your child to use English in everyday conversations to help build their confidence and improve fluency in expressing themselves.

Some suggested storybook series:

- Malgudi Days
- Panchatantra stories
- Jataka tales
- Ladybird Level 1 series

It's time to start family reading time!

**Capture and share 1 candid picture of your ward while reading by
Wednesday , June 25,2025 with the Class Teacher.**

"Tiny Faces, Big Emotions: A Journey Into Feelings"



Emotions play a big role in children's growth, and when they learn to understand and express how they feel, they become more confident, kind, and better at communicating with others. Play the suggested fun games to support this important development in a joyful and engaging way!



Mirror Game

Take turns making emotional faces in a mirror (sad, happy, surprised) and let your child guess or copy them to learn emotions through expressions.



Feelings Freeze Dance

Play music and let the child dance around. When the music stops, call out an emotion (e.g., "excited," "joyful," "shy") and the child has to freeze in a pose that shows that feeling.

The Artful Hour (To Be Submitted)

'My Mood Plate'

On a plate let me draw a face,
And show my mood in a happy place !
Excited, surprised, or full of cheer,
Let the feelings shine right here !

You Will Need:

- Any sturdy base (a piece of cardboard/a small wooden plaque/a foam board/ thick cardstock)
- Paper plate (any size and shape)
- Fevicol
- Water colours, crayons
- Decoration material of your choice like buttons, yarns etc



Steps To Follow:

- Steps 1: Paste the paper plate on a sturdy base and encourage your child to colour it with water colour .
- Step 2: Help your child choose an emotion and bring it to life on the plate; using crayons, buttons to form expressive eyes, eyebrows, and a matching mouth.
- Decorate the face with any other craft material like yarn for hair or stickers using different techniques of printing.

ABC Magic Moments



Building **Foundational Literacy** is key to child's early learning journey! Help your child recapitulate the letters done (i/I, l/L and t/T) in class by practicing their recognition, sounds, and formation in fun ways.

Some suggested activities are:

- **Alphabet Treasure Hunt**: Hide letter cards around the house and ask your child to find and name them aloud along with their phonic sounds.
- **Tracing Fun**: Fill a tray with salt or flour and let your child trace letters with his/her finger. Then move to dotted lines and gradually practice writing letters on single dots, just like in class.

- **Play Dough Letter Fun:** Help your child shape letters using play-dough thereby enhancing recognition and fine motor skills.
- **Create Your Own Flash Card:** Take half of an A4 pastel sheet. On one side, help your child write the letter with correct formation and on the other side, encourage them to draw or paste pictures of objects that begin with that letter.

**The Artful Hour
(To Be Submitted)**

'Letter Art Spark'

My name's first letter, I know so well,
I'll turn it to art and make it spell !
With colours and craft, I'll make it bright,
It'll shine in class, a lovely sight !

You Will Need:

- A-4 size pastel sheet
- Water colours, crayons
- Decoration material of your choice



Steps To Follow:

- Step 1: Write or arrange a big size cutout of the first letter of your child's name in lowercase on A-4 sized pastel sheet.
- Step 2: Let the child trace over the letter using crayons or water colour to make it bold and colourful.
- Step 3: Enjoy decorating the letter by turning it into an animal, character, or imaginative figure using fun printing techniques and craft materials of your choice.

Suggested links for reference:

https://youtu.be/VWL_4rm99FE?feature=shared

https://youtube.com/watch?v=IUxKGFHN9_Rk&feature=shared

PRE NUMERACY

Foundational numeracy goes beyond counting—it's about exploring numbers, patterns, and early math through joyful, hands-on experiences. Help your child recapitulate the numbers done (1, 4, 7) in class by engaging in fun activities that build number recognition, quantification and correct number formation.

Some suggested activities are:

- **Guess the claps**: Blindfold your child, clap a few times, and let him/her guess the number thereby boosting listening skills and number recognition.
- **Number Hunt**: Hide number cards around the house for your child to find and say aloud. Then, let him/her collect the same number of objects thereby developing number recognition and counting skills.
- **Tracing Fun**: Fill a tray with salt or flour and let your child trace numbers with his/her finger. Then move to dotted lines and gradually practice writing letters on single dots, just like in class.
- **Create Your Own Flash Card**: Take half of an A4 pastel sheet. On one side help your child write the number with correct formation and on the other side encourage them to draw or paste that many objects to match the number.

The Artful Hour
(To Be Submitted)

'My Junkyard Number'

I found some waste, and then I knew,
I'd make a number, shiny and new!
With craft and fun, I'll make it bright,
Learning numbers feels just right!

"Best Out of Waste" is a wonderful way to teach your child using materials that are easily available at home and can be reused creatively. This activity not only encourages children to think outside the box but also nurtures their creativity while making learning fun and eco-friendly.

Help your child in creating the craft mentioned below as per their roll number, using waste materials creatively.



Roll No.(1-15):
"Fishy Number Aquarium"

- Create a mini aquarium scene using paper fish
- Write or paste number 4 on the tank and encourage your child to stick that many fish inside.
- Add bubbles and waves to decorate it.

Suggested waste material that can be used: Old shoe box, old bangles, buttons, old newspaper etc.



Roll No. (16-30):
"Candy Count Jar"

- Create a big jar and help your child draw or stick 7 candies inside it.
- Decorate it further using waste material.

Suggested waste material that can be used: Empty plastic bottles, straws, tissue rolls, pista shells, buttons, used gift wrapping paper etc.

Let's work together to make learning joyful and sustainable!

Kindly refer to the suggested educational links for a variety of content on stories, rhymes, numbers, and phonics. Exploring these resources will not only enrich your child's learning but also support the development of both fine and gross motor skills (through action songs and movement-based games), making learning active and engaging.

- <https://youtu.be/OTgLtF3PMOc?feature=shared>
- <https://youtu.be/R2frjzrC5Jg?feature=shared>
- <https://youtu.be/WRFtEDTbMC0?feature=shared>
- <https://youtu.be/sB4YV9XiOpA?feature=shared>
- https://youtu.be/_wq3jpl7GUc
- <https://youtu.be/MD86MGsBd8w>
- <https://youtu.be/g-C4R9YoE5w>



Wishing all the little Dipsites a joyful learning and Happy Holidays!

