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**Ms. Lalitha Naidu Injety,**

**Head of School, AWS Hyderabad**

### **Childhood is the most beautiful slice of life's seasons**

When we look at different phases of human life it can be broadly categorized into infancy, childhood, adulthood, and old age. When asked which is the best stage in life, most people say it is childhood. Infancy is a stage when one is too young to remember anything. It is a phase of life when there is complete dependence on the adult for support in all functions. But childhood is the most beautiful phase. One learns a lot, how to learn, how to behave, how to play, to develop hobbies, and many more, and that too without any stress and when the responsibility of earning, fending for the family, or taking the onus of saving for family emergencies does not rest on them.

When a survey was conducted and around 100 adults in an IT company were asked about the most beautiful phase in their life, 97 of them said it is childhood. Children, what we notice is many of you want to grow and become like your older siblings, parents, aunts, or uncles because you feel it's cool to be older, you can be more authoritative.

My advice to you children is to enjoy each phase of your life. If as a child you learn with focus, play with passion, sing, and dance, and draw masterpieces, you can grow up to be a well-balanced individual with the ability to multitask. Being set on the right track will enable you to find your purpose in life. Don't clutter your mind with unnecessary things, and keep a calm demeanour always. Enjoy the best phase of your life because you only have one in your lifetime.

**Ms Mary Gomes,**

**Head of Centre, Ambitus Kinder World**

We are heading towards the new year -the new beginning, as a part of an old tradition, we all make new year resolutions, I know we are all familiar with that and though we know most of the resolutions are forgotten the very next day, still we sit down to jot our list. This year dear children let's not waste our time predicting and planning for future but to look back and jot down our achievements we conquered and shortfalls where we gave up easily. We should diligently start working on all the missed opportunities and trying to figure out the root cause because remember the competition was never with others but with your own self. As a caterpillar evolves and gets its beautiful wings similarly you need to evolve to grow your own wings.

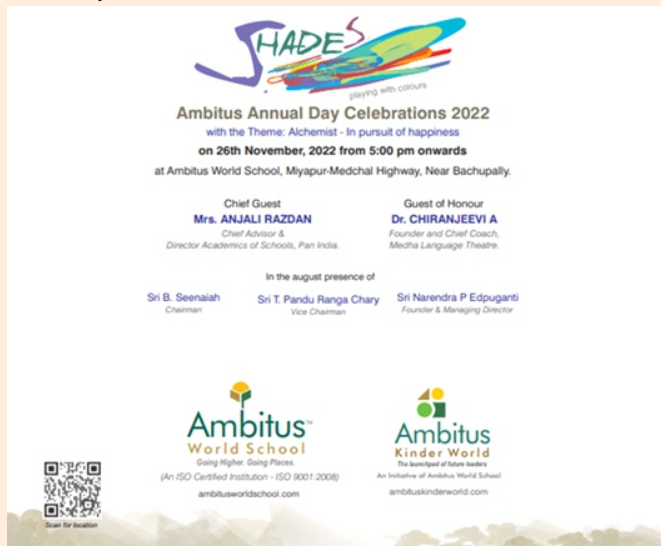
This time of the year ponder on the things that could have been done in a different and better way, whether it was maintaining relationship with friend and family or excelling in academics, participating in co-curricular activities or working on a new hobby, all that you actually wanted and gave up on, just think how you can fill the gaps and start working on them afresh this new year. New year does not always mean to start new things but it also means to see everything in a new way, finding how to become the butterfly you were meant to be in a new way, and not dropping the idea that you too can fly. You hold the power of endless potential but since we start focusing on many new things, we forget to master our real skills. This new year lets start from our roots and build it till we develop the wings- because remember each one of you were born to fly depends how soon you start working on yourself.

**Happy New Year to one and all, and happy new beginning.**



**SHADES 2022-23 - Ambitus World School**

Saturday, 26th November 2022 is a very important day in the annals of Ambitus World School, Hyderabad. This marks the opening of our Sports Arena, a new facility with a state-of-the-art cricket ground, indoor badminton court, squash court, lawn tennis court, tennikoit, pitching, cricket net practice, and children's play area. Mr. Chamundeswarinath, former Chairman of the BCCI Selection Committee unveiled the logo of Arino Ambitus Sports Academy and hoisted Ambitus Falcons' flag. It was an honor for senior sports coaches from all the FEI member schools to open different sports facilities. The inauguration was followed by the annual event, Shades.



Ambitus World School's annual event, Shades 2022-2023, provided a great platform for students to showcase their skills and talents. The event dedicated to the play "Al Chemist - In Pursuit of Happiness" set in the emerging world's victory after a devastating pandemic, sends a message to the public about the importance of happiness in life. Parents were in awe of the student's talents, and the event stood out as a highlight as students from all grades dazzled the audience with their stellar performances. In addition to the performances, Art Exotica, a visual treat meticulously crafted by students and art mentors from Ambitus World School, captivated the audience. Visitors find it both interesting and harmonious because the artworks are very balanced in color, composition, and style. The icing on the cake is a quiet and welcoming school atmosphere as the sky was ablaze with the setting sun.



The event was honored with Mr. Bollineni Seenaiah, Chairman of Futuristic Edu Initiatives, Mr. T. Pandu Ranga Chary, Vice Chairman of FEI, and Mr. E. Narendra Prasad, Founder and Managing Director of FEI. Ms. Lalitha Naidu, Principal of Ambitus World School, and Ms. Akshara Viramallu, Captain of the School, presented the Annual School Report. Dr. Chiranjeevi Ambaragonda, Founder and Head Coach of Medha Language Theatre, spoke about the importance of good parenting and the importance of recognizing student achievement and success. The evening's key guest, Ms. Anjali Razdan, Chief Advisor & Director of Academics of Schools pan India, offered thought-provoking

insights. She captivated the crowd by saying, "Excellence is not a destination but a never-ending journey". The program ended with a grand summation performance of AWS teachers and students celebrating the theme "Al Chemist - Pursuing Happiness".

**SHADES - Ambitus Kinder World**

Ambitus Kinder World organized their first annual day -SHADES themed Alchemist ...in pursuit of happiness, on 26 th November,2022 at Ambitus World School, Bachupally campus. This celebration took place in the presence of the Chief Guest Mrs. Anjali Razdan ,Sri. V. Chamundeswaranath , Guest of Honor Dr. Chiranjeevi A ,Chairman Sri. B. Seenaiah, Vice-chairman Sri. T. Pandu Ranga Chary , Founder and Managing Director Sri Narendra P Edpuganti and other eminent dignitaries. It was a true delight to witness the little munchkins dance on the beats and music taking the audience through the splendor of Spain, exuberant Columbia and the sands of Arabia leaving the awe-struck gathering shouting encore.



The center head of Ambitus Kinder World presented the Annual report enlightening the gathering about the best approach followed in the school. The chief guest and guest of honor addressed the gathering and held the gathering pondering on different aspects involved in present day academic and children development. The event was as vivid and vibrant as the name suggests SHADES, the riveting event fascinated everyone as it ferried us through the entire world visiting different countries in pursuit of happiness and in return captivating our eyes with the mesmerizing performances. The entire program was engrossing and scintillating.

**A Report on Annual Day, SHADES' 2022, AWS, Vijayawada**

Ambitus World School celebrated its 02nd Annual Day "SHADES" on December 17th, 2022

The programme commenced with the auspicious light of the ceremonial lamp by honourable chief guest Smt. Sarada Yarlagadda, Managing Director, Sarada Educational Institutions, Mr. Lakshmi Kantham, Retd. IAS, and Principal Mrs. Sudha P Sridevi. The occasion was graced by Shri Narendra Prasad Edpuganti, Mrs Jeevani, Mrs Manasa, Mr Vamsi Krishna.





The event started with a devotional dance performance to goddess Sarswati. Principal Mrs Sudha P Sridevi welcomed the chief guest and the special guest and delivered the Annual Report for the A.Y 2021-2022. Inspirational speeches by the chief guest and the special guest of the event, left the audience speechless, thought provoking, and felicitation of the guests followed.

Adhering to the SGD IV of UNESCO, a skit "Memoir - Decoding the holistic code" was performed by the students sending a strong and powerful message to the society including the 13 important aspects., viz.,

- ☞ Universal Pre-Primary Education.
- ☞ Access to Quality Early Childhood Development.
- ☞ Closing the Digital Divide: The Impact of COVID-19.
- ☞ Educational Jeopardy: The Impact of COVID-19.

Another thought-provoking and motivating speech was delivered by our SMT Member, MD Shri Narendra Prasad.

Finally, the vote of thanks was delivered by School girl Ms Jesvitha Rose acknowledged the efforts of students, teachers and supporting staff and thanked the esteemed guests for their precious time and presence. This was followed by the National Anthem as a tribute to our nation.

## ACADEMICS

### Mathematical Myths

Rote memorization has become redundant compared to giving a space for children to create, analyze and solve. Can math be colourful and vibrant? These grade 1 and 2 students learn the foundation of multiplication and data analysis by integrating them into their surroundings. The skills are taught and converted into beautiful learning materials of class. The class displays talk about the child's accomplishments, creating a space for more learning.



### SLC (Student Led Conference)

Student-led conferences are programs that encourage students to become teachers for a day and explain a concept or give a short demonstration on a topic of their choice. Every child contributes to the program either by being a part of the skit, being a part of the demonstration, guiding a tour, or contributing to the making of activities. Teachers and children have been working hard for the past few days towards the making of the program. As a part of SLC, students become teachers for a day and explain a concept or give a short demonstration on a topic of their choice. SLCs help boosts the confidence of students and uplifts their communication and presentation skills by challenging them. In today's program, every child is a part of this program either by being a part of the skit, by being a part of the demonstration, by being a part of the guiding tour, or by contributing to the making of the activities. We believe in recognizing the calibers of each student and encourage them to



place them accordingly in our presentations. We also have tried to integrate French, Hindi, and art to emphasize holistic learning at school. Every small or big contribution matters to us.



### Understanding my Body Movements and Positions

Body awareness is the internal body "map" that allows us to know where we are, what position we are in, and how we are moving at any given moment point.

Balance-building exercises help develop body awareness. Balance skills like head control, walking forward in a straight line, adjusting



movements, moving against gravity, Practicing quick direction changes, maneuvering simple obstacles, changing/tweaking regular movement patterns periodically, trying new ones, and performing composite movements help develop heightened body and spatial awareness.

Ambitus world school CEY kids get an opportunity to use their body and spatial awareness skills periodically at school. Let's encourage and involve our kids in these areas at home as well.

### MATH WEEK ACTIVITIES

**GRADE 6:** Activity for grade 6 children for the Math week was to craft pull up nets of polyhedrons. Pull up nets is a fantastic, fun way to learn how a net forms a polyhedron. I encourage students to craft with their friends and experience the wow moment when the net becomes solid. This activity built confidence in children regarding properties of 3D shapes and built team spirit. The pull up nets were presented to the class. Children enthusiastically demonstrated their nets and properties of the 3D shapes. This activity improved their communication skills as well. It proved that learners build knowledge quickly when the concept is implemented practically.





**GRADES 7 & 8:** As a part of Math week, grades 7 & 8 students of CAIE were involved in Math – crafting. Students came up with Art and craft ideas and activities which helped in reinforcing mathematical concepts like reasoning, analytical skills, problem-solving skills, measurement, and spatial awareness. They not only develop these skills in young students in a playful way but also tickle the curiosity of the young minds. In fact, many of the core skills in art and math are closely related. Both disciplines require spatial reasoning skills and the ability to recognize patterns. Students applied the concept of geometry in their work – including shapes, symmetry, proportion, and measurement.

**GRADE 7:** Grade 8 CAIE students organized seminars on famous mathematicians and their contributions. Students explored and gained knowledge of great minds, who were behind the mathematical concepts they are learning. It helps students develop a deeper understanding of mathematics by seeing how it was developed over time and in various places.

**GRADE 9:** Students of Grade IX IGCSE participated in different math activities, specially designed for their level during Math week. Students enjoyed a lot & participated in activities such as Origami Pyramid (modular origami), and Spiro lateral designs (using different geometrical shapes). Origami art form engaged students and sneakily enhanced their skills including improved spatial perception and logical and sequential thinking. Mathematics is all about discovering and explaining patterns and structure, but often the abstract concepts involved can be an obstacle to recognizing this fact. However, with spirolaterals, students understood the total turning angle for a spiro-lateral is the product of the turning angle and the number of segments. It gives the total angle turned when drawing one full cycle. Also, students explored the relationship between the total turning angle, the number of cycles in the spiro-lateral, and 360 degrees.

## SLC (Primary)

**"I never dreamed about success. I worked for it." -Estee Lauder**

The main aim of the Student Led Conference conducted on the 17th of Dec'22, was to empower each and every student to research, collaborate, cooperate and project their understanding in regard to the topic assigned to them. Each learner stood up to the occasion and came up with some extraordinary piece of work which was highly appreciated and commendable. It was a proud moment for the teachers to see their learners bathing in the praises that the parents showered on them. The entire primary segment could be seen bubbling with laughter and a sense of achievement. It was a day when we celebrated knowledge and showcased our learning through activities and subject-related models.



The Student Led Conference was so fun. All my friends presented their work and guided the discussion. All my classmates were so excited when they heard that all parents were invited. I participated in a quiz along with my friend Vihās. Many parents learned many things like the process of mummification, information in regards to Luxor and the Egyptian museum. My mother was very proud of me. We practiced so much and it was very admirable. The main attraction was the Egyptian traditional dance that left everyone mesmerized.

- Nera Karthik

## POSITIONAL WORDS.

Understanding positional words is quite a long process. At this age, children just learn how to use these words in everyday life, but focused learning is important. We learned positional words in the most effective way possible through play-based learning. This helped children to

remember as they had experienced with fun.

Positional language words refer to where things are positioned or where they appear in relation to other things. We also call these "prepositions,". Teaching kids this positional vocabulary through games and activities will help them grasp the concepts and give them some early mathematics and geography skills. Having an understanding of position in space and how things are positioned relative to each other is part of a child's visual perception and cognitive development.

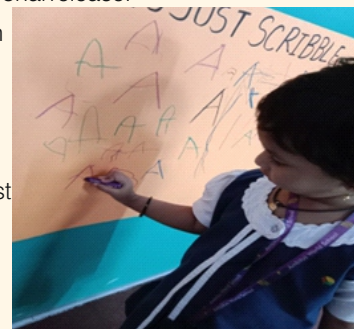


## SCRIBBLING ACTIVITY

Children are effective communicators, and in which creative arts like drawing and scribbling are the first steps. Scribbling supports muscle and hand-eye coordination, as well as emotional release.

Motor skills and hand-eye co-ordination improve, which makes their scribbling more controlled and purposeful.

Scribbling can have a huge positive impact on a child's development, not just as a pre-writing skill but also to develop language, reasoning, problem-solving, and relationships. We set out lots of



paper, pencils, crayons, and markers, so children can draw or scribble whenever they want.

## National Mathematics Day Celebrations at Ambitus World School, Vijayawada.

In India, December 22 is observed as National Mathematics Day in honour of Srinivasa Ramanujan, one of the country's best mathematicians (1887-1920). The account of Ramanujan's fascination with mathematics, who was born in 1887 in Erode, Tamil Nadu, is one of the most captivating tales that has been read, portrayed, and performed via numerous works of art.

Ramanujan was a self-taught mathematician who made extraordinary contributions to the field of mathematics. He is known for his contributions to the theory of numbers, which consist of pioneering discoveries of the properties of the partition function.

Every year National Mathematics Day is conducted to raise young learners' awareness of the science of numbers. At Ambitus World School in Vijayawada, National Mathematics Day was also observed with utmost fervour and vigour.

The Math Marathon, which was held over the course of 40 minutes, provided Ambitarians with the opportunity to apply the learned mathematical concepts. The students were encouraged to participate actively and come up with innovative solutions to the problems, thereby applying their prior knowledge and picking up new concepts.

During the special assembly, the story behind the Hardy-Ramanujan Number 1729 was reiterated by Mr. Rajesh, Mathematics Mentor; a quiz on quick math calculations was conducted in which students actively participated; and the most interesting aspect of the assembly was the skit with the theme "Math Matters in Everyday Life," under the supervision of Mrs. Sushma Avuthu, which was a hit with everyone.

- Mrs Sushma Avuthu, Mathematics Mentor, AWS, Vijayawada.

**CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY MEET**

HODs of Science & Math departments, Ms. Pratima & Ms. Jaya Lakshmi, GP faculty Mr. Sandeep, Examination Officer, Ms. Jaya Sri, and Cambridge Coordinator, Dr. Bhargavi from Ambitus World School attended the Cambridge community meet conducted at Delhi Public School, Nacharam on 19th November 2022. Cambridge community meets have always provided a platform where we have learned together, shared best practices, and helped each other succeed. The Community Meet started with a Welcome address followed by the lighting of the lamp with a welcome dance. Poulami Ghosh, Manager, Cambridge International, provided an overview of Cambridge updates. The Heads of Schools and Coordinators participated in a panel discussion regarding the evaluation of the impact of COVID-19. A presentation on marketing and recognition was delivered by Mr. Dilip Kottapadath, Regional Manager of Cambridge International. The Heads of Departments and subject professionals from different subjects each sat in a different room and discussed in detail the Cambridge Lower Secondary syllabus updates, English, Maths, and Science, as well as the Cambridge Primary syllabus updates, English, Maths, and Science. It's a great learning experience for all of us.



**CIALFO CAREER ORIENTATION SESSION - Grades 9 & 10**

It was a great opportunity for the Parents and students of Grades 9 and 10 to attend the career orientation session by CIALFO at Ambitus world school on Dec 3rd, 2022 by Ms. Priyanka Reddy, Student Education Advisor, CIALFO. The guest speaker was Mr. Abhishek

who presented a talk on Data analysis. Career counseling is a process that helps individuals identify and explore career options, make informed decisions about their future, and develop strategies to achieve their goals. It can be helpful at any stage of life, but it is especially beneficial for young people. It also helps the students

to navigate the job market, overcome obstacles to career success, and build a satisfying and successful career. The session gave a clear picture of the different streams of subjects available after secondary school. It also gave an insight view of the new mushrooming career options in different fields like Game development, data science, robotics and bioengineering (under the science stream), business management, investment management, CA (under the commerce stream),

communication, fashion designing, film making, social media blogging, psychology and content writing (under arts stream). It was a very enriching session for students which helped them understand the different subject options and



career options available in the job market.

**Grades 7 & 8**

A much-needed session on different career paths available to students, which match each individual's interest and passion was taken up by CIALFO @ Ambitus World School Hyderabad on Saturday 17th December 2022 in the Broadcast room at the School campus. Students of grades 7 & 8 along with their parents attended the session which was taken up by Ms. Priyanka Reddy from CIALFO. The session gave a chance to discuss the available opportunities for the students and also the need to pursue a career in a stream that students are not only passionate about but also which has a wider scope in this competitive world. Students as well as parents participated very actively in the session. Students participated in a quiz to find their passion, and then to find career paths in the area of their passion.

"Choose a job you love, and you will never have to work a day in your life".  
- Judy Romano

**A tool kit for adolescence**

On 20th December 2022 from 9:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M., a wonderful session was scheduled for moms and daughters by Dr. Jyotsna, a renowned gynecologist, in the Broadcast room at Ambitus World School for grades 5-9. As educators, we are aware of the importance of educating girls about aspects of adolescence. During this growing stage of life, children should be aware of their bodies and how to take care of them. They also need to understand what a good touch is and what a bad touch is and how to protect themselves from bad touches. We had Dr. V. P. Jyotsna, an eminent gynecologist who qualified 6th in the country to join JIPMER, Pondicherry for her MBBS and obtained her M.D. degree in Obstetrics and Gynecology from the same college. She has 13 years of experience dealing with all cases of pregnancy and childbirth. Our beloved Principal Ms. Lalitha Naidu briefed the children about the session. Dr. V.P. Jyotsna covered all the important aspects of a girl's life in her presentation: Hormones, secondary sexual characteristics, Menstruation, and PMS signs, and also made our young girls understand the difference between good and bad touch. Despite the fact that she was overwhelmed with the doubts of the girls, she answered all the questions of the children and parents with great patience. It was a total enlightenment session.



**GYM TIME**

It is always a delight to see the little ones reach for the sky and conquer new feats every day, at AKW our learners always learn new things whether it is the different walks, steps or exercise, with the help of their gym instructor our young learners indulged in pyramid formation, balancing on each other and maintaining the right body posture. It is always enthralling to witness the little ones stand out beyond our expectation. Our little ones prove us repeatedly that there is nothing that they can't achieve or attain if they wish to.





## FUN TIME LEARNING

Learning nowadays is beyond talk and teach and chalk and talk, it is more interactive and involved, little ones in AKW learn concepts doing it by themselves, they invent and discover with the help of their teachers, leaning can be through games and activities too where the little ones learn the interactive way out of the boundaries of the books. They learn to follow instructions and give instructions. CEY learners of AKW indulge in fun filled learning activities throughout the week as a part of the ongoing learning process that not only instills in them the love for learning but also helps them develop overall. They prove that if teachers love to teach then they love to learn.



## AMBILEAP – AWS 2022-23

Ambitus World School, Hyderabad hosted “Ambileap”, an Inter-School Sports Competition on the 9th and 10th of December 2022, in the sprawling sports facility, the Arino. The Chief Guest for the event was Mr. Sathish Goud who currently serves as the secretary for the Taekwondo Federation of India and also the President of the Telangana Taekwondo Association. During the ceremony, the Chief Guest hoisted the school

flag while the choir sang the school song. School sports achievers who brought the laurels in a variety of inter-school sports at District, State levels carried the school torch.

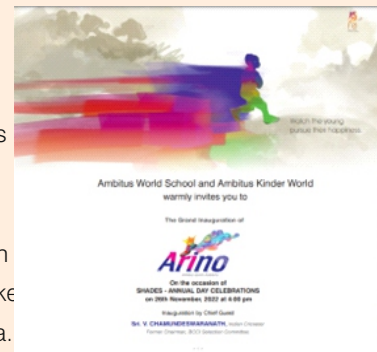


The Chief Guest applauded the School Principal, Ms. Lalitha Naidu, for outstanding achievements. Subsequently, the four House Contingents of Ambitus World School presented a spectacular and well- synchronized March Past. Twenty schools from across the city participated in this glorious event and the March Past. The 'Ambileap' was declared open by our Chief Guest, Mr. Satish Goud followed by releasing of balloons, to mark the expression of joy and merriment. Both the Principal and the Chief Guest spoke about the importance of sports in the lives of children. The school's complex was overflowing with zeal, passion, and excitement with over 20 schools taking part in Ambileap. The students displayed a wide array of energy and bounciness by participating in sports ranging from basketball, football, skating, swimming, track events, lawn tennis, cricket, badminton, and Taekwondo. They mesmerized the audience with their energetic performances. In recognition of the accomplishments of each of the winners, our beloved Principal Ms. Lalitha Naidu presented them with gold, silver, and bronze medals.



## ARINO SPORTS ACADEMY INAUGURATION

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Needless to say, sports make us healthy and strong and not only teach us to celebrate victory, but also accept defeat with grace. Such lessons at a later stage lay a firm foundation for success in life. The event was graced by the august presence of the galaxy of intellectuals' honorable chairman, Mr. Bollineni Seenaiah, Vice chairman, Mr. T. Pandu Ranga Chary, Managing Director, Visionary, and our guiding star, Mr. Narendra Prasad,



our beloved principal, Ms. Lalitha Naidu, Ms. Naveena, Management executive FEI, and Ms. Jeevni, Chief Operations Officer FEI. The chief guest of this magnificently glorious day, Mr. Chamundeshwarinath, former Chairman of the BCCI Selection Committee unveiled the logo of Arino Ambitus Sports Academy and hoisted Ambitus Falcons' flag.

An inauguration ribbon was cut at the main entrance of the Arino Ambitus Sports Academy and the plaque depicting the Badminton court was unveiled by Mr. V. Chamundeshwarnath. I must say that the passion for cricket in our country knows no bounds. It was our privilege to have our eminent



chief guest inaugurated the cricket ground and as part of the inaugural festivities, our chief guest, chairman, and vice chairman played cricket for a while. The opening of various sports facilities was an honor for senior sports coaches Mr. G. Nageshwar Reddy, Mr. Rati Subhakar, Mr. Praveen Naik, Mr. Dharavath Naresh, Ms. Swetha, Mr. Trinadh, Mr. Hanmanthu, Mr. Dinesh, Mr. Manikanta from all the member schools of the FEI. Our school band provided a salute to all dignitaries as part of the guard of honor.



## MOCK TED

"Let thy speech be better than silence" goes an old adage. We here at Ambitus World school will be holding the Youth edition of the TED x event for a consecutive second year. Prior to this, a Mock TED Event was organized on 19th November to select a set of 4 finalists among our 20 students who were successful in completing all explorations.



The event was started with a welcome address given by the Principal Ms. Lalitha Naidu, who not only heartily welcomed the parents but also congratulated all the student club members who participated wholeheartedly to achieve this feat. The students exhibited their articulation skills by displaying confidence in their talk.

It was a morning well spent for the parents as they got to see their wards present their talk exceptionally well. The event ended with a photo session to take back memories of the day.

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The festival of light, joy, and happiness symbolizes Christmas, the day that marks the birth of Jesus Christ. The melodious tune of jingle bells and the ho-ho ho laugh of Santa Claus rejuvenate the mood and exhilarate the

intensity of the celebration. Ambitus celebrated Christmas on 23rd just a day before the holidays, with all its children and staff.

The best part of the whole program was "Our little and old Santa on cycle". It was a picture-perfect moment and a pleasure to see Santa on a cycle ride. To add glory to the whole program our choir team mesmerized the audience with some carols. Kids were seen performing an amazing skit depicting sharing and caring concepts and taking us through the significance of Christmas. The little pre and primary kids were seen enjoying and dancing to the beautiful songs on Christmas. Flash mobs by teachers have become the pride and USP of our school. Every time we surprise the audience with their moves and sweet smiles. The school wore a festive look with bells, streamers, and a beautifully decorated Christmas tree. Several activities such as decorating Christmas trees, making Christmas cards, and home connection activities on sharing and caring activities were organized for the students. The boundless joy on the campus during the celebration was much felt and visible.



## Christmas Eve @ AWS, VJA

This year, our Ambitus World School had planned a Christmas celebration on December 23rd. The event was hosted on the campus of our school. A Santa Claus figurine, a tree topper, reindeer, a Christmas tree, etc. were among the elegant decorations at the school. The instructors and students were all incredibly enthusiastic and filled with excitement for the event. Students who participated in the special assembly conducted came in colourful dresses. At 8:30 a.m., the ceremony's assemblage got underway. After then, a series of events including a play commemorating the birth of Christ and special dances were performed. One of them was a play that a group of kids performed that had a Christmas-related theme. After then, a man dressed as Santa Claus arrived carrying a big pouch with many gifts.

Throughout the school, Santa Claus was seen distributing gifts to all the little children. Jingle Bells was playing in the background as well.





The principal, ma'am, came on to the stage after all the programs had concluded and presented gifts to CEY pupils who had performed very well in the Math Marathon as well as to kids who had done well in the prior competitions. The principal then wished everyone a very Merry Christmas and gave a brief message to inspire them..

## RAINBOW & NEW YEAR DAY @ CEY, AWS, VJA

Colors are truly the smiles of nature. Identifying colours and breaking the colour code is a skill developed in the early years, enhancing their cognitive understanding. Our Ambi sprogs memorised the experiences and achievements of the past year, created new hopes in young minds, and celebrated Rainbow Day and the new year by spreading their smiles and representing them in various activities. Children came to the school, and they were dressed up in different shades of rainbow. The morning assembly started with the stimulation of colours, which enabled them to think and say that they were into Rainbow Day celebrations.

Teachers posed questions to understand the students' observations of nature, colours, and how they are connected. Children described the formation of raindrops and their visibility in the sky. The CEY'S corridor was decorated with rainbow-colored crafts which brought beautiful colours on their faces, and it was all colourful smiles. They were enthralled and recited various rhymes from the rainbow and new year's songs. Children showed their enthusiasm and were engaged with different crafts and hands-on activities, level-wise. Students prepared New Year's greeting cards for their parents as a takeaway by integrating rainbow colours. The footprint butterfly activity made children interested and helped them improve their creative skills. They even proved how they developed visual intuition by participating in colour days in the previous months. They picked up different coloured papers, made them into small pieces, and made colourful heart collages, such as the "VIBGYOR" form.



Finally, they were energized by the new year's group dance and had a fun-filled day, which was an excellent learning experience to enhance their visual perceptions.

**- Mrs G. Santhosh Lakshmi,  
CEY-2 Alpha – Mentor**



## RAINBOW CELEBRATION

As the color tells it is rainbow, a culmination of different hues that stand together as one, similarly the little ones coming from different spheres of life and blend with each other to create a oneness, the little munchkins of Ambitus Kinder World joined together in the rainbow day

celebration, where the CEY-1 learners made their own miniature rainbow the CEY 2& 3 participated in painting using rainbow colors. Children understood the VIBGYOR- order of rainbow and why they occur in this order. Everything big and small is a joy to human eyes and rainbow is only an example of that joy.



## Awards & Achievements

### Cambridge Inter School Competitions

Ambitus World School as a part of Cambridge Community organized Cambridge Inter-School Competitions on December 3rd, 2022. Ambitus World School was excited to organize Spell – Bee Competition (Be an un BEE-lievable Speller), Best out of waste (How to create something out of nothing?), and Quiz Competition (Dip into the quiz bowl). Cambridge Schools from Hyderabad participated and showcased their skills in all the events. The inaugural session started with the lighting of the lamp by Special Judges followed by an introductory speech by our beloved Principal. Spell bee was conducted in two rounds, dictation round and spell bee round. Ms. Vinitha Raj Singh, an English language expert with a wealth of experience in the field of education acted as a judge. Best out of the waste encouraged children to show their creativity with waste material. Participants were judged on



creativity, utilization of resources, artistic composition & design, eco-friendly rating, the utility of the product, and overall presentation. Ms. Anitha Khosla, an excellent trainer acted as a Judge for this event. The quiz competition was based on General Awareness, Logical reasoning, and questions related to the English language, Math and Science. The first general round is followed by a rapid-fire round and winning teams were selected based on the buzzer and audiovisual rounds. Participation certificates were distributed to all the children from different Schools. Felicitation of the winners was done by our Principal Ms. Lalita Naidu. Winners were awarded gold, silver, and bronze medals along with Certificates of achievement.

## Student Corner

### A winning experience By Lochan Grade3 Indigo

Three weeks ago, I had the privilege of taking part in a Cambridge inter-school competition. First, a screening skating contest was held in our school. Around twenty students participated. We all had performed well, but the final result had the names of the best three participants only. My joy knew no bounds, when I saw my name in the list. I had no idea that I would be selected. I had done well, no doubt, but to represent my school in an inter-school competition was a very big responsibility. The competition was a month away. I started preparing

myself earnestly. I wanted to win laurels for my school. It did not matter to me if I did not win, but at the same time, I wanted to earn a good reputation for my school. My father helped me a lot during my practices.

The day of the competition dawned my spirits sagged but my parents encouraged me saying I was sure to get success. I reached school, where the competition was scheduled to be held. There were many contestants from different schools, all waiting with bated breaths, for the competition to commence. The judges arrived, and the rules of the contest were told. There were fifty students from prestigious schools.

As my category turn was approaching, I felt sweet beads breaking out on my forehead. Although I was well prepared, I could not help feeling nervous. My category was called out and I approached the stadium. Before starting, I prayed in my mind, asking God to help me.



I started skating without thinking of anything. At the end of three hours, the contest came to a close. At last one of the judges came to the dais. As he announced the result, there was loud applause. There were three prizes: gold, silver and bronze medals along with a certificate of achievement. My name led the list of prize winners! I was so overjoyed that tears rolled down my eyes. I received my prize and went home as a proud winner! I was so overjoyed that tears came to my eyes. Thinking that I had brought honour to the school.

## Missing the Human Touch @ School

On this day i.e., 11th Dec 2022, Kelly a 12yr old girl had a usual day at school. She went to her school on an electric bike, which does not need to be controlled. Every student in the school had a cabin and a personal monitor. Their lessons were taught by robots. They stay in their cabin the whole day, even for lunch. Even though sports were played in the cabin, they played sports online, and they have no idea they play sports in real life too. Kelly had a best friend, Evie, has been her neighbour since she met no one at school. Kelly was very excited as Evie came over for a sleepover the next day.

The next day she got on her bike and went to school, having a boring day as usual. At last, Evie came, and they both were very excited. That night, they wanted to make brownies, so they prepared the batter and kept it ready. That is when Kelly's little brother's buddy pushed the batter and ran. Kelly and Evie got mad and ran behind him. He went and hid in the storeroom; the girls also went there in search of Buddy, but something grabbed their attention—it was a diary.

Kelly and Evie started going through that diary and found out it was Kelly's grandmother's diary. Out of everything, one page grabbed their interest.

School memories

I still remember that day when I started dreaming about the things that I will do after school ends while the class is going on. And can you guess what happened? The teacher called my name and asked me to answer the question. And now, I didn't even know the answer. I was so worried about it. But anyway, my friend helped me.

I also used to enjoy covering my notebooks with brown paper at the start of each school year.

I always wanted to become the duster in charge because that person is always in demand. Every teacher calls him/her to rub the board. One day in our class, the teacher organized the elections for the same and I won in that. Oh, man, you know what? I was feeling on top of the world. I felt that I am very famous in my class because every subject teacher remembered my name.

When I used to forget to do my homework, I gave elaborate excuses to my teacher as to why I was not able to complete it. The common excuse that I used to give was "I wasn't able to understand all the questions" whereas the main reason was not that.

I can never forget those school trips. It really did not matter where you were

going, the best part about the school trip was the bus ride. Me and my friends used to sing so loudly on the bus during school trips.

Lunchtime used to be the best part of the day. No, not because of the food but, it was a break from all those boring lectures and a chance to hang out with your besties.

After reading all this Kelly and Evie felt very jealous. They wished that they could also enjoy those moments, but their school was just so boring! And Kelly was so amused by their life. She got to know that humans used to teach and sometimes they do not even have to take lectures when the teacher is absent. And it seems that when their class monitor used to tell them that the principal is about to come, then their whole class used to maintain pin-drop silence at that time. It seems like no one is in the class. And as soon as the principal used to go back to her office then they all used to shout and make a lot of noise.

Kelly and Evie wished their school life would also be the same and went to sleep.

- D. Siri Sahasra, Grade 7 Beta - AWS, VJA

## Art

A wide variety of human actions are considered to be art, and the end result incorporates creative or inventive skill that expresses technical mastery, beauty, emotional heft, or philosophical concepts. The concept of art has not been universally agreed upon, and there are many



different ways that it might be understood throughout time and civilizations. Painting, sculpture, and architecture are the three traditional categories of visual art in Western culture. A larger definition of the arts includes literature, music, cinema, dance, and other performing arts as well as other media like interactive media. The term "art" was used interchangeably with the terms "crafts" and "sciences" until the 17th century.

The fine arts are separated from learned abilities in general, such as the ornamental or applied arts, in modern usage after the 17th century, where aesthetic concerns are predominant. Aesthetics is a discipline of philosophy that examines the nature of art and related ideas like creativity and interpretation.

Dip nibs are made to offer a certain kind of line or variety of lines that the artist may utilise to achieve their desired artistic impact. We can't mention every type of dip pen nib because there are so many different types. The two types of most popular dip nibs are pointed and wide point. The term alludes to the nib's tip.

- Ms Likitha - Grade VII, AWS, Vijayawada.

## Me & My "Shades"

Annual Day at Ambitus World School is completely different from other places because of the way it is planned and executed, which is highly appreciable. The beauty is that every child in the school is given an equal opportunity to participate in the activities that are conducted. Students of all grades will be given a chance to showcase their talents, in the most novel way possible.

Every coin has two faces, and as humans, we need to always be ready to face the worst. It was like a war zone, and everyone was rigorously practising, and our teachers were conducting continuous run-throughs; it was all like Area 51. In the name of rain, we had an intruder who killed our spirits. I am an ambitarian and unstoppable person. I took it as a blessing in disguise, and it was a great second chance for me to prove myself. At last, the day arrived, with deep breaths and boosted confidence, I stepped onto the dais.

I got a beautiful platform, where my dancing skills were intertwined with a skit. Normally dances are performed only with a BGM, but at my school I had a wonderful scope for performing my dance and exhibiting my



emotions for a beautiful purpose. Being a girl, raising my voice against girl issues is a fantastic opportunity, and that too in front of a huge gathering. What else do I need? I really felt that I was communicating to the world and representing the entire girl community. Finally, I could say that Shades made me feel proud, and I am grateful to my school for providing such a fantastic platform and opportunity.

- Ms Veda Sri - Grade V, AWS, Vijayawada.

## Teacher Corner

### PLAN or PLAIN

**Everybody enjoys novelty. Novelty naturally attracts our thoughts.**

One of the most well-liked days of the year for individuals to "reset" their life with resolutions is New Year's Day. Others vow to do well in their

studies, while some pledge to banish negativity. But why do individuals set resolutions, and what is it about the New Year that inspires hope for such change? Resolutions for the new year are usually a nice idea. A clean slate and a new beginning provide the chance for transformation. When you make a commitment to change, whether verbalised or not, you begin the process of achieving your objectives. Change may be a difficult journey with many potholes. Being persistent is essential for success. What brings about transformation is navigating the ups and downs. It involves mastering adaptability, flexibility, and, most importantly, self-kindness. When you fail, don't give up. Make a fresh plan and put it on paper. Details are crucial to success. Our minds are essentially programmed to value and seek out novelty.

- Mrs Tulasi Prasanthi B, English Mentor, Grade V - AWS, VJA

## Upcoming Events/ Happenings

### Ambitus World School - Hyderabad

- Jan 7th 2023 – Junior Ambileap
- Jan 8th 2023 – TEDx at Ambitus
- Jan 12th 2023 – Pongal Celebrations
- Jan 13th to 16th – Sankranthi Holidays
- Jan 21st 2023 – Star Meet, CEY theme assembly
- Jan 28th 2023 – Junior MUN
- Jan 17th to 28th – Pre-Board IGCSE
- Jan 26th – Republic Day Celebrations

### Ambitus World School - Vijayawada

#### CAIE

- 6th January 2023: Pongal Celebrations
- 6th to 16th January 2023: Sankranthi Holidays
- 21st January 2023: TED Ed Mock Event
- 21st to 30th January 2023: Mid Term Exams
- 26th January 2023: Republic Day

#### CBSE

- 6th January 2023: Pongal Celebrations
- 6th to 16th January 2023: Sankranthi Holidays
- 21st January 2023: TED Ed Mock Event
- 18th Jan. to 1st Feb. 2023: SA II - Grade IX
- 26th January 2023: Republic Day

### Ambitus Kinder World - CEY

- 6th to 16th January 2023: Sankranthi Holidays
- 26th January 2023: Republic Day

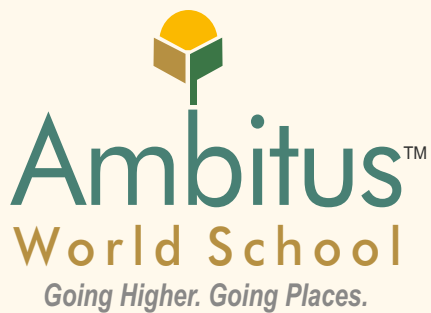
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