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Ms Sudha. P. Sridevi, Principal, AWS Vijaywada

A Walk in the Park...

"You go for self and wait for none Fight it out all but one You may loose

path but never be afraid River may change path and course not straight.." From 'You go alone' by Hasmukh Amathaal School provides opportunities for growth and development, every academic year adds a drop of knowledge into the learning you have accumulated. You may walk alone, you may have to fight it out all alone. Righteousness never fails, it may be delayed. As you move on from your initial days and set into the curriculum, influences will be many in your path. Choose the right one and move ahead.

The delight of learning shows pathways where we will find our passion. To reach heights of our ability we need to choose and work on all the fundamentals that are exposed to us. Learning is to build a base on which we can develop our passion. Classes designed to make us work helps to get first hand experience on lessons taught. Discussions project our mental strength to think in diverse ways. Numbers predict our valour in talking about dimensions and money. Looking deep into ourselves and reflecting on our learning helps build a strong base in extending our intellect.

With a promise to ourselves that we will do better this year and walk the learning park as better individuals than our previous selves, let us march ahead to prove ourselves better than us.

Ms. Lalitha Naidu Injetty, Principal, AWS Hy derabad

The power of motivation and encouragement.

Motivation is one of the most powerful tools a parent or teacher can use. It is the key to unlocking innate potential in children. Below is a look at the power of encouragement and some simple steps that parents and educators can take to encourage students during the learning process.

As an educator or parent, your words and actions have the ability to lift students up or break them down. Encouraging words and actions are motivating for students and have the power to make them strive to succeed.

Simple Ways to motivate students

There is no single mantra for encouraging students to succeed. Every child is unique and will respond differently to encouragement. However, there are some universal ways to show encouragement. Below are some simple ways you can take to encourage students to succeed.

Create a Culture of Encouragement.

The path to student confidence begins by creating a culture of encouragement. Teachers and parents can build a culture of encouragement by embodying the belief that every student has potential and is the ability to accomplish their goals.

Focus on students' positive behaviours and actions as opposed to their negative ones.

Provide Verbal Praise When children show Progress

Keeping students on the right track once they demonstrate progress is vital to helping them achieve their goals. Providing verbal praise is a great way to offer encouragement to students who show progress throughout the learning journey.

Offer Tangible Forms of Encouragement

Tangible forms of encouragement give students a visual reminder that they have the power to learn and succeed. They are especially effective when used sparingly or in moderation after students achieve learning milestones in the classroom. Here are a few tangible forms of encouragement that can inspire students to continue to work toward their goals. A certificate, a medal, a star or a pencil or anything physically visible to the child.

Students are accustomed to being recognised for achieving major learning accomplishments and milestones. For instance, students typically receive praise when they learn how to read, complete a grade, or graduate from elementary school or high school. However, a true culture of encouragement involves praising students for small achievements and modest improvements in their efforts.

Children! even you need to keep in mind that nothing comes without effort. Do not give without trying. Always stay focussed on your effort. Results will come. Motivation is also innate. So far as students are concerned please,

"Focus on the journey, not the destination. Joy is found not in finishing an activity but in doing it." – Greg Anderson

SPOTLIGHT

Investiture Ceremony

Leaders elected represent democracy with rule of the people. Students are given the opportunity to elect their representatives. The elected student council took their oath on July 1st, 2022. Dr. P. Johnson, Director of Physical Education and Sports, Nagarjuna University took the guard of honour and gave the oath to the elected members. Ms. Jeshvita, School Head girl, of Grade 10 promised to be a bridge between the students and the school leadership and do justice in bringing laurels to Ambitus. The other student council members who took oath along with Ms. Jesvitha were School Vice-Captain - Ms Sai Lipika, along with the Sports Captain - Ms Lasya Sri. B, Sports Vice Captain - Suhas. N, Cultural Captain - Ms. Sri Chaitra. M, House Captains, and House Vice Captains. The council was then presented with the badges and sashes. The March past by the elected council members and house representatives was a treat to the eyes.

A garland of motivational words was delivered by the esteemed guest Dr P Johnson. In his speech, guided Student Council Members to be role models and render their responsibilities sincerely as the nation builders of tomorrow, and proud to be Indians. He also advised the students to inculcate the values of punctuality, dedication, discipline, and determination as they are the torch-bearers of tomorrow.

It's a proud moment for all dedicated teachers, as their efforts to guide and enrich the students were highly appreciated and recognized with a token of appreciation.

The event was well managed by MCs Mr Krivi, and Mr Jayatej and concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr Trivikram, thanking each one for their extended support. Respecting the practice, the gracious event came to an end with the National Anthem, sung by the School Choir.

Mr. Karthik Y, ELDP Mentor, AWS VJA









Investiture ceremony... The leadership journey

Lisa Haisha quotes, "Great leaders don't set out to be LEADERS. They set out to make a DIFFERENCE. It's never about a role. It's always about the goal."

Ambitus World School, Hyderabad, celebrated the Investiture Ceremony for its newly appointed Student Council, for the academic session 2021-22, on Saturday 02nd July 2022. It was organised with all its grandeur. The ceremony had esteemed Chief Guest Shri T. Panduranga Chary, the Vice-Chairman of FEI, gracing the occasion, to bestow responsibilities on the deserving young talents of the school to lead from the front with their commitment, confidence and competence.

The event began with the lighting of the pious lamp accompanied by a mesmerising welcome song to invoke the deity.

It was the moment where the young students were all prepared to don the mantle of leadership and discharge the responsibilities entrusted to them by the school. The Student Council is formed to inculcate the leadership qualities in students and to give them a feel of being an important and also an integral part of the administrative body. The members of the student council vowed to live by a famous quote by Warren Bennis, "A leader is one who knows the way, shows the way and goes the way."

The programme was presided by our Principal Ms. Lalitha Naidu. She congra--tulated the newly elected members of the student council 2021-22. In her address, she termed a prefect's tenure as a period of competitive and cooperative learning where they are expected to carry out their duties with a strong sense of commitment. She also emphasised upon the need of proper vision and care while delegating their duties because with authority comes responsibility. Chief guest Shri T. Panduranga Chary administered the oath taking ceremony. The leaders pledged to uphold the school's motto of Loyalty, Truth and Honour in high esteem. We congratulate and wish the leaders great prospects.

Our new cabinet members in NIE newspaper:



Ms. Soumya M, English HOD

The Grand Inauguration of Broadcast- Our Audio-Visual Room

On the 16th of July all the staff members of Ambitus World School gathered to inaugurate the brand new Audio Visual room significantly named as Broadcast. The room was designed to be predominantly utilised for organising exceptional events like TEDx, Metamorphosis, MUN and many more. Additional usage of this remarkable digital room is for students to present their thoughts and ideas in the form of presentations. Our programme was graced with the presence of our Chairman Sri Bollineni Seenaiah, our Vice Chairman Sri T. Pandu Ranga Chary, our founder & MD Sri Narendra P Edpuganti, our Principal Mrs.Lalitha Naidu, Principals of The Creek School and The Seeds School and the SMT members. The invocation dance followed by our Principal address, Solo dance, Chairman Sir's speech and Solo song turned our event into a grand success.









Ms. Shreya, English Mentor

Academics

CEY Corner - HYD

RED COLOUR DAY

The RED COLOUR DAY celebrations at Vijayawada on 29th June 2022, were celebrated with great fervour. It was an eye feast to see the RED ARMY of AMBITOTS displayed in mesmerising shades of red in unique attires. The colour day at Ambitus is more academic, research-oriented and also an approach to the aspect of colour psychology.

It was a thrilling experience for the tots, to witness the red decor, at school and the kick off took place, with an interactive discussion about the prominence of the red day. There is no holds barred for the energy and enthusiasm of the tots. Their participation was indeed a visual treat for the viewers. Activities like rhymes recitation, story sessions, show and tell, and craft making under the guidance of teachers were conducted and it was a wonderful opportunity for the tots to display their talents and learn things. Participation in games and fun activities like sorting and classifying the objects will surely aid in enhancing skill enhancement, logical and cognitive skills of children. The entire celebration gave them a deep insight about the importance of the colour red. They also came to know that red is associated with love, sensitivity, joy, strength, leadership, etc.





- Ms. Santosh Lakshmi CEY Mentor, AWS VJA

Doctors' Day

A doctor is the one who gives us hope when we are racked and ruined. They are blessed with eyes which see and treat the weakness of humankind. Keeping all these in mind we thought of extending our love and gratitude towards the doctors' fraternity for always being ready in saving lives and helping mankind. Since July 1st is commemorated as National Doctor's Day in India therefore we decided to call one of our parent doctors Ms. Lavanya Garapati . She had an insightful interaction with our young learners, educated them about personal hygiene and together they did a few exercises.





- From AKW Hyd

Yellow colour day celebration at Ambitus world school.

Yellow is the star....

Yellow is the Sun....

Yellow is the moon...

When the day is done...

Yellow is the Mango, King of the fruits,

Yellow is the Sun that smiles at you!!!

Yellow day was celebrated on July 22nd 2022, Friday at Ambitus World School. Yellow is the colour of optimism, glory, sunshine and happiness. It stands for freshness, positivity, intellect and joy. The motive of celebrating this day was to make the students aware of the colour yellow, its

significance and to develop fine motor skills among the pre-primary students. Focusing on the theme, CEY teachers conducted the art and classroom activities followed by displaying the art work on the boards. The bulletin boards were reverberated with quotes, appealing posters highlighting the essence of yellow colour.

Cheerful children attired in yellow outfits were sparkling with optimism, enlightenment and happiness. Beams of yellow shades carried the promise of a positive future flashing creative thoughts in the young minds. They spent the day with utmost enjoyment.





CEM Baseline Assessment

Baseline assessment gives an objective measure of the student's aptitudes and skills, at the point they are tested. Using a good & standardised baseline assessment at the start of the year provides independent information on students' potential and progress to identify their learning needs and development. Effectively assessing every child holistically and systematically requires great skill and expertise. It takes time, practice, and ongoing reflection by every practitioner. But it helps the practitioner to make the best possible decisions to set realistic and motivational targets and focus on their progress. Cambridge baseline assessments cover the skills that are most important for supporting the students' success in all subjects. This assessment is not subject-specific but measures the cognitive ability of each child. These individual reports are helpful for the practitioner to tailor the teaching and learning strategies to develop their skills in all aspects of learning.





Plunging Ambitots

"The water is your friend.....you don't have to fight with water, just share the same spirit as the water, and it will help you move." — Alexandr Popov.





Our sprogs here at Ambitus, VJA started nurturing their heaving skills under the able guidance of our mentor Mr. Srikanth. It was a difficult skill for them in the initial days. Later on, students started to master the skills through their flutter kicks and strokes. The long wait to splash and swim, has come to an end. The pool is kept open for the students to learn, nurture and display their skills of swimming.

Students started to participate in the sessions actively and moreover they are eagerly waiting for these sessions. These sessions of swimming are a great time for them as they are rejuvenating themselves and gearing up for the academic activities.

Their fears and inhibitions were left outside the pool and the moment they splash into the water, it's all their attention on the locomotion and manoeuvring in the water. It's all in their words and their opinion about swimming sessions is "The importance of learning how to swim will increase confidence and stamina".

- Mr. Karthik Sai Lakshman Y, ELDP Mentor, AWS Vja

Gym time

There are numerous benefits of physical activities and rightly said-physically active students are healthier and happier. Our little ones participate in several exercises like Tiger-walk, Frog- jump, Duck-walk etc along with other exercise to develop their fitness levels. Regular physical exercise helps them remain healthy and improve cognitive performance.





- From AKW Hyd

Blue Day Celebration!!

The colour of the ocean, the colour of the sky, the shades of blue is what we see'. Blue colour day was celebrated in the midst of rain here at Ambitus, Vijayawada. A boat in the deep blue ocean was the concept that was highlighted as the backdrop for the students' understanding about the depth of the colour that symbolises loyalty, wisdom, confidence, intelligence and truth. 22nd July 2022 the campus was filled to shades of blue as teachers and students presented themselves in shades of blue. Students brought objects of blue colour while teachers made crowns, sea animals and Masquerade as takeaways. Students had stories, rhymes and dance to enjoy the day. With heavy rain showering its blueness on earth, the day truly created the 'out of blue' atmosphere in the campus.



- Ms. M. Pravallika, CEY-3 Beta Mentor, AWS Vijayawada

Eid-UL-Fitr Celebration

Eid-UL-Fitr -Know to be the festival of brotherhood and love, was celebrated in Ambitus with irrepressible positive feeling. The teachers explained and made the young minds understand the importance and essence of the festival, followed by greeting and hugging each other to express love and brotherhood. little Ambitarians enjoyed doing full-filled activity and spent their day in a delightful way before wishing adieu



Student Led Conference

At the Student-Led Conference, I felt that there was a white elephant in the room, but in fact it was an eye opener for me. Target setting channelised my thoughts and helped me and my parents to set a goal for my holistic development. I questioned myself on aspects of spending time for games, play and structured sports. Covid has forced us into our homes for the past two years, and our social connections were minimal. I was surprised to see that the time I spent with my friends, family and grandparents was also considered as an important part of my development. We always like junk even after knowing that this is not healthy. My target to shift from junk to healthy as I write ignited a new awareness in me. Academics has always been my forte but considering my current performance, I was asked to set priorities to reach my long term goal through small achievable targets. Under the guidance of my class teacher Mrs Mahalakshmi, I could understand the per day activity time chart as well the expectations of my parents. Now, all the clouds are cleared, and my parents' expectations are the only



- Rashmika, GradeVIII Alpha, AWS VJA

The Mid Litmus Test

The mid July bustled with the first ever Mid term assessment for the classes 1 to 10 for the academic year 2022-2023. The exams created a hustle bustle among the students to prepare for their exams and teachers to finish their corrections and to implement immediate follow up work to fill the gaps in the learning.

- Bindu Sonayala, English Mentor AWS Vja

Baseline and Mid-term assessment

Assessment should integrate grading, learning, and motivation for our students. Well-designed assessment methods provide valuable information about student learning. They tell us what students learned, how well they learned it, and where they struggled.

Ambitus World School conducted Baseline Diagnostic assessment test on 27th June 2022 in order to help schools to understand their students' needs, to get a measure of each individual's aptitude for learning and their potential, as well as to measure the impact they have on learners as they progress through school. These assessments are done at the beginning of a lesson or teaching experience. It shows the learners' knowledge and the bases they have formed on the specific topic and therefore gives an indication of what the learners need to learn still. Midterm assessments were conducted from 18th to 26th July 2022. Midterm assessments depict as a whole what the learners need to know, what they do know, and thereafter reflect on how you will fix what the children don't know and still need to learn. This assessment can also show you what type of learning the children are strongest at; kinetic, aural, visual, or tactile.

- Ms. Surabhi Rawat, Grade 3 HRT

OUR CLASS IN ACTION

Skeleton- Model-making activity by Grade III students

When my students were informed that we were going to make a model of a skeleton, they were all quite excited and eagerly waited for the day. On the day my learners really loved the hands-on activity (The model making of a skeleton) because they were engaged and eager to create a model. They collaborated with their classmates without distraction or disruption. I was quite surprised by the outcome as I recall, that I had not recalled the class rules throughout the activity. I believe this model-making caught the students' attention and made them want to participate. This activity highlighted the curiosity with which science learning happens and the challenge is discovery of new things that help bring attentiveness in class. Towards the end of the activity, they all were able to identify that there are bones of different sizes and shapes in our body. I am happy that all of my learners were able to identify the names of the main parts of the Skeleton and I was astonished by the creativity of my little scientists.

The Earth and Solar system

Students of grade 6 were divided into groups to do a study on the solar system. Each group was assigned a planet for presentation along with their models. Students worked out on different planets and their features



This work was clearly seen

in the models they made. Sun in bright yellow with the sparks, Earth in blue and Mars in red etc showed that they were involved in the work that they were to do. Asteroid belt between the inner and outer planets were also -showcased by the students. This activity culminated with a roleplay of the solar system.



- Chathurya Seerapu - Social Science Mentor, AWS VJA

Investigating the effect of osmosis on potato strips

Practical learning allows students to learn through experience and have the opportunity to immerse them in the learning environment while applying the skills they have acquired to build new ones. Children of grades 9 Alpha and 9 Beta performed an experiment to investigate the effect of osmosis on potato strips. At the beginning, all the potato strips had the same length. When they put them into different solutions, it started to change. The learners observed the shrinking and expanding of the potato strips and understood that this is due to osmosis. They derived the conclusions after measuring the potato strips placed in different solutions. The length of the potato strips increased when they were placed in the distilled water as they gain water by osmosis, because the solution inside the cell was more concentrated than water outside (Endosmosis). The length of the potato strips decreased when they were placed in concentrated sugar solution as the solution inside the cell had a higher water potential than the solution outside (Exosmosis).



- Dr. M Bhargavi, Secondary Coordinator and Exam Branch In-charge

What Am I Acid or Base???

Our inquisitive nature didn't allow us to stay glued in the classroom, and finally, one fine day, we gushed into our science lab to identify the acidity and alkalinity of a given solution.

We, the students of Grade 7 (CBSE), visited the lab with all the excitement that we could have. A table with four different solutions with hibiscus extract on the working platform welcomed us. A tabular column to record the observation was already written on the board. This made us more curious, and we started discussing the activity to be performed. We then tested the four solutions with litmus, phenolphthalein, methyl orange and china rose petal extract. The process of determining the nature of the solutions was very fascinating and informative as indicators have shown different colours in solutions A and C compared to solutions B and D. We then concluded the nature of solutions A and C to be acidic as the litmus, methyl orange and china rose extracts showed red colour. B and D solutions were bases as the litmus turned blue, methyl orange showed yellow and china rose petal extract gave a bright green colour. Phenolphthalein gave a very attractive pink colour with bases, but it remained colourless with acids.

Our experience in the science lab was very exciting, mostly because it was really colourful, and we achieved our objective of identifying the acid and base of a given solution excitingly. The curiosity that motivated us to investigate and learn was satisfied with that experiment on that day. We are thankful to our science teacher Ms. Madhuri.



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

Practical learning with Science

Grade 8 students researched published articles. This enhances the high-quality scientific enquiry skills amongst learners. Articles pertaining to the processes, fully represents the necessity of interdisciplinary nature of research in the field of education. Focusing on the interaction among various disciplines, student's research on articles such as, information processing, research on climatic changes, its effects, asteroids, meteorological events like meteor shower, mass extinction, earthquakes, volcanoes. This in turn develops the students' cognitive psychology, speech and hearing science and education.

Different tools have been used for grade 8 students to facilitate the teaching and learning process in different areas of knowledge acquisition. Practical activities represent a form of teaching in which students not only listen to theoretical concepts but are also able to link theory and practice, and their importance in the biological sciences is notable Testing a leaf for starch is the simplest photosynthesis lab that students of grade 8 have performed. Learners have performed a positive test for starch in a leaf providing evidence that has occurred during the test. Students further enhanced their knowledge by performing the lodine Test to know the presence of Starch in leaf of chromophyll and chlorophyll plants. Students of



grade 5 learn about fair tests as they plan and carry out an investigation on the effects of balanced and unbalanced forces. Learners will know about gravity and friction and that forces come in pairs. This learning includes hands-on activities, labs sessions. Students learn to provide evidence for the effects of balanced and unbalanced forces on the motion of an object. As they perform the activity the whole Emphasize is on investigation case study where only one variable is tested at a time.



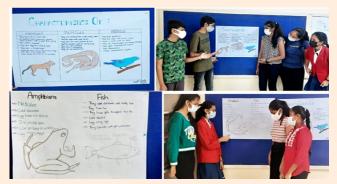


- Ms. Rachna, Science Mentor

Show and tell activity — Vertebrates — Pisces, Amphibians, Reptiles, Aves & Mammals

Grades 9 Alpha and 9 Beta learners performed the show and tell activity by displaying charts with diagrams and information. They discussed the characteristics of different groups of vertebrates in detail. They prepared materials for presentations, displayed well, and answered the questions raised by their friends. Topics for presentation by different groups: Pisces, Amphibians, Reptiles, Aves & Mammals. Through such presentations, students learn to speak in front of the group. This is a widely applicable professional skill. Such types of activities always improve their speaking skills





- Dr. M Bhargavi, Secondary Coordinator and Exam Branch In-charge

The 'Narrative Sandwich'

Dictionaries, magazines, newspapers, worksheets, JAM and role play are the favourite resources and activities of any language class. However, the concept of language teaching has evolved over the years and is considered as dynamic as advances in science and technology. The word 'vaxxie' meaning 'a vaccination selfie' is the newest edition amidst covid. How about dynamic changes in classroom activities for teaching 'narratives'.



Our master chefs of grade four decked up in aprons, found their learning outcomes via narrating their own versions of preparing sandwiches (first person) with layers of shredded cheese, tomato, lettuce, cabbage, mayo and sauces with a dash of pepper, salt and oregano to prepare mouthwatering sandwiches, few others paired up with their fellow classmates in delivering a live commentary (third person) and a few chefs took the responsibility of providing step by step instruction (second person) to their peers, towards preparing the healthy veggie delight. New words, conversations and a multi-sensory approach (aural, visual, olfactory) were coined during the entire learning process blended with the responsibility of preparing their own breakfast or evening snacks!

- Swathi Saxena, Academic Co coordinator, AWS VJA

Modeling the carbon cycle

The goal of modelling the carbon cycle by children is to visualise and act out the flow of carbon as it changes form from the trees and soil to the atmosphere. In this activity, children represented carbon atoms, and explored how a carbon atom is capable of moving around the carbon cycle. Five areas marked in the amphitheatre represented the carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, carbon compounds in plants, carbon compounds in animals, carbon compounds in decomposers and carbon compounds in fossil fuels. Some children were enacted as carbon atoms. Someone who is not a carbon atom called out one of the processes. For example, if the process is combustion, some of the carbon atoms in the fossil fuel area move to the atmosphere area. Enacting this model helped grade 10 learners to understand different processes photosynthesis, respiration, combustion involved in carbon cycle.



- Dr. M Bhargavi, Secondary Coordinator and Exam Branch In-charge

Flip class presentations on specialized cells

Flipped classrooms provide students with ample time and space to explore and experiment with a given topic, practice and analyze, and develop in-depth knowledge. Flipped classrooms help students develop critical thinking and higher thinking skills (HOTS). Grades 9 Alpha & 9 Beta children made wonderful presentations on the topic "Specialized cells". Learners were divided into groups and each group worked on one type of specialized cell relating the structural adaptation to the function of that cell. Learners made excel PowerPoint presentations with pictures, bullet points and even included assessments. Learners in groups presented on the allotted topics: Sperm cell, egg cell, red blood cells, palisade cell, root hair cell, ciliated cell and nerve cell. Teamwork among learners teaches basic communication and social skills such as active listening and effective speaking.



Beyond Academics

FOOD AT SCHOOL

Oh! What a wonderful day it was,

When we had our food at school.

When will those days return?

When will we have that delicious food at school?

Here and Now! Food is on the day's roll,

Did you know salads and desserts are part of our call?

Here we come smart,

To relish with our heart.!

Meals in Ambitus

The cafeteria at Ambitus provides rich, tasty, and nutritious food on a single plate of a buffet. The cafeteria personnel ensure safety measures at every juncture when the food is served. One can find different meals, so that the children enjoy their food. The everyday meal consists of, healthy salad, chapatis or steamed rice along with delicious dal and vegetable curries. We are given an option of yoghurt, which is a good addition to the main meal. The quantity is given according to everyone's requirements. The served food is tasty, healthy, filling, balanced and energy-providing. It is not only home-like food but also at an affordable price.





- Sanvi Jhaveri, Grade IX / Alpha, AWS VJA.

Fun time at AKW

Every day in Ambitus Kinder World is jocose, filled with amusing activities related to the theme. Little learners spend memorable time here sharing and assiduously involving in group activities and fun games. Learning is not confined to books and pens, but beyond that is what we try to achieve every time.....we show them where to look, not what to find and every learner comes out with a new causatum.





'LET'S LEARN ACTING'

Children always love to participate when it comes to skits or role play hence, to make the story 'The Enormous Crocodile' in English language more interesting and effective, a role play was conducted on 26th July, 2022. Students of grade 2 not only enjoyed the activity but also learned how to deliver dialogues and how to present themselves in front of everyone without any fear. As per the groups divided, two children at a time performed the role play in accordance with the mutual concern of the other children in the groups. This activity taught the children cooperative and fruitful learning. Moreover, it also helped everyone to understand the story. It was also a new platform for the children to learn acting and delivering the dialogues.









- Ms. Juliet, Grade 2 HRT

On the way to learn life skills

Confidence, Creativity, Critical thinking, Communication and Cultural awareness are components essential in building life skills. School curriculum should provide opportunities to develop such skills among its students. Intention of CCA and Club was to impart practices which will allow students to explore and thrive in their future. Hobbies not only facilitate habits that become stress relievers but also change direction of professions for those interested in these areas. July saw the beginning of CCA with greeting card making, while clubs

provided introduction into the areas to build expertise. The clubs introduced this academic year are - Words smith, Super heroes ,Eco warriors, Creative crew and Astronuts.





- Mallika. G, HRT, AWS VJA

Star Student of the Week

"Motivation is what gets you started; Habit is what keeps you going."

Students, when they are motivated, are more excited to learn and participate. One way to motivate students is to give them rewards and recognition for their learning and participation. With this belief, we have initiated Star of the week, which runs on a weekly basis considering few assessment criteria, as yardstick. We, here at Ambitus world school, Vijayawada, select a student as Star of the week on the following parameters.

- Classroom Performance
- Attendance
- Regularity
- Discipline
- Responsibility

It has been a proud moment for the parents of STAR students, as they were given a chance to felicitate their wards with a star badge, in the classroom itself. It was a great appreciation from the parent community as this kind of practice leads to a healthy competition and atmosphere amongst the students as well they will be fine tuned to disciplined and responsible students.



Awards & Achievements

Electronic Keyboard Examination

"There is simply no substitute for hard work, when it comes to achieving success. Every year, the school holds Olympiads with the goal of giving students a platform to showcase their academic talents outside of the classroom. Our student Gundu Aanvi of Ambitus World School, Vijayawada brought honours with a noteworthy accomplishment in

playing Electronic Keyboard Examination conducted by the prestigious University of West London, making us happy. This triumph demonstrated that the fighter with laser-like focus is the everyday guy. Our Principal, Mrs. Sudha P Sridevi, praised the achiever for his sincere



efforts and encouraged him to continue striving for achievement of highest peaks, in the future.

Student Articles

Books – The way it brings the change

When the entire world shut down due to Pandemic - Covid-19, I could not go out to play with my friends even during summer vacation. My life turned from being interesting to dull, and it became miserable daily. Seeing me sinking into depression, my mom gave me a storybook. I opened it uninterestedly as there was no other option to kill time. I started to read the book and immediately found it exciting, and completed the book at a stretch. I started reading many books after that. That's when my life took a turn from boring to fascinating. My confidence started to build. My vocabulary started to improve. I could speak with confidence without stammering, and I need to say, the books improved my life in many ways. At present, I have more than 50 books in my book rack. I would encourage all my friends to start reading books, and lastly, I need to say I took only a single rug on the ladder of success, and there is more than you or I can possibly imagine to be successful.

- Bhavin Sai, Grade V Alpha, AWS VJA

School has Begun

Everybody! School has begun

Time for work,

Time for fun,

Smile brightly,

School has begun.

Let's learn together.

In this nice weather,

Get excited,

The School has begun.

- K. Karthikeya Sai Srinivas, Grade 5 Beta, AWS, Hyd

Canvas in the jungle

Elijah was a 13 year old boy, and on one saturday he went into the jungle to play. He liked it there because it was peaceful and no one would bother him. He broke the branches and played around with them and threw his water bottle into the stream. While this was happening, Elijah caught a monkey's attention. The monkey leaped out of the bush and pointed his finger to the deep foliage in front of him, Elijah understood the monkey was trying to lead him somewhere

Elijah followed the monkey into the deep jungle. He led him to a giant land where in the middle, was a canvas. The monkey took some blueberries and squished them to paint the clean water, he took the green grapes to paint the greenery. At last, he took purple grapes and squished them to paint the berries on the trees.

The monkey pointed at the canvas while chattering. He pulled Elijah's leg and waved his arm around them to look at the jungle around him. The water wasn't blue like the painting but it was green and mucky, the leaves were not as green as the painting but shrivelled up and grey. There were almost no more fruits on the trees. "hmm.. How did this happen?" said Elijah to himself.

The monkey went to the stream and got the water bottle that Elijah threw in and brought the branches he cut off and showed it to Elijah. He finally realised that he was promoting the cause of this problem. Behind the monkey, many monkeys entered from the bushes with caution. Elijah looked at the monkeys and noticed that some of them were dehydrated because they weren't drinking the water from the stream. Elijah realised that he was destroying the jungle day by day and the inhabitants of the jungle were slowly dying. After understanding the problem he was helping, Elijah stopped polluting the jungle and started helping the monkeys.

Don't destroy Mother Nature...! THE END

- Randheer K. Grade 7, AWS VJA

My Inquisitive Mind

The first day of school

Not sure what is in store!

A brand new teacher and

A whole lot more to learn,

Making new friends and seeing old ones to

What will we learn?

I haven't a clue:

Will we learn about animals?

Will we learn about outer space?

Will we learn to be writers?

Or in the gym, will we learn to race?

I have so many questions...

About how this year will be!

A brand new adventure,

I guess, we will just have to wait and see.

- Geethika, 5 Beta, AWS Hyd

Teachers Articles Activity Base Learning

It's just been one month since I joined this school. According to my view the school brings out the best in every child by tapping into their individual strengths, while creating an environment of kindness, responsibility, and leadership. Mainly Ambitus believes in Activity based learning.

Activity-based learning is rooted in the idea that children are active learners rather than passive recipients of information. If children are provided the opportunity to explore on their own and are provided with an optimum learning environment, then learning becomes more joyful and long-lasting. The concepts are better understood through handson activities. It is also a more engaging and interactive way of learning

We, as humans have inherent curiosity and that is especially true for children. Information Processing Theory suggests that when we learn something through hands-on training, we tend to retain that knowledge for a longer period, than anything we read or listen to. This process also helps children to easily understand whatever they learn.

As the old proverb says, 'Give someone a fish to eat and you can help them not starve for a day; but teach them how to catch a fish and they will never go hungry for their life.'Spoon feeding in the long run teaches us nothing but the shape of the spoon."

Activity method is a technique adopted by a teacher to emphasise his or

her method of teaching through activity in which the students participate rigorously and bring about efficient learning experiences. It is a child-centred approach. It is a method in which the child is actively involved in participating mentally and physically.

As a teacher I have conducted activities to demonstrate to children how the primary colours: red, blue and yellow are mixed to form the secondary colours: green, orange, and purple. This is a great extension of Mixing Primary Colours activity and also explores scientific skills. It provides an opportunity for children to exercise scientific thinking: make predictions, observations, comparison, reasoning, experimentation and evaluation.

- M. Pravallika, CEY- 3 Beta Mentor, AWS Vijayawada.

Creating a Safe Environment

Positive interactions, meaningful relationships, and exposure to a safe and healthy environment are 3 of the most fundamental factors which promote healthy development in children.

In early development, it is common for children to observe the feedback they receive from their elders. As 90% of brain development occurs before the age of 5, the interactions between children and the outside world are crucial during this time. At an early age, it is important to establish a safe and healthy environment in which the child can feel vulnerable and secure. Having a place in which a child truly feels "oneself" is especially crucial when developing their sense of identity. Children endure a multitude of changes throughout their prepubescent and adolescent years, thereby making a stable home essential.

There are a multitude of ways to establish a safe environment for your child. At home, it is suggested to create a strong and trustworthy bond between the child and their parents. This can be done through numerous activities, such as reading books together, discussing topics which the child is interested in, and most importantly, letting them "be kids." It is easy to forget that children have not been exposed to the outside world to the extent that adults have. Giving children the freedom to explore their surroundings and express themselves freely is essential to proper development.

Although creating a safe environment for children at home is important, the same is necessary in the classroom as well. School is where children interact with others, voice their opinions, and expand their knowledge. It is important that teachers and administrators promote an inclusive setting, value students' choices, and expand on social and emotional learning.

Regardless of the setting, it is vital for children to be exposed to a safe and healthy environment at a young age. As parents, teachers, and trusted adults, it is our job to take initiative and ensure that every child feels at home, regardless of where they may be.

- Ms. Nagadevi S, Maths Mentor, AWS Hyd

Parent Corner

Excellent Administration @ Ambitus World School

Ambitus World School Vijayawada brings out the best in every child by tapping into their individual strengths, while creating an environment of kindness, responsibility, and leadership. They encourage children to use their critical thinking skills through a lens of embracing self-awareness, confidence, resilience, collaboration, and exploration. My son has developed a passion for learning and exploring all content areas with excitement. Administration and all the Teachers are very nice and helpful as they are committed to positively progressing the students year after year.

AWS designed the IGCSE Curriculum which focuses on strengthening students' understanding of what is being studied and their analytical skills and problem-solving skills. Lessons, projects, and extracurricular activities are student-centred and culturally relevant, which makes learning an enjoyable experience for all. Ambitus World School has been

a very positive experience for our family and we are pleased to be associated with the school.

- Priyadarshini Dasari, Parent of Dino Jason Vadlapati (Grade -4 Beta)

Physical, Mental and Emotional Balance...

Every student's future depends on their career and good health. To Build up a good career, education is very important. Education aims to develop physical, emotional, moral, and spiritual aspects of life. 'Exams'— the word itself brings fear among the students appearing for the 10th board. Exams are meant to create a sense of responsibility and measure conceptual understanding, memory power, and knowledge that one possesses.

So, to achieve your goal, you need good health. Our body's organ system needs many enzymes and hormones to function efficiently. Physical activity helps in activating and releasing these hormones.

Hence, regular exercise, yoga and playing sports is equally important. To synthesise all these hormones and enzymes, we need to supply sufficient food as per the body's requirement, but not the food that satisfies the tongue. Students should also give equal importance to mental and emotional health. They should maintain proper sleep, and maintain good relations with family and friends. Considering teachers' advice positively and following them.

Students shouldn't stop using screens to relax. Art, Music, or anything they are interested in, can help them relax and develop a positive attitude. This reduces the stress and depression which are a coon among students. Following all these little things, sum up, to grand success in the Board examination.

All The Best Students

- V. Ganga Bhavani – Dermatologist, N. Saranya Grade 10 Parent.

Upcoming Events/ Happenings

AWS Vijayawada

- > 5th & 6th August 2022 Ambiguest Synchrony (Event 2)
- > 9th August 2022 Muharam (Holiday)
- > 15th August 2022 Independence Day Celebrations (Early Dispersal)
- > 19th August 2022 Janmastami (Holiday)
- 22nd to 29th August 2022 PA II (Periodic Assessment) Exam CBSE
- 31st August 2022 Vinayaka Chavathi (Holiday)

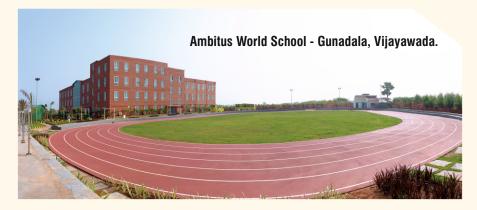
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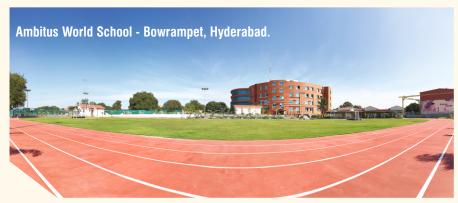
- Star meet
- Ambiguest Synchrony
- Friendship Day CEY's
- Raksha Bandhan Celebrations CEY's
- Independence day celebrations
- > Special assembly presentations for Janmashtami & Vinayaka Chavathit
- ➢ Blue Colour Day CEY's

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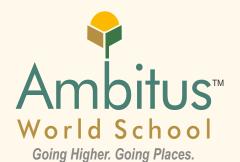
- > 9th August 2022: Friendship Day Celebrations
- > 9th August 2022: Muharam Holiday
- > 12th August 2022: Rakhi & Independence Day Celebrations
- > 15th August 2022: Idependence Day Early Release
- > 19th August 2022: Blue Colour Day & Janmashtami Celebrations
- > 30th August 2022: Ganesh Chathurthi Celebrations
- 31st August 2022: Ganesh Chathurthi Holiday













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