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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Dear LWA family,

Come November and the School premises wore a festive look as we welcomed back our Primary and Middle School students to the campus for physical schooling. Our students and parents have been very cooperative and are fully aware of the safety protocols in the new normal that has enabled a smooth restart and functioning. The inclement weather and the torrential rains in November has not dampened our spirit , as we celebrated Diwali and Children's Day with fervor and enthusiasm. Do enjoy this edition of the November newsletter , which features expressions from our Alumni and Students.

-Ms.Santhi Swaminathan



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DIWALI CELEBRATION

LWA celebrates the festival of lights in a dazzling display of light and colour, as millions of people celebrate the Hindu festival of Diwali. But it comes amid concerns over the coronavirus pandemic and air pollution. We LWA family too celebrated Diwali adhering to the protocols of Covid 19.

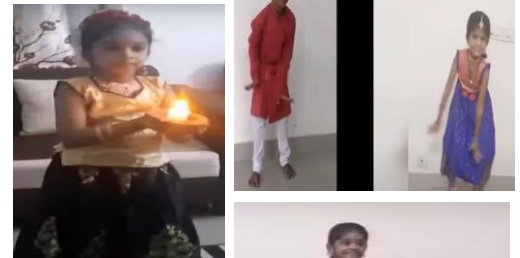
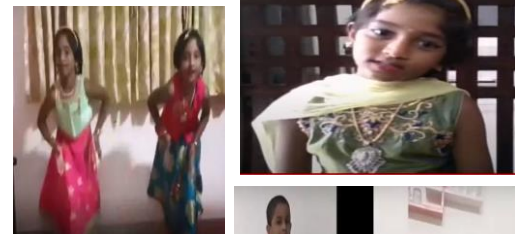
“It is time to remove the darkness of ignorance within us and replace it with the light of hope and knowledge instead.”

It is amazing how festivals bring people together. Diwali, the festival of lights, that enlightens the hearts and brings joy to every heart was virtually celebrated at Lightworkers Academy, Chennai, the school had an ambiance of joy and happiness.

On the auspicious occasion of Diwali, the coordinator of primary Mrs. Padma gave her wishes and blessing to the gatherings, and children of class 1 mesmerized the eyes and ears of the viewers. Students gave an insight into the significance of the festival of Diwali which is celebrated to commemorate the victory of good over evil and knowledge over ignorance.

Celebrations also included some of the beautiful performances given by little munchkins of class 1 where they all showcased different ways of celebrating Diwali that included offering prayers to goddesses, small dance performances by some kids, etc. All the students participated enthusiastically and enjoyed it a lot.

<https://youtu.be/PL-JCoSfKw>



CLASS -I

LWA proudly introduces its first Alumni batch

MOHAMED SAADH:

School of physiotherapy
Chettinad health and
research institution



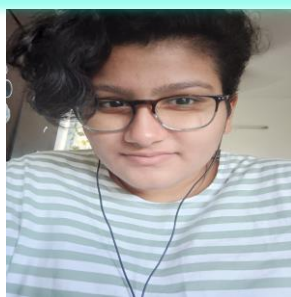
SHOUVIK NANDAKUMAR:

Hindustan University



NOOR M HAMZA:

Symbiosis,Pune



HARSIMRAN SINGH:

Lovely professional University



SHAKTI SAI KRISHNA K:

B.S.Abdur Rehman Crescent Institute
Of Science And Technology



MEGAVANAN M D:

Coimbatore Govt Engg College



PALANIBHARATHI T:

BA LLB (Hons)
School of law, Crescent college



TEJAS KRISHNA:

VIT Chennai



Alumni is a network of former students – a confluence of all those who studied here and are now pursuing their higher studies in different fields. Alumni serves a whole lot of functions – from mentoring students to updating them with current market requirements. They form the backbone of the institution helping it to grow and leave its footprints in different parts of the globe. It's a proud moment for LWA to bring to you its first alumni batch. We wish them all the success in their future endeavour!

PRAKALYA A S:

Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology



KAVYA M:

Madras Christian College



RESHMA M M:

Alagappa college of Technology, Anna university,



HARINI N S:

SRM - Biotech with genetic engineering



AYUSH M S:

Hindustan Institute Of Technology And Science



PAVITHRAA S:

Crescent University



Special Prayer for Board exam students

Every year a special prayer is organized for the students of Class X and XII before they appear for their board exams. This year too the visit was organized but a bit differently. Students were not involved this year keeping the pandemic in mind.

As the saying goes “Prayer brings Victory”-A spiritual prayer and offerings were done at Unihomes Ganesha Temple for our students. A Team of Teachers from LWA performed the Pooja. It was an amazing and pleasant day for all.



LORD GANESHA



LWA FM-NOVEMBER 2021 - THEMES

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CLASS	THEME
Nursery	Vegetables.
Preparatory	Birds.
class 1	English and Tamil Speech, Proverb, Diwali poem, Thought for the day, Thirukural, Scripture, Diwali song.
class 2	English and Tamil Speech, Devotional songs, Hindi poem, Aathichudi, stories.
class 3	Thirukkural, Speech about Children's day and Nehru, Stories, Important days in November, Devotional Songs, Speech about Robotics.
class 4A	Book review , songs , facts , speech about agricultural problems, Thirukural, plastic waste (Tamil) , speech about the first prime minister of India.
class 4B	Poem , songs , interesting facts, story , music , health tips.
class 5A	Music , thought for the day , story , facts , news reading .
class 5B	
class 6A	Story , accidental inventions , thirukural, aathichudi, science questions.
class 6B	
class 7A	Thanks giving assembly- speech , songs , Tamil passage, music , story.
class 7B	Facts , songs and music , riddles , stories , speech .
class 8	Stories , songs , instruments, cool facts , morals with fun.

Children's day 🎧 Special assembly
by our LWA Teachers was on air
15/11/2021 @ 2:45pm

- 🌸 🌸 🌸 Welcome speech by our
Principal Ma'am
- 🎵 Prayer song
- 🔊 English, Tamil and Hindi
Speeches
- 🎵 Special song
- 🗣️ English and Tamil thoughts
- ★ Children's day wishes
- 📖 Children's day poem in Tamil
- 🗣️ Message on Children's day
- 📺 News



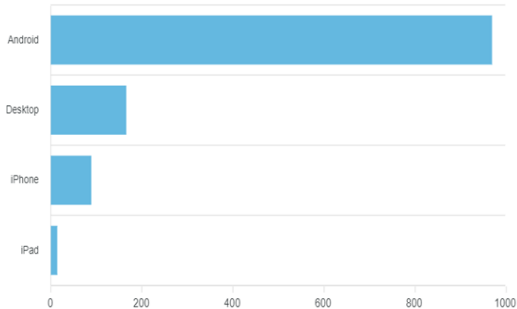
LWA FM-NOVEMBER 2021 - ANALYTICS

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Device Statistics

Export

Device	Sessions	Average Listening Minutes	Percentage
Android	971	5.53	78.31
Desktop	166	14.33	13.39
iPhone	89	7.82	7.18
iPad	14	5.27	1.13



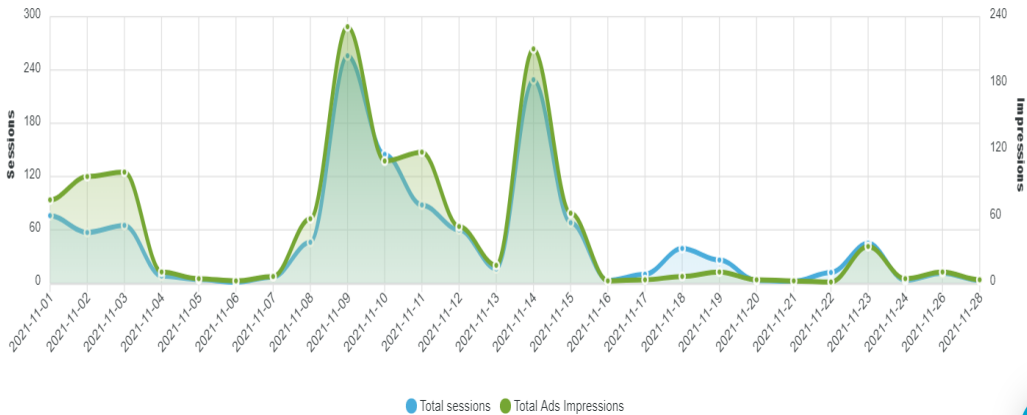
Regional Statistics

Export

Country	Sessions	Sum of unique IPs per stream	TLH	%
> India	1,197	0	134.13	96.45
> Canada	21	0	5.94	1.69
> United States	21	0	1.73	1.69
> Singapore	2	0	0.11	0.16



Total sessions



G.Swaminathan – Class 6B**Introduction:**

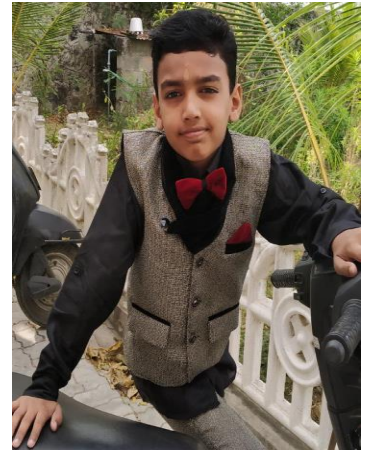
At last we are back after months of online classes and exams. I woke up early and got dressed up in formals and boarded the school van at 8.10 am on 1st November 2021. I was gazing via the window the bright and colorful nature while coming to school. I was so delighted and excited to see my teachers welcoming me with glad smile on their faces.

My first day at school:

The school was adorned with welcome posters, colour ribbons, and the students were really excited and happy to be back to classrooms after a gap of around 18 months. Since I am a new student to Lightworkers Academy, it's my first exposure and experience to outside world. I rushed with so much of eagerness to my classroom VI B section. The day's activities included introduction with my classmates and teachers. Though students were excited to return to school, it was quite hard to get accustomed to covid rules and restrictions by wearing masks and maintaining social distance and sanitizers. This left many of the students disappointed but being back to school physically and getting engaged in activities has reduced our stress to a greater extent.

Conclusion:

It was a great experience coming back to school, walking on the corridors, climbing stairs and mingling with classmates. We will adapt to the new normal in a few days. After the classes I once again boarded the school van and was back home with great sigh of relief.

**Sahana - Class 8**

A school is the seed for a plant to grow. The students being the plants had missed the seed for almost 2 years and were lacking nutrients. On the 1st of November, we had a new glow and a bright smile on our faces. The reason behind it is none other than the reopening day of our school. The buses picked us up and when we entered the school premises I had goosebumps all over my body. The school management checked our temperature and poured sanitizer onto our hand. Then we all left out for our respective classrooms. When I reached my classroom I saw my friends and that was the moment on cloud nine. We all talked together maintaining a distance from each other. The happiest moment was when we saw our teachers face to face, they talked to us very joyfully as it was the first day we all played games and had a lot of fun. Gradually we started learning and I felt a better understanding of the concepts than in online mode. Last but not the least, it was a memorable day of my life.

BACK TO SCHOOL ARTICLES



CLASS – VI to VIII

Sriadvitha Siva – Class 6A

I was sitting on the sofa thinking how stressful the online classes were. Probably doodling my thoughts. The sunlight shone on my eyes which made me think of the sweet memories of school. The time I scribbled on my desk and searched for an eraser in my pocket, the time I spoke and cracked jokes at the break time. The time I was sleeping with eyes open after eating lunch.

I missed them. Days passed, weeks flew by when one day I was checking my google classroom, my teacher had posted a new announcement! I read it carefully, not believing my eyes, coming back to school! Yay! I shouted full of the joys of spring. I bounced on the couch and threw my arms and stood still enchanted and appalled until my mother went bananas because I almost threw the mobile away! But I did not care, I was too busy being happy.

My eyes squinted with delight. I ran to my Daddy's bedroom to tell about going back to school. Though he was in the middle of an important meeting, I screamed not caring one bit about interrupting the meeting. Then mom dragged me to the living room. Then I started packing my books, got ready with the dresses. Then I went to sleep dreaming about the first day of school. I reached the building and saw in awe! Wow! My friends and I happily wished each other Happy Diwali and Happy days at school. We almost cried of joy. An ample of delight and a great grin crept on my face.

Keerthi Iyer- Class 8

As we step into school for the first time in a long time, there is happiness in the air. As we enter the building, catching up with friends, and meeting everyone, it feels great to be back, after almost 2 years of staying at home. Now it finally feels right. Not learning through a screen, but face to face in person. It does need some getting used to because it's been a long while. Many things have changed, but in the end, everyone will love to come back to school.



Sanjana - Class 8

Coming to school after a long time in nearly 2 years I am getting my memories back. I felt very excited what was going to happen at school as I am going after a long time. For the first time I could see all my teachers, classmates after a long time. Instead of taking classes online it's so fun if they take offline as we can see the teacher and connect with them.

CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Origami is an art of folding a flat square paper into a finished object. Origami is a free hand activity, doesn't require any other material resources. As origami induces creative imagination, teaches the concept of shapes and so on, the children are encouraged and given activities relating it. As the children find it relaxing, fun, entertaining, they enjoy doing this paper craft activity along with parents. Twinkling stars of Nursery in Lightworkers Academy are given varied paper craft activity like puppy face, paper boat and tulip flower making etc. As a part of Children's Day celebration, flower making activity was conducted for the children. Each child was involved and they enjoyed the activity being accompanied by their parents. The outcome of this activity was effective and fruitful. This activity enhances the fine motor skills and eye- hand coordination.

CLASS - NUR



CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION



CLASS - NUR



PRESENTATION USING POWERPOINT

Students of class IV presented a seminar on their topic of interest by preparing a PowerPoint presentation. Wonderful pictorial explanation with great enthusiasm was exhibited by the students of Grade IV.

THE STATUE OF LIBERTY



The copper statue, a gift from the people of France to the people of the United States, was designed by French sculptor and its metal framework was built by Gustave Eiffel. The statue was dedicated on October 28, 1886.

EIFFEL TOWER



The Eiffel Tower was built to be one the main attractions at the Paris World's Fair in 1889.

THE TAJ MAHAL



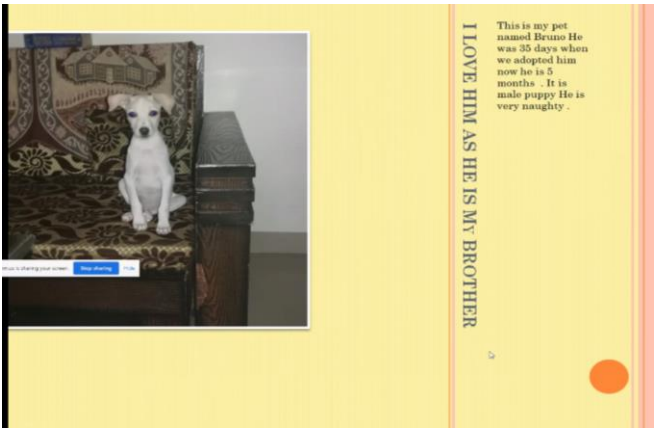
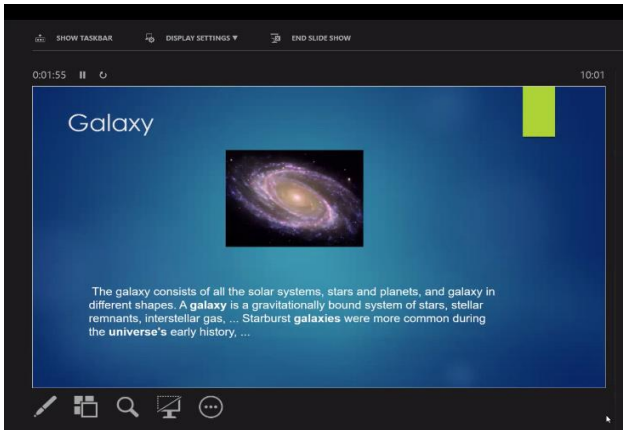
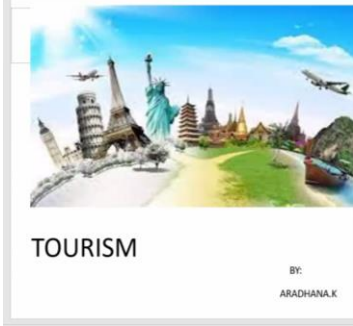
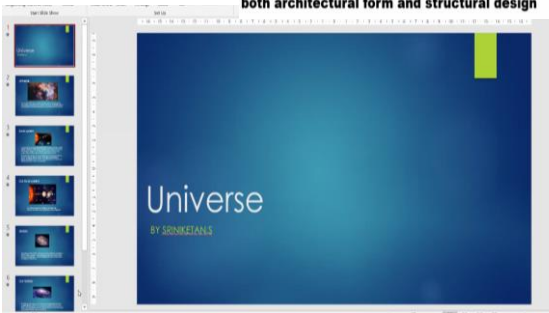
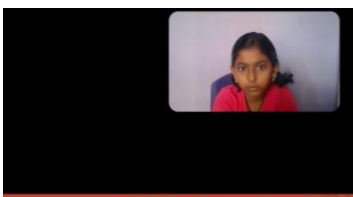
The Taj Mahal was built in Agra between 1631 and 1648 by order of the Mughal emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his favorite wife, the Taj Mahal is the jewel of Muslim art in India

Class 4

THE SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE

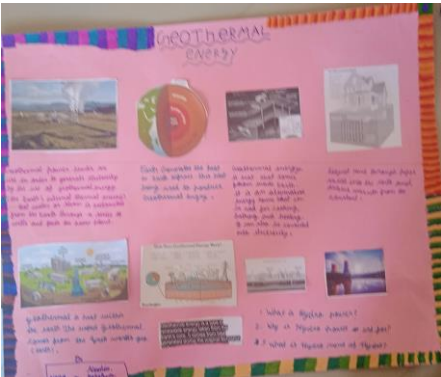


The Sydney Opera House is a great architectural work of the 20th century that brings together multiple strands of creativity and innovation in both architectural form and structural design

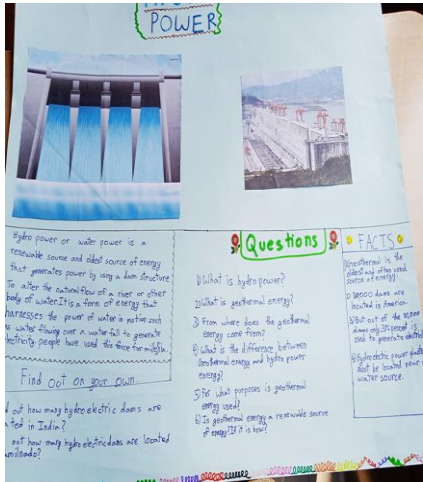
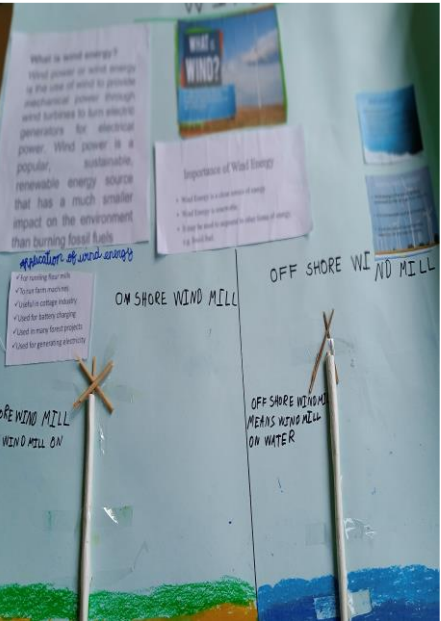
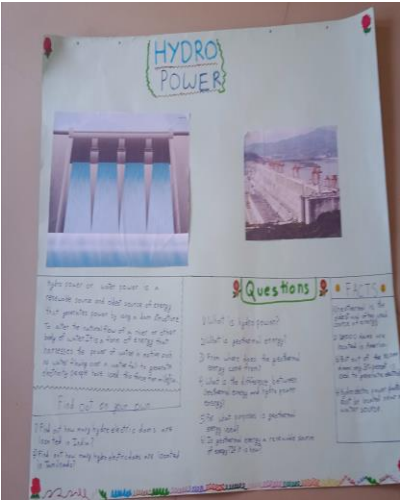
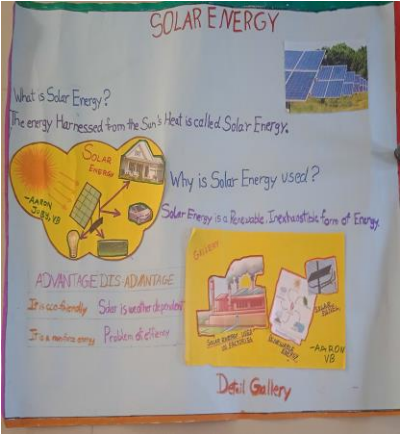


SCIENCE ACTIVITY-TYPES OF ENERGY

The students of class V were divided into groups to perform the science activity on different types of energy. Along with learning concepts, teamwork also came to the forefront. Being back to school after almost 18 months, the students enjoyed the group activity to the core.



Class 5



LWA NEWSLETTER EDITORIAL TEAM

The Monthly **newsletter of Lightworkers Academy** is yet another milestone for the school. The school management provides a creative and democratic platform for students, teachers, staff and the parents to voice their ideas, opinions and suggestions through the monthly newsletter. Everyone's timely contribution has led to the release of 15 successful volumes.

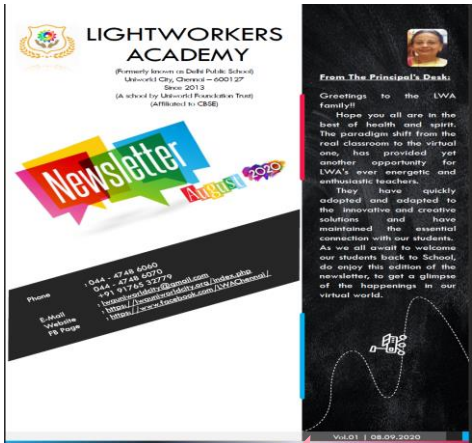
The monthly newsletter of LWA is setting up standards, value and traditions for the future generation.

Under the leadership of our Principal **Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan** and the energetic efforts of the editorial team we have been able to publish the newsletters at a regular interval. The first edition came out in the month of August 2020. Along with a message from the Principal, the newsletter contains articles from the students and teachers, glimpses of everyday school and class room activities, celebrations in the school and the highlights of student awards and achievements. The newsletter is electronically circulated to the students and the education fraternities. We look forward to the cooperation of the parents and students to continue this venture.

Mrs.Sangami M S



Mrs.Anitha R



SNAP SHOTS

Mrs.Smita Chakraborti



Mrs. Jayanthi V



