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FROM OUR PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Dear LWA family,

As the month of March, marched past, the academic session 2023-24, was completed on a successful note. We at LWA celebrated Women's day and graduation day. Orientation and training sessions for students and teacher empowerment sessions were conducted. Inter school Football league was held. The camp for scouts and guides, cubs and bulbuls and bunnies was held at the School premises. Dear readers, we seek your best wishes as we embark on our journey into the new academic year.

-Ms.Santhi Swaminathan

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Class Prep Graduation Day

Lightworkers Academy had celebrated Kindergarten's Graduation Day on 15th March, 2024. The twinkling stars from PREP were dressed up with nice attires and showcased different activities like music, dance and speech which was appreciated by all. Our Principal, Ms Santhi Swaminathan complimented the graduates on their achievements, also congratulated the teachers for their dedication and hard work in shaping the students through education and other co-curricular activities and felicitated the students with the Certificate. The ceremony was concluded with the vote of thanks by the Kindergarten Teacher, Ms.Rani. It was indeed a joyous and memorable day for not only the little ones but also a proud moment for the parents and the mentors as they witnessed their children receiving their KG Graduation Diploma. May God bless these tiny "graduates" as they continue their education in the primary school.



Feedback Corner

Anishma S Naethan Mom

I want to say a big thank you for making the class Prep's graduation day so special. It was truly amazing. The nursery kids showering flowers on the graduates made them feel so special. Everyone, including the kids who performed in the dance had so much fun as they giggled and danced together. It was so fun to watch. Thanks a lot to Rani mam and the whole staff for guiding my son Naethan and giving him such a strong start. I'm so happy he's moving on to first grade with such awesome memories.

Also, I want to mention that the whole year was fantastic. Every child had the chance to take part in all the events, and there was no favoritism. All the kids were treated equally, which was wonderful to see. Thank you so much mam 😊

Priya Lakshana Mom

Thanks Mam for your wonderful support for the students. You're a teacher who inspired the students to think outside the box. Thank you once again for all the extra efforts you make to help the students grow.

Sivapriya Hariharan Mom

I am grateful to all the teachers of prep for showing immense care and support for the kids. And the graduation day event was fabulous and enjoyable memories for the kids and parents. Thank you mam for the guidance throughout the year 🙌🙌

Rasimarshal ❤️

I would really like to thank rani ma'am from bottom of my heart.. she took really a good care of our kids personally and through academic way.. U really gave importance to each and every kid, Thank u so much for all the love and support ma'am 🙌🙌

Shama Alesha Prep

we wanted to take a moment to express our gratitude for your dedication and hard work in educating our children. Your encouragement and guidance have played a crucial role in their academic progress, and also personal care for our children. Thank you Rani Mam for all the immense support you have given.

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Scouts & Guides Annual Camp

To escalate the skills of scouting in students, our school has organized one day annual camp for Cubs, Bulbuls, Scouts and Guides On 16th March, 2024. The camp started with flag procedure and each unit was led by the corresponding unit leaders. Cubs and Bulbuls took part actively in all the activities like cubs and bulbuls greetings, sing song, Jungle book and Tara Story. On the other side, Scouts and Guides were progressing in knotting, lashing and sing song. Students and teachers engaged themselves in the games. This significant day came to an end with camp fire which was packed with more cultural activities exhibited by the students. Students were awarded a shield and a certificate as a mark of participation.



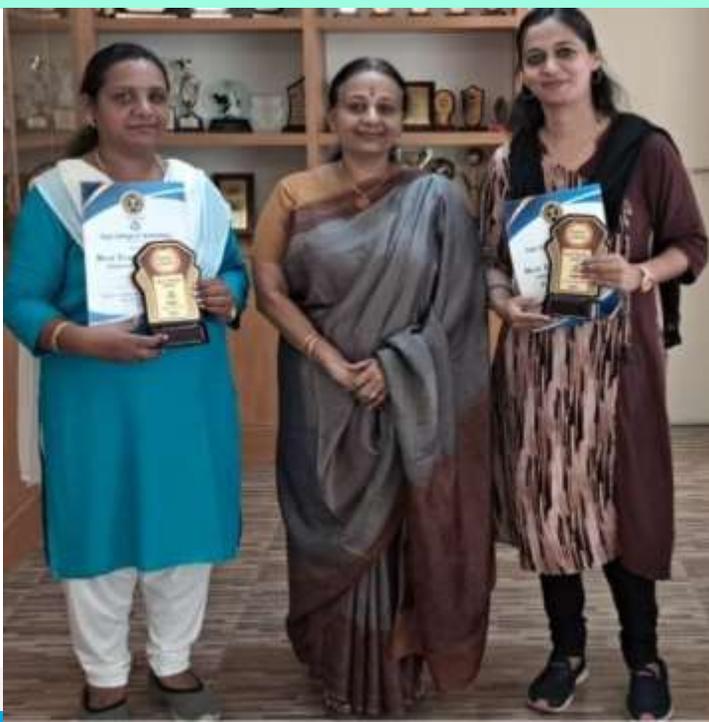
Women's Day Celebration

Women's day is to celebrate the achievements of Women in various fields and the role they play. International Women's day was celebrated with a lot of enthusiasm on Friday, 8th March 2024 in the premises of Lightworkers Academy in the presence of the Principal Ms Santhi Swaminathan. All the teachers were encouraged and motivated by the management and the principal. Cake cutting was the memorable moment of the day.



Best Teacher Award

Award Ceremony took place on March 3, 2024 at Agni College of Technology. Professor T. S. Natarajan graced the event as the chief guest, adding prestige to the occasion. Dr. Srinivasan Alavandar, Principal, presided over the event. 128 teachers from various schools had participated. In which our school teachers Ms Santhiya Seelliah and Ms Fayiza were recognized for their outstanding contributions, and the positive feedback received highlighted the lasting impact they've had on students at Agni College of Technology. The ceremony not only honoured teachers but also strengthened the bond between teachers and students, fostering mutual respect and admiration within the academic community. The event came to an end with Dr. KalaiMurugan, Hod/EEE, delivering a vote of thanks.



Wisdom Academy Orientation

Wisdom academy has organized an orientation programme on 23rd march 2024 at LWA premises. Integrated concept strengthening with wisdom academy is one of the new initiatives of Lightworkers Academy. Parents and students of classes 7 and above attended the orientation programme. The orientation programme was led by Mr Sathish A, the cofounder of Wisdom Academy and the faculties Ms. Sharon Divya and Dr.Selvanayaki K. The orientation programme emphasized on the importance of introducing basic foundation courses for classes 8 to 10 and NEET and JEE coaching for classes 11 and 12. The faculties explained the course and fee structure and how it will be integrated with the normal school hours. Dr. Selvanayaki, the doctor emerged from remote Tamil village has shared her experiences and struggles to clear NEET examination.



Baby Football League

Our school students have participated in the Blue Cup League in the past three months. Seven teams from various schools and clubs participated in this match. Our teams are under 10, under 12 and under 14 category. In this, under 12 and under 14 are leading now in 2nd position.



Orientation for the Nursery to Grade 1

Lightworkers Academy Orientation session for class Nursery, Preparatory and class 1 was held on 23 March 2024. Parents attended the session and brief points were discussed as how the next level of activities will be taken step ahead with the continuation from Nursery onwards. Points covered during the orientation session were about the school Nursery, preparatory and class 1 activities, assemblies, celebrations and presentations etc., Covered all the points related to the Almanac and the dos and don'ts to be followed as per the norms of the school discipline. The session 2024- 2025 went well with a good orientation start .



First Aid Awareness Programme



The First Aid awareness Programme was held on 16th march. Scouts and Guides, Teachers and all House_Keeping Staff attended the session. The session was very helpful and informative. The session briefly explained about the accidently happened incidents like skin burn, snake bite, nose bleeding and how we can get rid of major risks. Day to day life problems like cuts, injuries, dog bite and so.on were explained in the session and also how can we prevent us from serious causes. In emergency situations first aid skills and knowledge are essential in ensuring to save the life of a person as soon as possible. So, it is must, that each and every one must have the awareness of first aid which saves our loved one's life.



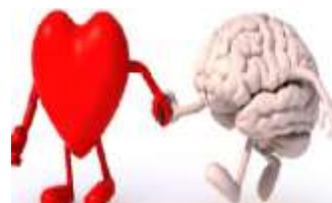
Women Empowerment

'There is no force more powerful than a woman determined to rise' – W.E.B. Du Bois. Career and goals are the most important factors in life. Most of the women are coming forward to work in order to support their family. Work life balance is one of the most challenging issues faced by the women employees in the 21 st century. To make the LWA teachers and staff more empowered, principal Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan, arranged a session on the topic 'Women Empowerment' on 26 March 2024, Tuesday. The session was conducted by Anuradha Balasubramanian, who is a successful working woman in the corporate sector for more than 22 years. The session was informative and threw deep insights about various problems faced by the working women. It mainly focused on adjusting and prioritizing both family and work life. She mentioned a few things to keep in mind to ensure that our professional life doesn't affect our personal life. She also discussed effective time management, the importance of following a schedule, saying no to procrastination, setting boundaries in work and family life, etc. It is important to have a support system back home. Seeking help and support from family plays a vital role in creating a work life balance. She also mentioned that women should have time for self to ensure to pamper themselves. The teachers enjoyed the session as she gave her real life situations and solutions were easy for everyone to connect and understand. Overall, it was much needed session for the time as work life balance refers to maintaining the balance between responsibilities at work and home.



Session on Emotional Intelligence

Emotional Intelligence is a silent game changer at work in the colourful fabric of school life, where teachers and students mark their journey with textbooks and test marks. There's no denying the fact that the Intelligence Quotient (IQ) is important and widely recognised, but Emotional Quotient (EQ) stands right alongside IQ for holistic development. As quoted "When awareness is brought to an emotion, power is brought to your life." – Tara Meyer Robson IQ + EQ SUCCESS. As a part of this development, a training session was held on 28 th March 2024, by Ms. Shahin Ahmed, Professor, Department of Sports Psychology and Sociology, Tamilnadu Physical Education and Sports University. The training session was attended by Madam Principal, Ms Santhi Swaminathan, and all her staff members of LWA. TOPICS: Degree of Emotions, Stabilizing and regulating emotions, Self-emotional awareness/management, Social-emotional awareness/management, Improving EQ of Students., Teaching Gratitude, Mindfulness - Both inside and outside of oneself, Relationship Management Activity, Integrating EI in day-to-day curriculum, Developing EI enhances one's ability to lead ethically. It enables ethical leaders to build trust, motivate teams, and navigate complex ethical dilemmas with empathy and fairness. It also fosters better communication, conflict resolution, and decision-making in ethical contexts. The session was very informative, insightful and thought-provoking. "IQ gets you hired. EQ gets you promoted."



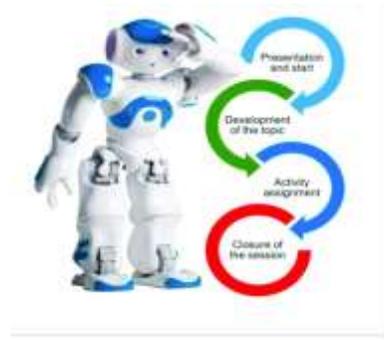
In - House Training on Effective Communication

English language plays a pivotal role in our lives for a multitude of reasons. It facilitates global communication, grants access to information, empowers educational and career opportunities, enriches our understanding of cultures, and fosters personal growth and confidence. English department of LWA had organised an in-house training for our staff on 27 March ,2024 on effective communication. The session started with an activity by Ms Jayanthi, in which the teachers need to translate simple dialogues from Tamil to English followed by Ms Malini explaining the four capabilities that allow an individual to comprehend and produce spoken language for proper and effective interpersonal communication which is Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. As vocabulary plays a major role in learning language Ms Nivetha had enriched on the topic. Focussing on vocabulary is useful for developing knowledge and skills in multiple aspects of language and literacy. This includes helping with decoding (phonemic awareness and phonics), comprehension, and also fluency. Overall, everyone enjoyed and found this session most useful.



Robotics Session

Robotics Workshop had been organized by IIITDM on 23rd March 2024 from 9 to 5 pm of class 8 and 9 had a good time in learning about robots, the mechanisms and the working system of Robot. The young students gathered knowledge on new coding programme named "LINKAGE". In their workshop student's favourite session was how to make their non robot using the manual. Refreshment and launch was very delicious. "We the students of class 8 and 9 thank the management, lecturers and students of IIITDM for organizing the wonderful session. We also thank our management, principal and the teachers for encouraging us to attend the workshop. We had a good learning experience through the workshop.



Bunny Camp



The Bunny programme is part of the Scouts and Guides program and is for children between the age group of 3 and 6 yrs. Bunny Law: I shall try to be a good boy / girl. Bunny Motto: "Keep Smiling". Bunny programme is based on four sign posts namely: 1. Love for God. 2. Love for Nature. 3. Creative Activities. 4. Learning to play together. This helps to develop habits of personal cleanliness & manners, to be courteous and to cultivate social virtues. Bunny camp for the academic year 2023-2024 was conducted on 15th March 2024 for classes Nursery, Prep and I std in the LWA school premises. Children were awarded with Bunny shield and Certificates by our Principal Mrs Santhi Swaminathan and they felt very happy to receive the same.

Talent corner

Guruprasad AV X Std



Kisor V R X Std



