



LIGHTWORKERS ACADEMY

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Newsletter



Vision

Empowering individuals to unlock their full potential, fostering a community of lifelong learners and change-makers.

Mission

Lightworkers Academy provides an innovative education, supportive guidance, and an inclusive community to help individuals discover their passion, develop their skills, and achieve their goals.

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FROM OUR PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Dear LWA Family,

October was a month of celebration as we paid homage to Gandhiji and had the Diwali special assembly.

"OLI THARUM VIZHIGAL" Our Duodecennial anniversary celebration was completed successfully.

Activities related to World Mental Health Day,

CSSC performing Arts Competition, month end activities

based on the theme of Unity Day, competitive exams,

YES competition and reading challenge were conducted.

Dear readers, do enjoy our October newsletter and do share your valuable inputs with us.

Ms. Santhi Swaminathan

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World Mental Health Day

Activity Name: Happy Mind, Happy Me

Date: October 10, 2025 Students of Class 5 participated in a poster-making activity centered around the theme “No to Bullying.” The posters reflected the importance of creating a safe and respectful school environment. After completing their posters, the students visited other classrooms to conduct a brief awareness campaign. Through short talks and interactions, they educated their peers on the impact of bullying and the importance of speaking up and supporting one another. Students in Classes 3 and 4 engaged in creative and reflective activities by making Happiness and Gratitude Jars. Each student wrote down things that made them feel happy and grateful, placing their notes in personalized jars. Additionally, they created complimentary cards to share kind and thoughtful messages with their classmates, encouraging peer appreciation and positivity. The activities were met with enthusiasm and participation across all involved classes. The day concluded on a joyful note, leaving smiles on the faces of all students, and reinforcing the values of empathy, kindness, and mental well-being.



Gandhi Jayanthi Special Assembly



Honoring the Father of the Nation: Class 7B's Tribute. The students of Class 7B conducted a special assembly on Gandhi Jayanti to commemorate the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the Father of our Nation. The programme beautifully reflected on Gandhiji's life, values, and principles of truth, non-violence, and simplicity. The assembly began with a prayer, followed by a series of speeches delivered by the students, highlighting various aspects of Gandhiji's life—his role in India's freedom struggle, his dedication to truth and non-violence, and his vision for a peaceful world. Each speech inspired everyone to follow his teachings in daily life. A dance performance by the students added a vibrant touch to the event. Through expressive movements and meaningful music, the performance portrayed Gandhiji's journey and his message of peace and unity. The assembly concluded with a short reflection emphasizing the importance of incorporating Gandhiji's principles in our lives. The students shared how small acts of honesty, kindness, and simplicity can help build a better society. Overall, the programme by Class 7B was both inspiring and educational, reminding everyone of the timeless relevance of Mahatma Gandhi's ideals.



Diwali Special Assembly

"Diwali is all about lighting up new dreams, fresh hopes, and undiscovered ways! The students of class VI B celebrated this Festival of Lights in a big way on October 17th, 2025. Their special assembly was a vibrant showcase of Diwali's significance, with melodious performances, colourful traditional attire, and a powerful message to celebrate an eco-friendly Diwali. The students' enthusiasm and creativity were infectious, and their dance performances left the audience mesmerized. The assembly highlighted the importance of unity in diversity, bringing people of different backgrounds together in celebration. Sujitha Mam, the academic coordinator, wrapped up the event with an inspiring message on the true spirit of Diwali. It was a truly unforgettable celebration, spreading joy, hope, and a renewed commitment to celebrate Diwali in a way that's kind to our planet!"



Annual Day 2025 - Sequel

“Oli Tharum Vizhigal - Duo Decennial Year Edition 2” was celebrated by Lightworker’s Academy on the 25th of October, 2025, reminding and emphasising the significance of teachers in each and everyone’s life. The teachers, students and management of LWA overcame several hurdles and made the event a grand success, just like Duo Decennial Year Edition 1! The programme started with the lighting of lamp alongside the prayer shloka by Annapoorani V and Keerthi Iyer of Class XII. Guru Ramakrishna Paramahansa and Swami Vivekananda blessed the event with their wise words, enacted by the students Karthik Sriram and Amaan. It was followed by the enthralling welcome song performed by our school choir and composed by music teacher Mr. Shakirullah and lyrics by Tamil teacher Mr. Neppolian. Next up, Mrs. Santhiya, the PGT English teacher, warmly welcomed the guest of honour and parents by delivering the welcome address. Moving on, a magnificent audio visual was presented, showcasing the captured images, videos and most importantly, heartfelt memories of Oli Tharum Vizhigal - Edition 1. After this, classes 3, 4 and 5 presented a skit on ‘Srishti’, which was based on folk tales and Therukoothu, proving through their performance that teachers are indeed very significant in our lives and deserve utmost respect. Right next, the Guest of honour, Dr. Subbalakshmi ma’am, delivered a thought provoking and inspiring speech, expressing her gratitude for being invited to this event and respect towards the management of LWA. LWA’s Principal Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan, thanked our guest for her benign presence, and commended the students and teachers of LWA for their hard work and determination towards the success of this event. “Vande Guru Paramparam”, an innovative skit performance as a tribute to the evolving role of teachers, was presented by the students of classes 6, 7 and 8. The words “advanced” and “future “ currently prove to be a synonym of Artificial Intelligence. The students of classes 9 to 12 left the audience in awe with their magnanimous skit, skilfully comparing the present and future modes of education in a humorous and entertaining way. As a final touch, Karthik Sriram of Class 6, Vaibhav of Class 8 and John of Class 11 displayed a unique and harmonious drum performance, which proved to be thunderous and powerful, just like the teachers of LWA, who gathered on the Dias with opulence. Finally, the comperes of the programme, Annapoorani Visvanathan, Samyuktha Murugesh, Thanusha R, Kalai Selvan J and Keerthi Iyer of Class XII delivered the hosts’ conclusion with a hint of emotion and loads of ecstasy. Last but not least, LWA’s grand Duo Decennial Year Edition 2 celebrations came to a close with Vote of Thanks by Head Girl, Sahana Saravanan, followed by the national anthem. In a nutshell, Oli Tharum Vizhigal beautifully encapsulated the essence of Lightworkers Academy - reverence for our teachers, joy in learning, and a shared commitment to spreading light through knowledge and compassion.





Grade3 – 5 Skit



Grade 3 – 5 Dance



Grade 9 – 12 Dance



Feedback Corner

Dear School Management Team,

I'm writing this note to express my heartfelt appreciation and gratitude to our beloved Principal, Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan, and the entire school team for organizing the Annual Day 2.0 celebration so beautifully within such a short span of time. After the first Annual Day celebration was disrupted by the unexpected heavy rain, it was indeed a heartbreaking moment for everyone – especially for our talented students who had prepared with so much dedication, and our wonderful teachers who had worked tirelessly behind the scenes. But Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan's remarkable empathy and leadership turned that setback into a story of triumph and resilience. Her quick and thoughtful decision to reconduct the celebration showed not only her deep understanding of every child's and teacher's emotions but also her inspiring belief in the power of perseverance. As the saying goes, "The comeback is always stronger than the setback." Her decision truly reminded us that challenges are not the end, but a new beginning to shine brighter. In her quiet yet strong way, she taught everyone that "You never fail until you stop trying." Annual Day 2.0 wasn't just an event – it was a celebration of spirit, teamwork, and never giving up. Every performance reflected that collective energy and passion. A special round of appreciation to all the kids who showed incredible maturity and enthusiasm to restart their practices and deliver their performances flawlessly once again. Their energy and joy lit up every corner of the stage and every heart in the audience.

Our sincere thanks also go to all the teachers for their tireless guidance, patience, and creativity in bringing together such a vibrant cultural fest – from the Welcome Song and Dance, to the Skits, Villu Paatu, and the many more memorable programs. Each segment was a perfect blend of effort, art, and emotion. I would like to extend a very special appreciation to Tamil Sir, Mr. Nepolean, for his beautiful and meaningful lyrics in the Welcome Song – truly poetic and inspiring. The soulful music composition by Shakir Sir added magic to those words, and when our lovely kids performed it with such harmony and joy, it became a performance we could watch without blinking – a moment that touched every heart. Thank you once again, Mrs. Santhi Swaminathan, for your vision, your empathy, and your unwavering commitment to our children. You have not only made this event a grand success but also left all of us with a message we'll cherish forever – to rise above challenges and never give up.

Warm regards,

Thanks and regards,

SUNIL SIVADASAN

(Prashansah & Hridhaan's Parent)

*Feedback
Corner*



Respected Madam, Smt. Santhi Swaminathan,
I, D. Ashok Kumar, parent of Bhoopesh Haran and Janav Haran, wish to express my sincere appreciation and gratitude to the Management, Principal, and Teachers of Lightworkers Academy for organizing and celebrating the Duodecennial Year with such grandeur and purpose under the inspiring theme "Oli Tharum Vizhigal." The celebration was truly a memorable and enlightening experience. Every element of the event – from the concept, performances, and coordination to the décor and presentation – reflected the school's unwavering commitment to excellence, creativity, and value-based education. It was heartening to witness the children radiate confidence, joy, and enthusiasm, embodying the essence of Lightworkers – spreading light and knowledge wherever they go. As a parent, I felt immense pride in seeing my children being nurtured in such a positive and inspiring environment. The dedication, guidance, and hard work of the teachers and the support of the management were evident in every detail of the program.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to the entire Lightworkers family for completing twelve wonderful years of illuminating young minds and shaping bright futures. May the Academy continue to grow from strength to strength, touching more lives and kindling more lights in the years to come.

With warm regards and appreciation,

D. Ashok Kumar
Parent of Bhoopesh Haran & Janav Haran

Hi, Congratulations to all teachers, staffs and students on successful completion of annual day despite rains, it depicts the dedication and steadfastness. We were glued into the performances and loved the act and messaging of the play dedicated to the teachers. Tears of joy and gratitude flowed out on many instances. The other performance with time machine concept was terrific and had the appropriate messaging, live in today, plan and work hard for the future. Kudos again to all participants on and off the stage.

Best Regards,
Kartik Subramanian
Parent of prathiksha kartik class 9



Fabulous great show yesterday!

Highlight of 2.0 is Dr subbulakshmi madam speech. Usually other speeches are kind of advising in nature. But she practically explains current affairs with our traditional values. Very crisp and solid speech. Her delivery of speech remind me her dad Subbhu Arumugam. The same villu pattu articulation of story telling. I have seen her in TV programmes together with her dad villu pattu programme. But I don't know she is a lyricist and author. Her determination to come 2nd time shows the respect and affection she had with Principal madam & staffs. She also rightly mentioned that Padma Shri madam managed the 1.0 show well even in rainy condition. That is apt appreciation. Current generation is surely missing all old Good folks like Villupattu Subbu Arumugam, Violin kunnakudi vaidyanathan, Kirubanandha variyar murugan speeches, Nattupura padal Dr Vijayalakshmi Navaneedha krishnan etc...Its good that you are bringing their generation to showcase in school platforms. Greatly appreciated. Idea of having 2 special guests is very good. That was visible yesterday incase if missing one chief guest. Please continue. Coming to programmes: Excellent vibes among students and teachers. No loss of energy in performance. Great work! Audience: since preschool program were completed in 1.0, those parents (usually grandpa, close relatives comes to watch their super kid's missing dance steps 😊) were not coming. Otherwise the entire hall must be occupied. Overall good amount of participation from parents side and shown greater cooperation till end. Arrangement: Excellent auditorium though costlier. Entry to exit , many VIT staffs guiding us to parking to venue. Rest room and drinking water arrangement is good. Suggestion- please put a display board in the entrance of gate 2, it's easier to navigate. In spite of this great AC hall, somehow I still missing the school open space annual day. 1.0 was spectacular because it was inside our own school premises with nature surrounding. Big display, great sound and light, sitting in grass garden , food arrangement all shows your team work & self satisfaction. Always more pride and satisfaction comes from our own efforts of function decoration and arrangements i think. Only issue is , rainy session. You may consider your policy change in conducting Annual day between Jan to August months. Anyway its my feeling. But majority parents appreciated yesterday venue 😊. Once again, thanks to all staffs and students who relentlessly not giving up and successfully conducted & concluded this mega annual day positively! Thanks to principal madam, as chief guest pointed out (even I also thought), for arranging in this mega auditorium the second show though it involves huge cost and one more effort. Thanks to teachers and staffs: Again , no visible tiredness in their face as if they do first time. Great work and thanks! Fabulous great show yesterday!

Mr Vijaykumar and Mrs Sangeetha

Parents of Senthamizhselvan and Keshav.



CSSC Zone6 Performing Arts Competition

TARANGINI, an Inter-School Arts Competition organized by the Zone 6 Peripheral Cluster (a unit of the Chennai Sahodaya Schools) on 30th October 2025 at BVM Global Bollineni Hillside Senior Secondary School, Perumbakkam. Our middle school students took part in the dance competition who exhibited different classical dance forms.



CBSE Reading Challenge

To assess the reading proficiency of the students, CBSE conducts Reading Challenge for the classes 6 to 12 every year. The Reading Challenge was conducted in English and Hindi and the following students were qualified for the next level

V.Krithika of Class VI
Gautam Vaddi of Class VII
Meryl of Class VIII
Prathiksha of Class IX
Preetham Vaddi of Class X



CBSE launched the CBSE Reading Challenge 2025-26

YES Competition

The Young Environmental Scientist (YES) program is a pioneering initiative by the Industrial Waste Management Association (IWMA) to motivate and support school children to carry out experiments and share their scientific findings. The first mentoring session for the Young Environmental scientist award was conducted at VIT, Chennai on 30th October. Two teams from class 8 presented their project.




INDUSTRIAL WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION (IWMA)
YOUNG ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTIST (YES) - 2025

ADMIT CARD

REGISTRATION NUMBER	YES-25-0001
BATCH NUMBER	170001
SCHOOL NAME	Lightworkers Academy
TIMEZONE	Asia/Chennai
PARTICIPANTS NAME	1. Pooja 2. Lakshmi 3. Lakshmi 4. Lakshmi

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FYULE Young Leadership

Fyule Video Lab recently conducted the Young Leadership Programme, a contest designed to hone leadership skills in students from grades 1-9. The programme focused on six essential 21st-century skills: critical thinking, creative thinking, collaboration, ethical decision-making, communication, and ownership.

Key Highlights:-

- Participation:** All students from grades 1-9 participated in Round 1, held on October 29, 2025, free of cost.
- Certification:** Participation certificates were awarded to all students.
- Eligibility for Round 2:** Qualified students from Round 1 can participate in Round 2, with an optional fee of ₹599.
- Awards:** Medals and certifications will be awarded at the district and state levels, with trophies for the top 10 schools. This initiative aims to nurture young leaders, equipping them with essential skills to excel in their future endeavors.

Diwali Celebration – Class Prep Activity



Diwali Celebration



Class Prep – Parent Testimonial About Annual Day

Yuvarani Padmasri Prep

First of all thank you so much mam. ivulo children's ah preform pandrathu rmba kastam. childrens rmba nalla performance pannunga super ah irunthu mam. 🙏

12:23 pm

~ **Claudius S**

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Mam, the Annual Day dance was just amazing 🎉🌟👏! Kids performed so well, all thanks to your energy, creativity, and guidance 🙏

12:34 pm

Jothisha Anston Prep

Dear Ma'am,
Thank you so much for your wonderful guidance and effort. The dance performance was beautifully organized and the children really enjoyed it. We appreciate your hard work and dedication in making the Annual Day such a grand success 🌟

12:41 pm

😊❤️ kavitha ❤️😊 **Krishna Jayanth Prep**

Dear mam,
The annual day was so good.....All the kids were so happy and all danced so good.

Thank you mam for your hard work and for making the annual day a great memory 🙏👏🎉.

1:42 pm

Saran Krithvik Prep

Dear Madam, The evening was most colourful and we were awestruck to see the tiny tots performing with synergy. It proved the mettle training provided by the teachers. Also a special mention about pampering our kids throught the event. Much appreciation to the entire team. 🍌🍌

4:03 pm

PARENT TESTIMONIAL

Komathi Mahalakshmi Prep

Your preparation with the costume and dance coordination is very nice, childrens enjoyed the program and rocked the stage ❤️ thank you for your support 🙏👏 congratulations mam

12:17 pm

Dhivya Aegan prep

Dear ma'am,
We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your dedicated efforts in preparing the students for the Annual Day performance. The confidence, enthusiasm, and joy shown by the children on stage were a true reflection of your hard work, creativity, and guidance. Thank you for inspiring them and making the event so memorable. 🌸🌸

10:12 am

Momambikamanokaran Prabhanjan Prep

Good morning Ma'am,

The annual day celebration was excellent. The students' dance performances were well-structured, well-organized, and executed with great confidence. Their dedication and talent were clearly visible, and such a presentation is not easy to achieve. We could also see the sincere efforts and guidance of the teachers reflected in every performance. Congratulations to the entire team for the success of the program. Thank you.

9:17 am

October

Month

Fun
Activities

Class Prep – Activity On Unity Day



Class Nursery, Prep



Class 2 & 3 - Unity Day Activity



Class 8 – Activity On Unity Day



EVS activity - Class 3A and 3B Rock Painting Activity On Insects And Worms



Activity On Unity Day – Street Play on Nukkad Natak

To mark the celebration of National Unity Day, commemorating the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the students of class 6 and 7 of Lightworkers Academy presented a street play on “Bardoli Satyagraha”. The play highlighted the significant role of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel in uniting the people of Bardoli and leading them to stand together against unjust tax laws imposed by the British. Through expressive acting, powerful dialogues and teamwork, the students conveyed the values of unity, courage and leadership. Similarly, Students of Class VIII enthusiastically presented a Nukkad Natak (street play) titled “Ekta Hi Hamari Pehchaan”. The play highlighted the importance of unity in diversity and depicted how Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel united the princely states of India after independence. The students portrayed different regions of India—North, South, East, and West—showing their cultural differences and how mutual understanding and love keep the nation together. Through dialogues, songs and slogans like “Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat” and “Hum Sab Ek Hain”, the young performers conveyed the message that India’s strength lies in its unity. The play successfully brought out the spirit of National Unity Day and helped everyone understand how collective strength and unity can bring about great change. The activity aimed to instill patriotism, teamwork and awareness about India’s freedom struggle among the students. It was an inspiring and educational experience for all.





TALENT HUNT



SARVIKA 4B



Thank You

