



PRAKRITHI MAHOTSAV

Mission Green Schools

We at Springdays were very happy to be a part the Mission Green Schools initiated by the CBSE Board. We carried out various activities to reinforce positive attitudes and values towards preserving Mother Nature.

Planting trees of native species:

Students were given the responsibility of planting of 11 trees of native species. Each tree was given a unique name of martyrs to have a personal touch. Children enjoyed the activity and they promised that they will take care of the growth of those plants.

| S.NO. | NAME OF PLANT SPECIES | NAME GIVEN TO PLANT | HEIGHT IN (INCHCES) |
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| 1. | TERMINALIA CATAPPA | BHAGAT SINGH | 5ft |
| 2. | CALOPHYLLUM INOPHYLLUM | CHANDRASEKHAR AZAD | 6½ft |
| 3. | FICUS RACEMOSA | BAL GANGADHAR TILAK | 4½ft |
| 4. | AZADIRACHTA INDICA | JAWAHARLAL NEHRU | 6ft |
| 5. | PONGAMIA PINNATA | MANGAL PANDEY | 8ft |
| 6. | PHYLLANTHUR EMBLICA | CHITTARANJAN DAS | 3½ft |
| 7. | SYZYGIUM CUMINI | SUKHDEV THAPAR | 4ft |
| 8. | SWIETENIA MAHAGANI | BIPIN CHANDRA PAL | 5ft |
| 9. | PTEROCARPUR SANTALINUS | MOHANDAS KARAMCHAND GANDHI | 4ft |
| 10. | CASSIA FISTULA | RAJGURU SHIVARAM | 6ft |
| 11. | LAGERSTROEMIA SPECIOSA | SUBASH CHANDRA BOSE | 4ft |

Glimpses of the plantation activity:



Principal of our School started off the “Green Mission Campaign” by handing over the placards to the Head Girl and the Representatives of Junior and Senior Schools.



Students of Junior and Senior School holding the placards of the Names of the Trees.



Children keenly listening to the introductory speech given by the teacher emphasizing on the importance of the Green Mission



Vice Principal of the School guiding the children in planting the trees

Few more pictures of the children planting different species of plants :



"Vanamahotsav":

"The celebration of a green world" a beautiful topic that the students of Class VII depicted with great poise and enthusiasm. A green world is the need of the hour. Keeping this in mind, a puppet show was organized by the children enlightening the essence of afforestation. If we sow the seeds of growth and prosperity, we leave behind a generation of happiness and joy. But each of it will leave the earth high and dry. This was the idea generated for the audience to understand and contemplate on. In addition, a mock interview between a Political Leader and a Reporter was also conducted to brainstorm on the problems at hand and the solutions possible. The programme culminated with a few interesting facts elaborating on the current scenario of the world around. The problem of deforestation, its insidious growth and measures to stop this vicious circle were spread across to the audience at large.

Pictures depicting the activities conducted by the children as a part of Vanamahotsav:



Students presenting a Puppet Show about the need for afforestation



A mock interview between a Political Leader and a Reporter presented by the students as a Role play.

