

BROOKFIELD INSIDER



E-NEWSLETTER FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2022



**"NEVER GIVE UP,
STAY FOCUSED,
STAY POSITIVE...
AND LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE"**

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Students and Parents

"As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words but to live by them."

With these words of John F. Kennedy, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to my loving children and the worthy parents for their constant contribution in cooperating to implement 'New Normal'. We have together surged, dynamically, in a gust of hope, courage and purpose to overcome the pungency of the pandemic.

An education system that develops the child's imagination is the best. The imagination is where new ideas are created, and progress becomes possible. "Imagination is more important than knowledge" because knowledge is about what we already know, whereas imagination is what moves individuals and cultures forward. Imagination leads to innovation.

As we come to this end of the academic session, my dear students, remember, examinations are a test of progress. If you did not score good marks in terminal exams for whatever reason so far, you could still excel in your Annual examination. All you need to do is keep on trying with confidence and dedication. At the same time, I would also like to urge every student to study hard during the exam period and look after themselves. My advice is to plan your time carefully and take enough rest to concentrate well while studying and writing your exams. I genuinely understand that exams bring their stresses, so remember you are not alone if you feel stressed or anxious. We all are with you, and you are always welcome to share your concerns or anxieties with your teacher or even with me.

I hope and pray that you give your best and achieve your goal.

All the best!



DR JAY KUMAR SINGH
FOUNDER PRINCIPAL



VASANT PANCHAMI CELEBRATIONS

**“I HEAR AND I FORGET, I SEE AND I REMEMBER,
I DO AND I UNDERSTAND.”**

Beautiful sights, flowers, birds, sweets and kites, Vasant Panchami truly delights!

On **5th February 2022**, **Brookfield International School** celebrated the festival of **Vasant Panchami** with lots of creativity, entertainment and imagination. "**Vasant Panchami**" is the Hindu festival where Goddess Saraswati, the Goddess of knowledge, music and art, is worshipped. The founder Principal of the School, **Dr JK. Singh** venerated Goddess Saraswati and invoked her blessings on the onset of the new season.

To enjoy this beautiful festival with enthusiasm, Brookfield International School has made endless efforts and celebrated this festival on an online mode with immense zeal and energy. The school had various activities planned and conducted through Google Classroom for all the students. Grade Nursery to U.K.G. had participated in a colourful Paper Kite Making Competition. Grade I&II prepared beautiful Kite Shaped Bookmarks. Greeting Card making competition with the theme "Blossom is the way of life" was held for Grades 3 to 5. Essay Writing Competition was conducted for Grades 6 to 9 on the topic- Spring: A season of Life Lessons wherein the students wrote meaningful lessons that they can learn from this season.

The honourable **President of the school, Mr Manav Singla** and esteemed management wished all the students and their parents on this occasion, hoping for a better future for everyone and quoted, "Spring will come and so will happiness. Hold on; Life will get warmer!" The **Founder, Principal, Dr JK Singh** spoke about the five lessons which Spring teaches us, Humility; The tough season prepares us for the best, You can always start over, It is time to sing just like the birds and lastly, Be your beautiful self.

The Prize winners were awarded certificates for their creativity and talent.



ONLY PASSION ISN'T ENOUGH

"Your mind is a powerful thing. When you fill it with positive thoughts, your life will start to change" - Gautama Buddha.

'Motivation Management' session with guest speaker, **Mr Rakesh Tomar**, a renowned Principal and trainer, having considerable experience in education took place in the premises.

The session gives teachers the knowledge to create classrooms with great bonding, productivity, and more fun and motivation. Since a new generation takes over the schools, it is necessary to understand how to motivate younger individuals and increase learning efficiency by 10-21% in 6 months.

This session highlighted that motivation directly impacts how an individual learns. The effects of motivation are far-reaching because it increases an individual's energy level, determines the persistence in reaching a specific goal, affects the types of learning techniques used and an individual's thinking processes. The session was concluded with this quote from Helen Keller-"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope or confidence."

A background image showing a group of students in a classroom, some wearing face masks, sitting at desks. On the left, there is a decorative display with a plant-like structure and labels: 'CE', 'FLOWER', 'STEM', and 'ROOTS'.

***“LANGUAGE IS THE BLOOD OF
THE SOUL***

INTO WHICH THOUGHTS RUN AND OUT OF WHICH THEY GROW.”

INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY

Brookfield International School celebrated International Mother Language Day to promote the dissemination of mother tongue and awareness of linguistic and cultural traditions on 21st February 2022. The founder principal, Dr JK Singh, said that the celebration of this event would highlight the linguistic diversity of our country and giving utmost respect to the mother language is the duty of every human being. Our focus is to understand and draw attention to the diversity of cultures in India and ignite the love for the mother language in the school's students.

Activities like Poetry Recitation, Slogan Writing, Calligraphy, Singing Competition, Speech, Essay Writing, Poster Making, Debate and Small skit to celebrate and honour the Mother Language of our state-Punjab were organised.

Our tiny ones spread bliss hope and brightened the campus with thoughts of imagination & creativity. The president of the school, Mr Manav Singla, appreciated the talent and creativity of the students and urged them to keep their love for their mother language alive in their hearts throughout their lives.



LEADERSHIP IN EDUCATION MEANS LEARNING

"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education." -
Martin Luther King, Jr.

Brookfield International School conducted a session with guest speaker, **Mr Arvind Srivastava**, on 'Pedagogical leadership'. It helped the teachers have significant objectives and purpose in the spectrum of leadership qualities and facilitated their personalities' much-needed glow and intellectual charisma.

The session trained the teachers of Brookfield International School to be Pedagogical leaders, which focuses on supporting teaching and learning. Pedagogical leaders influence children's learning by fostering family engagement, ensuring fidelity to the organization's curricular philosophy, using data to evaluate the learning program's effectiveness, and meeting standards established to optimize learning environments.