

The Premia Academy

The Premia Pulse

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An Ode to the Grandparents!

From The Editor's Desk

September was quite exciting from the first day to the last one!

We kicked it off with the E4 Circuit, followed it up with celebrating our teachers and the momentum continued with numerous internal and external events and achievements, of course.

"True learning requires active participation."
- Robert Kiyosaki

And participate we did! We encouraged students and teachers alike to put their best foot forward and seek opportunities to test their mettle, regardless of the outcomes.

-Nandika Preetham Faculty In-charge, Ministry of Literary Affairs





Open House

Buzz from the Pre-primary Wing

The Open House event on 1st September was a delightful spectacle. Students from Nursery, PP I, and PP II wowed everyone with their presentations on **Community Helpers, Aquatic Animals, and Seasons**, using creative props. What set it apart was the parent engagement! They crafted community helper vehicles using paper plates, created charming aquariums, and illustrated beautiful seasonal scenes. It was a heartwarming and unique touch to this memorable event!

- Adiva J (Gr. IX)

























It takes a village to RAISE a child!

Students from Grades I - XII were as busy as bees working their way through the 4-step cycle of the E-4 circuit - Explore, Express, Endure, and Elevate. The topics covered across the classes revolved around the central theme of Vasudhaiva Kutumbkam- It takes a village to RAISE a child. Learners delved into research and shared their perspectives on how to create a better tomorrow by improving our current environment.

- Zaara Ali Syeda (Gr. IX)

Grade I: Beyond Languages

How languages bring people together.



Grade II: Sharing Similarities, Celebrating Differences

Navigating global environments by comparing cultures.







Grade III: Environmental Economics

Analysing the effects of global warming on trade, agriculture, natural resources, health and tourism.





Grade IV: Cyberwoods

Use of Internet - E-commerce, Digital Payments, Educational Resources, Entertainment, and ensuring cyber safety while using the internet.



Grade V: Technology

Evolution and innovation in technology in Farming, Healthcare, Transportation, and Infrastructure.



Grade VI: Mindfulness & Self-care

Sharing the best practices in self-care and nutrition from around the world.





Grade VII: Folktales

Bringing people together through storytelling.













SUSTAINABLE CITIES

Grade VIII: Reducing Inequalities

Exploring peace, justice and fairness.









Grade IX: Building Communities

A vision for Future India.







Grade X - XII: Genome Village

The basics of genetics.















Grade XI & XII: Premia Sharks

Business case studies like KFC & Mumbai Dabbawaalas.









Grade X - XII: Chemist's Palette

Demonstrating chemical reactions.







Grade IX - XII: Village Verdict

Concepts of work, power, energy in action.









Grade IX - XII: Math Marvels

Appreciating Math in the world around us.













Interact Club

Installation Ceremony

'Personality has the power to uplift, power to depress, power to curse, and power to bless.' words said by Paul Harris, one of the founders of the acclaimed Rotary Club, which was formed for humanitarian services. We are pleased to announce the installation of the Interact club of the Premia Academy which aims to create a lasting change in the world.

For the first official interact club assignment, the students took a trip to the Animal Care Centre, Fattullaguda, for an Adopt a Tree initiative by the Rotary Club of Banjara Hills on the 16th of September where each of them had the opportunity to plant a sapling as well as have their names engraved alongside each of them. The members were exuberant at the future prospects of service for the environment and the people around them.

- Yuveka Suchith Khandelwal (Gr. XI)









Portfolios	Student's Name
President	Yuveka Suchith Khndelwal
Vice - President	Mohammed Faizaan Ur Rehman
Secretary	Aman Samuel K
Treasurer	Abdullah Baig
Director - Projects	Harini Alwala
Director - Club Administration	Riyanka Yadwadkar
Director - Club Trainer	Aakasapu Shashwath
Director - Public Image	Anughna Budaga
Director - Fund Raising	Lalith Sai Galla
Joint Secretary	Balahansini Gujja



Events & Celebrations

Janmashtami Assembly

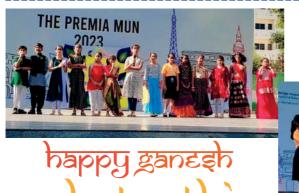
Janmashtami is a festival that celebrates the birth of Lord Krishna, a symbol of divine love.

The students presented the importance of playfulness and mischief in life, and the emphasis of universal compassion through dance and songs with great enthusiasm and devotion. It was a memorable event!

- Jia Lakhanpal (Gr. XI)







Ganesh Chaturthi & Hindi Diwas

beautiful occasions of Ganesh Chaturthi and Hindi Diwas were celebrated together! Students recited Hindi couplets and performed a melodic song to mark the

Lord Ganesha was welcomed heartily by our school with a devotional invocation dance, accompanied by a speech on the significance of the day and symbolic meaning with regard to Lord Ganesha's

- Samyukthaa M. (Gr. XI)

Grandparents' Day

Tiny-Tots commenced Grandparents' Day on a musical note, striking the chords of love! They sang a musical medley of rhymes such as "Nani teri morni" and "Baby shark". The dadadadis & nana-nanis walked the ramp with grace and put up a dance performance. The little ones showed their gratitude by making lovely greeting cards for their grandparents!



- Samyukthaa M. (Gr. XI)

Freshers 2023

Grade XII organised a vibrant and spirited Fresher's Party for Grade XI, which included a ramp walk, quiz, mesmerising dances, and an array of games.

We had the privilege of crowning the deserving individuals, Aaron and Yuveka as Mr. and Ms. Premia Pride.

The event forged a bond between both classes, and as the first batch of 12th in Premia, we wish for the tradition to be continued.

- Rachel Pearl (Gr. XII)



Experiences

Ventriloquism Show

On 27th September, we had an incredibly fun ventriloquism show for the pre-primary kids conducted by M. Santosh Kumar, an international ventriloquism artist, voice coach and TEDx speaker. It was truly an unforgettable experience for the little ones to witness the fun talking puppets!





-Shalini Banerjee (Gr. XI)







Literacy Day

Our students of Grades IV & V celebrated Literacy Day by going to the Sri Saraswathi Shishumandir High School.

They taught them topics such as types of plants, a few dance moves (by Nairah), some karate moves (by Jashan) and nouns (by Tara).

Subsequently, they presented interesting hand-made teaching aids and goodies. A captivating interaction for both-mentors & mentees!

-Shalini Banerjee (Gr. XI)

Early Years Field Trips - Gandipet Park & Birla Planetarium

The Pre-primary students were fascinated by Gandipet Lake and engaged in various games. Grades I and II visited the Birla Planetarium, where they enjoyed the 3D Universe and were thrilled to see the huge dinosaur's skeleton.

- Prisha Pandey (Gr. X)









Setting Up For Success

Plaksha University

On August 18th, 2023 we had a representative of the Plaksha University at our campus for a counselling session with the students of grades XI and XII. The session gave our young minds more information about various fields of specialised science. We hope this session helped the students regarding their career choices.





Ashoka University

The seminar outlined the undergraduate programmes available and what they offered, more importantly, highlighting how to apply and what they were looking for, including the Do's and Don'ts of applications - such as ensuring it is reviewed by a trusted source, making sure it is genuine so that it matches an on-the-spot essay and more. It also explained the non-academic engagement, possible questions, and retrospection, giving us much clarity.

- Aaron Maricar (Gr XI)



Mindler - Career Guidance Program

The Mindler session gave the students more insight into what it actually means to choose a career, and how to go about the process. The session threw light on what aptitude is, and how it helps in understanding strengths and prominence in different areas.

The students were then introduced to profile building, which highlighted that one's profile is a representation of their abilities and skills. The Mindler team recommended that they join exchange programs, internships and build academics, to strengthen their profiles.

- Zaara Ali Syeda (Gr. IX)



Ambitus World School MUN 2023

The Premia Pride participated in the Junior MUN held on 8th September 2023, as the Ambitus World School. I got the opportunity to participate as the Delegate of Argentina in the WFP committee. It was my first experience in an MUN and the sessions were excellent. To top it all, I won the Best Delegate Award!

- Annika Verma (Gr. VI B)





Celerbrating Our Teachers

Eldrok K12 Leadership Summit

On 12th September, our beloved principal, Ms. Trupti Rao, who believes in creating future generation leaders and shaping them for their future from an early age, received the K-12 School Leaders Award for Excellence in Focusing on Comprehensive Evaluation for Creating Future Leaders. Her leadership has truly impacted and changed the lives of our learning students.



Indian Principal's Network

The IPN Foundation had its Hyderabad Confluence on 16th September 2023 at the Lemon Tree Premier Hotel. The theme of the event was "Technology in Education - The Paradigm Shift". The event was about the challenges technology has brought into the present education system. Our revered Principal Ma'am, Ms. Trupti Rao was one of the panelists in the event along with the other esteemed school's leaders.

- Prisha Pandey (Gr. X)



Teacher's Day - in the words of Ms. Asra Mubeen, Student Counsellor

After COVID, when the school reopened and the children were back, they were just a big bunch of wisecracks.

In horror, when you turned to the internet gurus, they said, Oh! It's just a phase, not some voodoo.

To keep you positive, they added, "Remember, what doesn't kill you makes you stronger.

You said, Dude, You speak for yourself!

We have a group of two-legged unstoppable Duracell batterypowered adorable troubles!

When you spoke to the parents, instead of helping, they started to preach to you how to teach their little children anew; they were kindly referred to the counsellor's room as your last beacon and to tighten their screws.

After days of sleeplessness and little change, you looked around to see if you were the only crazy one, but you found many in the background.

When you looked at the management helplessly, they said, "We have your back, don't you worry. Together, we can truly find plenty of solutions in a flurry.

So, What did YOU do????

- From Roots, you transformed into a Premia tree.
- From bagging CBSE affiliation to bragging about Cambridge affiliation in a single year.
- From online mode to offline

- From three buses to a sizable fleet of fifteen
- From one headmistress to two
- •From a family of 55 (teachers, support staff and students) to a family of 812
- •From zero pets to a cuddly pair of two
- •From winning a couple of medals to a treasure trove of allround laurels
- •From the ground floor to the third floor
- •From dragging your tired feet to walking with a swag!
- •From going insane to becoming a burning Olympic flame
- •From going to pieces to handling everything with ease and finesse.
- From unsure cubs who would hide to growing into a majestic Premia Pride!

It's all because of YOU, and you conquered it all in style, too.

Now, when anything challenging comes, you just say "Oh! Bring it on!! The games on"!

A big salute and a heartfelt gratitude for not hanging up your boots as we couldn't have done it without every single one of you. !



Achievements

Eduten - Finnish Math Pedagogy

The digital program by Eduten has wellstructured content incorporating fun, adaptive assessments, and personalized weekly reports. It aids learners in increasing their speed of mental calculation. The trophies at the end of every level enthuse them to set their goals. The questions are built in the form of games and puzzles to enhance critical thinking skills.

Our faculty - Ms. Nandini, Ms. Ruchi, and Ms. Supriya, were appreciated by Eduten for successfully completing the pilot run in our school.





Collins Awards - Teacher Recognition

On the occasion of Teachers' Day, Collins Publications awarded our teachers to recognise their skills and talents!

Path Breaker: Ms. Sowmya Sree, Ms. Anitha, Ms. Suneetha

Kindness Galore: Ms. Deepa, Ms. Anjum, Ms. Padmavathi Beacon of Hope: Ms. Pallavi, Ms. Shradha, Ms. Subhadra Out-of-the-box Thinking: Mr. Aashutosh, Ms. Richa, Mr.

Digital Supremo: Ms. Nandini, Ms. Manjula, Ms. Ruchi T.

Kudos to Madhavi Sanskriti!

Madhavi, a student of Gr. XII was invited as an Executive Board Member at Meridian School Madhapur for their MUN as their Vice Chairperson of the NATO Committee. She also featured as the Vice Chair for the UNODC Committee at Epistemo MUN. Keep it up!







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Enterprise Adventure

The Enterprise Adventure is a youth-led initiative created by Teach A Man To Fish, United Kingdom that educates teenagers about running a business. Samyukthaa and Savvy, students of Gr. XI successfully completed Planning and Running a Business!









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