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How quickly this term has passed and we are already at the end of 2023!

Looking back, the Lower Elementary Class has been busy and productive.

We enjoyed a Culture Day, the whole school went on an outing to FunCity Amusement Park to celebrate World Children's Day and those who do swimming had an opportunity to show off their swimming skills at the swimming gala.

Everyone is looking forward to a well-deserved break in December.





In November the Lower Elementary Class spent time learning about Culture and how people from different countries have different cultures.

We discussed food, clothing, dance and customs. Each child got to make a poster showing their culture. This culminated in food from each child's culture being shared with the class. We had great parent support and the experience ended on a high note with everyone







The class has thoroughly enjoyed singing and dancing when doing music every Thursday.

Miss Martha has done a great job in taking the lead and making this a really fun and energetic end of day activity.

Music from different cultures, drumming and dancing have proved to be a great hit.





Our outing to FunCity Amusement Park to celebrate World Children's Day, took place on Friday 17 November.

We had a very excited group of students who were looking forward to a day out in the fresh air. The day was thoroughly enjoyed by all!

It was lovey to see from the youngest to the oldest child running around and having fun.

The highest slide was conquered by staff and students alike, the jumping castle provided a lot of fun and the trampolines proved to be a great hit.

After snack everyone was excited to change into swimming gear and run through the water rings.

The day ended with some art activities which calmed the excited spirits down and prepared everyone to go home.



On Friday, 1 December, the students that participate in after school swimming lessons had the opportunity to demonstrate the skills they have learned in their lessons this term.

It was heartwarming to see our littlest students showing how they can blow bubbles, swim under water and have fun at the same time.

The older students got to show off their stroke skills and had the opportunity to swim in some races and perform in a relay.

We than Mr Mostern for his tireless efforts with all our swimmers!

## "Play is the work of the child" Maria Montessori.

### PRESCHOOL UPPATES

It's hard to believe that this term has come to an end. We have had a wonderful time with our Montessori school, filled with events and activities that the children have thoroughly enjoyed. We are thrilled to see our children excelling in all the areas of their developmental growth. We are particularly proud that they have learned to greet others, say 'thank you,' 'I'm sorry,' and please









#### THE WINNING MARKET DAY STALL



Market day was a great success, bringing joy to our young entrepreneurs. They learned about money, including the different colours of paper money, counting, exchanging goods and money, and preparing food to sell. It was a fun and educational experience for everyone involved.















The children arrived at school with a positive attitude, noticing the decorations on the playground and enjoying the music. They eagerly joined in the dancing and shared their food with others, creating a sense of togetherness and gratitude. We are glad to see that the school party promoted social interactions, communication, cooperation, and empathy among the children.

#### PARENTS TEACHER MEETING

We would like to express our gratitude to all the parents who attended the parent-teacher conferences. Your presence is highly valued and has a significant impact on the developmental growth of our children, both at home and at school.

#### UPCOMING TERM 2 REOPENS 8 JANUARY 2024

We have been planning various indoor and outdoor activities for the upcoming term, which will be filled with exciting opportunities for the children to engage in. We eagerly look forward to the new term.

We wish all of you a happy and relaxing summer holiday!