

SMILE GROUP REPORT

2019-20



There are 15 children in Smile Group between 5 and 7 years in age. Except for a couple of children, all are regular. All of them reach by 7:30 am and have their breakfast. All the children eat nicely and eat whatever is given.

HEALTH AND HYGIENE:

Then they reach school at 8:30 am and brush their teeth. Followed by cleaning their group and decorating flowers. They come neat and clean from home. This year they learnt how clean themselves and are toilet trained. They always apply oil on their hair, clean themselves and also wear their own clothes. They wash their hands before eating and wash their own plates.

CIRCLE TIME:

After cleaning up, all nicely sit in a circle and start chanting. We have circle time 8:45 am- 9:30 am. They have learnt many new chants like-

- Karagreyvasate Lakshmi
- Om Tatsaviturvaram Rupam
- Gayatri Mantra
- YoyoYa Yam
- Sri Aurobindo's Gayatri Mantra
- Mahamritunjay Mantra
- Ramaya Ramaya Bhadraya



After chanting they sing some bhajans and action songs. They mostly like animal songs. They fully enjoy the action songs with jhunjhuna (hand held percussion instrument). The new bhajans they have learnt are-

- Jay Ganesh deva
- Sweet Mother (English)
- Subha Savere Lekar
- Kali Kamli
- Ganapati Bappa
- Chhote Chhote Gayyan
- Student's Prayer



The new Hindi songs that they have learnt are-

- Hind desh ke Niwasi
- Do Chuhe The
- Bandar Mama Pahan Ke Chashma
- Main Tota
- Munnaa Badaa Pyaaraa
- Meow Meow

- Chidiya Rani
- Lakadi Ki Kathi
- Ek Thi Billi
- A se anar(the alphabet song)
- Chin chi karti ayi chidiya
- Haste gate

English songs-

- 1) Butterfly, Butterfly
- 2) One Proud Peacock
- 3) Chai Chai Coffee Coffee
- 4) Old Mac Donald Had a Farm
- 5) The wheels on the bus go round and round
- 6) Sing a song
- 7) When the sun shines
- 8) Letter song (a, b, c,...)
- 9) How many fingers on one hand
- 10) I love to count
- 11) One man went to mow

LANGUAGE:

HINDI:



In Hindi class we communicate with them through sentences and stories, with pictures and reading picture books. Their pronunciation has improved. Some children can still not pronounce letters like kha, ka, pa, etc. They do some thinking activities like- we ask them questions and they think and answer. The questions are like-

Why do we take a bath?

Why do we wear clothes?

What will happen when we'll not be clean?

They draw some pictures and make their own stories. They have learnt names of colours, fruits, animals, trees, flowers and shapes in Hindi. We give them some free time for interaction with each other. They know the name and functions of external parts of body through Hindi rhymes. To improve their pronunciation we play word games and through this they make new words and sentences. They learnt about nomenclature of relatives through games. Sometimes as group activity we make them create never ending stories for their sentence improvement and thinking ability. For their development of good communication, we did some dramas with them.

ENGLISH

All the children can understand English stories and can answer when they are asked questions. They enjoy singing and learning English songs and also like to do English dramas. Some of the dramas that they performed are enormous turnip and ugly duckling. On Pranjal bhaiyas birthday they had performed a rainbow drama in English. All of them were able to learn their dialogues by heart. They have learnt some rhymes and songs like

- a) Johnny Johnny yes papa
- b) London bridge is falling down
- c) Twinkle twinkle little star
- d) Are you sleeping
- e) There's a sugary smell over there
- f) Look who is coming there
- g) Tree
- h) Kaa kaa shrieks the crow
- i) Away in a manger
- j) Kites kites everywhere
- k) Rainbow song



All of them can create their own stories in English. They are interested in listening to stories in English and are able to repeat the same story in English.

MATH ACTIVITY:



We have math activity from 10:30 to 11:30 am. They do mental activities. They learn sequence by matching the pictures through puzzles. They can do ten to fifteen piece puzzles. They enjoy playing with blocks. They can count up to twenty. They have learnt after and before number and between numbers. In one year they learnt addition and subtraction up to twenty through creative stories and objects. They can recognise numbers till twenty.

PROJECT (MY FAMILY)

We have project class from 11:30 to 12:00. We started project classes in the month of January.

In the project class they learnt their family members, how many members, relationship in Hindi and English, what kind of work their family members do.



SKILL MOTOR ACTIVITIES

We start our skill motor activity at 2:30 pm. They do fine motor skills like cutting and pasting, clay modelling, paper tearing, paper cutting, drawing, painting and colouring. They do gross motor skills like sweeping and mopping.



PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES



The smile group children are very active and energetic. They like to play outdoor games like chain and white tiger-yellow tiger on the field. They can run two or three rounds and do exercises in the field. For increasing their strength, they walk in the hills. They like to play indoor games and also play in the sandpit with kitchen set and digging holes.

CELEBRATIONS



Smile group children participate in all school programmes. This year they celebrated- July 5th (school's birthday), 15th August (Sri Aurobindo's

Birthday, Raksha Bandhan and Independence Day), Janmashtami, Ganesh Puja, Diwali, Pranjal bhaiya's birthday, Christmas, Basant Panchami, The Mother's birthday and Holi.

- July 5th- Nanha beej(play)
 - August 15th- Jana Gana Mana Adhi (Body movements)
 - August 15th- Raksha Bandhan (they made their own rakhi and tied to each other)
 - August 24th- Janmashtami (dance- radha dhundrahi)
 - September 2nd- Ganesh puja (Jay Ganesh)
 - October 27th- Diwali (made diyas and decorated the school)
 - November 29th- Bhaiya's birthday (what makes a rainbow- play)
 - December 25th- Christmas (action song- door Aakash me ek Tara)
 - January 9th- Sports day
 - January 29th- Basant Panchami (song- teri vinaki ban jaun tar)
 - February 21st- The Mother's Birthday (Sanskrit song- subha taba janmadibas- students prayer)
 - March 10th- Holi (enjoyed different types of food like fruit salad, chaat, gol gappa, boulder)
- We celebrate



birthdays of all the children. They are given new clothes and we sing birthday songs.

