



# Smt. Savita Govind English Medium Primary School

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## S.G.IGNITES

### From the Principal's Desk

- Mrs. Mili Singh  
Principal

*"Teach him if you can the wonder of books, but also give him quiet time to ponder the external mystery of birds in the sky, seas in the sun and flowers on a green hillside".*

- An extract from a letter by Mr. Abraham Lincoln to his son.

Keeping the above quoted lines in our mind, we at S.G. School (also known as Kadi English Medium School) believe in providing an enriching environment to our students that would be helpful in developing their innate qualities and blooming to their fullest, so that they can spread the fragrance of their skills and inner qualities to contribute in the development of the society and nation.

We are thankful to all the parents for rendering their kind co-operation and support throughout the academic session, Year 2014-15 and above all believing in us and our efforts.

We believe that the children have the power to create a wonderful future generation. They are thinkers, collaborators, communicators and innovators. We at S.G School, channelize their positive energy to make them believe that "CHANGE IS POSSIBLE, DREAMS ARE POSSIBLE, BECAUSE IMPOSSIBLE ALSO SAYS THAT I AM POSSIBLE".



*In remembrance of our late chairman, Shri Maneklal M. Patel Sir, who had been a symbol of "Peace, Knowledge & Vision" and constant source of inspiration for all of us, we dedicate this Newsletter to him so that in coming years too, he be our constant guide, light and path finder.*



*Wishing you all "A Very Happy & Prosperous New Year-2015".*





# The Confluence



**ACTIVITIES : June to December : 2014**

## DFC (Design for Change)

In Aug- Sep, 2014, we launched a wonderful & motivating project, Design for change (DFC) [Founder Ms.Kiran Bir Seeria of Riverside School, Ahmedabad] with the help of our primary kids and teachers of V to VIII Std. Kids were allotted the work of searching "a problem" that affected maximum students & staff in and around school & also find out "an effective solution" for it.

The entire project took approximately 2 months, whereby, work was divided in 4 steps:-

- 1) Feel : Students (DFC Kids) felt the problem of their fellow beings related to Health.
- 2) Imagine : DFC Kids created ideas to bring about an effective (medical) solution.
- 3) Think : DFC kids finally designed a magic kit & named it " Ayurvedic Kit ", containing kitchen herbs.
- 4) Share : DFC Kids spread their ideas & design to other schools through performing Skit , Drama & Songs. They also distributed Ayurvedic Kits to other School students. Finally, the project in the form of a Story was submitted in the month of Oct - 2014 at DFC- website of River Side School for further selection procedure nationally.



Ayurvedic kit



Drama on "Health Issues"



Street-Play



Making of Kit

## AWESOME S.G.!

### CLASS ROOM DECORATION



On 12/6/2014, the new academic session began with a beautiful activity by students of I to IV grade of decorating their classes to instill values of team work , beauty & dedication towards their school property.



### CAMEL- CART RIDE



On 22/6/2014, kids of I & II Std enjoyed a camel - cart ride to their hearts' content.

Kids got an experience to show their sensitivity, care and love for animals.

*"One run can change your day, Many runs can change your life."*





## HEART THROBS OF S.G

### INVESTITURE CEREMONY

On 2nd July 2014 , Investiture Ceremony was organized , during which school-prefects from different classes were selected as School- Captain , Sports - Captain & Class- prefect . In total, 48 students were honoured with badges followed by an oath ceremony that imbibed the values of responsibility & selfless service towards their fellow beings, teachers & society.



## S.G. INSPIRES

### COMPETITIONS



Different kinds of Inter- House Competitions had been organized since June 2014 for students of Std I to VIII to provide a firm - platform to them and to bring out their hidden talents like, Fancy dress, Mask -Making , Poem recitation , Reading, Quiz, Patriotic Song, Garba , Doha, Extempore, Drama, Folk-Dance, Candle- Decoration, Model Making , School-Logo-Making, etc



Fancy Dress



School Logo



Mask- Making



Reading



Quiz



Patriotic Song



Garba



Doha - Recitation

*"That some achieve great success, is proof to all that others can achieve it as well".*  
-Abraham Lincoln





## S.G. CELEBRATES INDIA

Varied festivals were celebrated in school to inculcate the value of "Unity in Diversity" as well as to achieve knowledge and understanding about different culture, tradition, caste and creed.



Rakshabandhan



Janmashtami



Teachers' Day



Christmas



Navratri



Diwali

ज़िन्दगी किसी के लिए नहीं रुकती,  
बस जीने की वजह बदल जाती है...



### कोशिशों का सफर

कल मुददतों बाद कोशिशों के पाँव हिम्मत लेकर मंज़िल से मिलने चले...  
मुश्किलों ने रोक के परेशानियों से मिलवाया और हिम्मत कुछ पस्त होने लगी...  
अगले मोड़ पर स्कावर्टों भरी थकान ने पकड़ के बिठा दिया...  
हौसले की हवा ने कोशिशों को सहारा दिया और चल पड़ी वो भी इस सफर में...  
धीरे धीरे तेज़ होती थापों की ताल सुनके फिर जोश भी साथ हो लिया...  
कदम अब दौड़ रहे थे और मंज़िल करीब लग रही थी...

शाम ने आराम के लिए उकसाया और पेड़ों की घनी छाओं से मिलवाया...  
दर्द जाग गया और उठने से मना करके सोने की गुजारिश करने लगा...  
अंधेरे के डरावने काले बादलों ने भी पलट जाने का हुकूम दिया...  
सब्र की चाँदनी ने बेताब चाहतों को भरोसा दिया और उम्मीदों का वादा किया...  
रौशनी की किरणों ने सोयी कोशिशों को झिझोड़ा...  
अब वो पाँव, फिर हिम्मतों, जोश और हौसले के साथ, मंज़िल की ओर बढ़ रहे हैं...

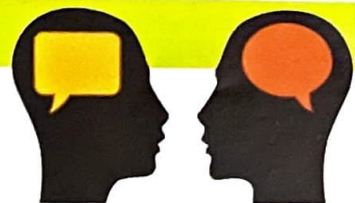
*Freedom in the mind, faith in the words, pride in our souls, lets salute our nation.*

*Vande Mataram*





## S.G. INTERACTS



### DEMONSTRATION

Demonstration is a traditional classroom technique used to achieve objectives related to psychological and intellectual development of a child's brain. With this aim we demonstrated many life significant acts, manners and rules to our kids for their holistic development



Puppet - show



Stuffed Toys



Traffic- signs and rules



Gift-wrapping



Paper-bag making

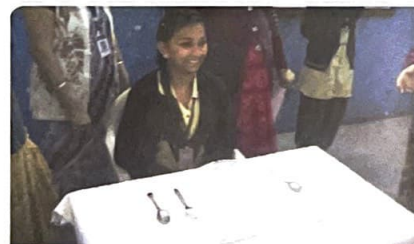


Table Manners

## "KEEP PACE WITH THE WORLD"



### THIRD PERSPECTIVE

On 9/7/2014, a team of doctors & Para-Medics visited our school & delivered a speech on "Healthy Habits & Significance of Physical Fitness. They also demonstrated different ways of Hygienic Habits".

Experts were invited to give special talks on the following topics to make kids understand the role of great leaders in past, health issues, safety, self-discipline, savings, etc.

- Hazards of swinging crackers and safety measures.
- Our Freedom Fighters
- Importance of Self- Discipline among Kids.
- Importance of our duties & Constitution.
- Importance of saving money in life.

#### Medical Check-up :

Govt. sponsored health check-up for kids was organized, under which their sense organs (eye, ear, skin) & teeth were diagnosed and Health-Card was provided to each and every child for follow-up.



*We wish you a very happy and healthy year 2015*



## S. G. VENTURES

LET'S FEEL THE THRILL!!

### ENVIRONMENT DAY/ GREEN DAY



On 18/6/2014 & 30/8/2014 grades I to VIII celebrated Environment Day / Green day through planting saplings, writing slogans & taking out a rally based on saving environment.

### THUMB PRINTING



On 06/09/2014, grades I to IV performed this activity with zeal & enthusiasm and learnt variety of designs that can be created as per their wish.

### Thanks Giving Day



During Diwali, Kids of I to VIII grades celebrated Thanks giving Day, a noble gesture towards elders in & around their School Campus by distributing gifts & sweets.

### CLAY WORK



On 15/10/2014, kids covered their hands and feet in colourful clay to give shape to their dreams in the form of different things, like plants, animals, natural landscapes, messages and slogans.

### CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION



On 14/11/2014, kids of grades I to IV visited Tirupati farm, Visnagar, to enjoy Pt. Jawaharlal Nehruji's birthday in the lap of nature.



On 14/11/2014, kids of grades V to VIII were shown a movie "BUM BUM BOLE" to spread the message of love, peace and fraternity.







## MY OWN EXPRESSIONS & REFLECTIONS

Beginning of the academic session, i.e., June-2014 onwards kids of grades I to VIII kids have created variety of designs on paper, depicting their thoughts about different fields of life, their emotions and thoughts.



Mahi Kumari I B



Arpit Patel I C



Bhagwati II A



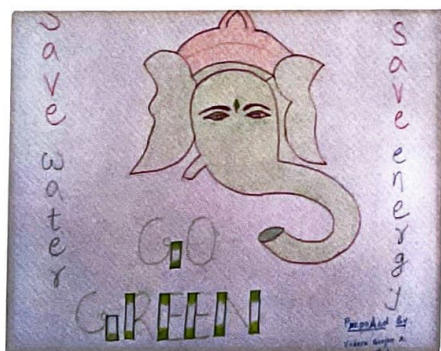
Palak Dave II D



Hitansh Parmar III D



Tirth Chaudhari IV B



Gunjan Vadera IV A



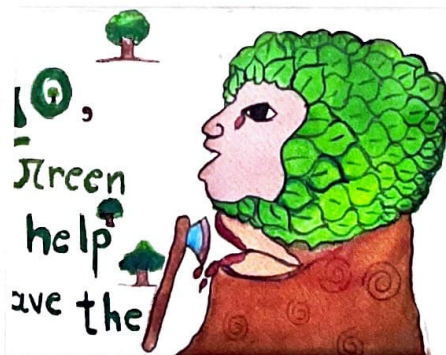
Neel Shah V A



Manan Patel VI C



Richa Patel VI B



Aditi Mori VII C



Yaani Patel VIII A



## "LET US WIDEN, OUR HORIZON" BEYOND S.G.

### Visits

Educational Visits were organized for grades I to VIII, to different places, gardens, museums & institutes; to learn, understand the significance of these places in the society. These places were:



Science City



U.N. Mehta Hospital,  
Ahmedabad



Kalupur Bank



Gandhi Ashram



Madhur Dairy



### BUDDING INNOVATORS OF S.G.



On 20/12/2014, science exhibition was organized by kids of grade V to VIII, that showcased different science models, charts as well as graphs.



On 21st & 22nd Nov., a craft exhibition-cum-fair was organized by students of grades III to VIII that displayed beautiful and breath-taking handiworks made up of various materials like, clay, jute, glass, paper, cloth, rangoli colors, pulses, flowers, leaves, games, etc.



## "YOUR INSPIRATION, OUR PERSPIRATION"



### Annual Sports Meet - 2014

Annual Sports meet for the year 2014-15 was held in SAI (Sports Authority of India) football ground, Sector -15, Gandhinagar, on 12th & 13th December 2014.

Shri Nayan Thorat Dist. Sports officer inaugurated the Sports Day and addressed our students with a motivational speech.

Sports - Meet was a grand success with 8-9 sports events for both sections.

Prize distribution ceremony was also held on the same day.



Elementary Section (I to IV) 13/12/2014

Primary Section (V to VIII) 12/12/2014



## HIT THE HEADLINES

### HOUSE POINTS

Below is the table showing total house points based on above all activities, events and competitions organized from June to December -2014.

RED	BLUE	GREEN	YELLOW	ORANGE
171	204	222.2	212.1	191.9







## A life with purpose at S.G.

### APPRAISAL@360°

An unique concept has been undertaken for our kids, since June-2014, to appraise & appreciate their efforts, whereby students from different classes are selected for rewards(certificates) every week, under different categories like, saving water & electricity, regularity, respectful towards elders, punctuality, honesty, kindness, innovative ideas, participative attitude, etc. to develop and promote life skills, positive attitude and values in life.

### ACHIEVEMENTS

**SPORTS:** S.G. kids have shown their calibre in the field of sports and come up with flying colours to place their school's name at the top among others by achieving success in getting selected for various sport-events at district, state and national level.

Level	District	State	National
No. of students	113	113	12

**PROJECTS:** S.G. kids of grade V to VIII (selected) along with their science teacher represented their school in 23rd National Childrens' Science Congress, 2014, by participating in a science project exhibition at Gandhinagar. They got selected at Taluka level and were presented with Shield and certificates. They represented their school at state level organized by Dept. of Science and Tech., Govt. of India and GUJCOST, Gujarat. Their topic was "Influence of weather and climate in the food habits of people of particular area." They competed among 300 schools of Gujarat state.



**SWACHHATA ABHIYAN:** "Cleanliness is next to godliness". Inspired by these golden words of Mahatma Gandhiji, Govt. of India organized a national cleanliness drive throughout the country. We too at S.G. supported this human drive wholeheartedly in our school by cleaning the classrooms, corridors and ground.







## STUDENT CORNER

### *"Importance of Activities in School "*

If you aren't sure whether or not you should let your high school students get involved in extra – curricular activities, you definitely need to look at few benefits that your teen will enjoy if you involve them in such activities .

According to me, one of the greatest benefit is "Time Management". Secondly "Understanding" Priorities in Life.

My school teaches me these two very important aspects of life to be prepared for future challenges. I am thankful to my teachers to create diverse interest & love in me for various subjects to get knowledge & apply them as well to lead a successful & happy life.

- Om B. Goswami,  
VII A.

### *"importance of Time"*

Time is precious, invaluable and one of the powerful factors of our life. We grow, live & perish in Time. "Time Waits for None." Time once lost, is lost forever. It can never be regained. Time is the most influential factor in this world. Everything in this world is commanded and decided by time.

Those who make best use of time & avail the opportunities, grow & rise in life. Those who waste their time, lag behind. They fail to make any mark in their life.

So, we should make best use of it in best possible ways.

- Anand P. Singh  
VII A

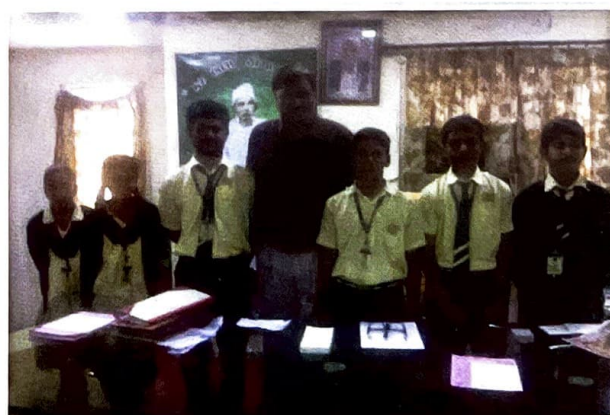


## WONDERS OF S.G.

### OUR GOLDEN ACHIEVERS

#### **FELICITATION CEREMONY**

Our Respected Chairman , Shri Vallabhbhai M. Patel Sir, felicitated our sport achievers who brought laurels to their school by winning certificates at District, State & National level Sport Events.



# *Congrats!!!*





## Guru Speaks



એસ. જી. સ્કૂલ  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
સંસ્કારનું સિંચન અહીં થાય રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
વિદ્યાના નીર અહીં વહેતા રે લોલ,  
હેતનો છે મીઠો પ્રવાહ રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
ફૂલો સમ બાળકોને ચાહતા રે લોલ,  
શિક્ષક છે પ્રેરણાના સ્રોત રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
પ્રવૃત્તિ બાળકોના હાથમાં રે લોલ,  
નિખરતો કલાનો શણગાર રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
વર્ગમાં ડહુકતા એવાં મોરલા રે લોલ,  
ભણતાં ને ગણતાં એ બાળ રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,  
જ્ઞાની-વિજ્ઞાની અહીં આવતાં રે લોલ,  
શબ્દોનાં કરતાં શણગાર રે,  
એસ. જી. અમારી મીઠી વડલો રે લોલ,

- Shri Jayesh Shrimali (Gujarati Teacher) ✶

## A World of Technology

In the present globalized world, we are living in the era of advanced technology . Every part of our daily life is related to technology in one or other way when compared with older days . We are having better facilities and even better luxuries with the help of increased technology. The development of technology is not confined to any one sector and all the industries and different sectors of society are developing new technologies according to their need of requirement . Technology is like a coin which has both positive and negative sides. We are the deciders and we have to choose how to use it. The usage of technology for over exploitation of resources should be always avoided . If we use it for positive things , it will have positive effect on our lives and vice-versa . Nobody would oppose the development of technologies in any sector but it should be in a positive way and they should not have any negative impact on present or future.

- Ms. Sonali Harry (Science Teacher)



## MAGICAL INSIGHTS

### What I love About SG

- ★ I love my school, my teachers and my classmates very much. They always help me & support me in my activities.  
Nayak Pratham (Std. I-D)
- ★ I like to come to my school every day , as I love my teachers for the efforts they put in for my studies.  
Upadhyay Saumya (Std II-A)
- ★ Since the day I took admission in S.G . I was surrounded by my loving classmates. I never feel lonely in School. My teachers too take care of guiding me through all odds.  
- Harpal Singh Zala (Std III-C)
- ★ Today I am able to express my hidden talents because of the kind support & guidance of my teachers and friends.  
Rakshit Pavagadhi (Std IV-C)
- ★ In S.G, the teachers are very Co operative . They give us time to play, sing, and do activities, like Craft – Exhibition , where we get freedom to express our dreams.  
- Mahle Hanok (Std V-B)
- ★ I love my school as it provides space & freedom to do activities like DFC ( Design For Change ) whereby we search for problems and also create ideas & Solutions for the same.  
- Pandya Smit (Std VI - A)
- ★ My school allows us not only to get knowledge but also develops values & strength to face challenges of day to day life.  
- Navya Nair (Std VII- C)
- ★ Here in S.G we are given a strong platform to express and create various designs , learn new things and apply them to cope up with problems that we face in our life . I love the expert – talks as well as visits to different places as it adds up to my knowledge and experience.  
- Khusboo Shah (Std VIII- E)