

## From the Headmistress Desk

Education today is about nurturing innovators, leaders, and responsible citizens who can shape the future with knowledge, values, and creativity. At Ryan International Academy, our mission is to equip students with the 21st-century skills of collaboration, creativity, critical thinking, and communication—preparing them not only for academic excellence but also for meaningful contributions to society.

The month of September reflected this vision through a wide range of activities. Nutritional Week encouraged children to make healthy lifestyle choices, reinforcing the importance of well-being as a lifelong skill. On ISRO Day, students celebrated India's remarkable progress in space science, sparking curiosity and inspiring innovation. Literacy Day reminded our learners of the power of words and expression in building confident leaders.

Adding to this, our students also celebrated the birthday of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji with much enthusiasm. They expressed their thoughts, gratitude, and wishes by writing heartfelt letters to him, which not only enhanced their writing skills but also instilled in them a sense of pride and responsibility toward the nation.

Each of these activities—whether rooted in health, science, language, or national pride—enabled our students to connect their classroom learning to real-world applications, helping them grow as innovators with vision and heart.

As Rudolf Steiner reminds us, "Our highest endeavor must be to develop free human beings who are able to impart purpose and direction to their lives." At Ryan, we continue to guide our Ryanites toward this vision—developing future-ready leaders who will contribute to India's growth and the world at large.

-Ms. Laxmi Kedareshwaran, Headmistress, RIA Kanakapura

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# **Quote of the month**

"The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence."

- Rabindranath Tagore



### Value of the Month

**Integrity** — a quality that forms the foundation of good character and true leadership. Integrity means being honest, doing what is right, and standing by one's principles even when no one is watching.

# ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

### Garden Visit - Montessori III

The Montessori III children enjoyed a refreshing visit to the school garden, where they observed and learned about different flowers. They explored the variety of colors, shapes, and sizes, and understood how flowers add beauty to nature.

This joyful activity encouraged curiosity, observation, and love for the environment, making learning truly fun and memorable.

# Math Home Assignment Mont III

As part of their Math home assignment, students creatively demonstrated the concept of Place Value using crayons, sketch pens, and spoons to represent tens and ones. They shared short videos showcasing their understanding and creativity.

The activity made learning hands-on, engaging, and fun, helping children grasp number concepts easily.

# **Exploring the Garden Mont III**

As part of their EVS topic, the students of Mont III visited the school garden to explore and learn about plants. With great curiosity, the little ones identified different trees, shrubs, and herbs, observing their unique features.

This hands-on learning experience helped children connect classroom knowledge with the real world, while nurturing their love for nature and observation skills.



# ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

## **Math Activity - Grade I**

Grade I students enjoyed a fun Math activity on Greater and Smaller Numbers. The teacher called out a number, and children had to ring the correct greater or smaller number.

The activity made number comparison engaging while strengthening quick-thinking and listening skills.

# **Subject Enrichment Activity - Grade IV**

As part of a Subject Enrichment Activity, Grade IV students explored the physical map of India by locating and marking different landforms. To make the project creative and engaging, they pasted grains, pulses, and other suitable items to represent various landforms.

The hands-on activity helped students connect classroom learning with real-life resources while enhancing their map-reading skills.

## **Activities**

### **Plantation Drive**

On the occasion of Teacher's Day, a Plantation Drive was organized in the school premises. Section Heads, the HeadMistress, and Council Members actively participated by planting saplings, promoting the message of green living and environmental responsibility.

The initiative beautifully symbolized growth, nurturing, and the everlasting bond between teachers and students.





# Teachers' Day Celebration

Teachers' Day was celebrated with enthusiasm and gratitude at Ryan International Academy, Kanakapura. Students expressed their love through cultural performances, handmade cards, and songs. Messages from Dr. Snehal Pinto, Director, and the Headmistress highlighted the vital role of teachers in shaping young minds and appreciated their dedication and commitment. The day beautifully celebrated the special bond between teachers and students.



On the occasion of Teacher's Day, our Montessori children expressed their love and gratitude to their teachers in the sweetest way. The little ones prepared beautiful cards and brought flowers, sharing warm smiles and wishes with their teachers.

This simple yet heartfelt gesture helped children understand the value of respecting and appreciating their teachers. The activity filled the day with joy, affection, and gratitude, making it a memorable celebration for both students and teachers.

#### Grade I & II

On the occasion of Teacher's Day, students of Grade I & II celebrated their teachers with heartfelt enthusiasm. They participated in a fun activity, reciting short poems and sharing kind words about their teachers. Adding a creative touch, students made beautiful handmade cards to express their gratitude. The celebration reflected the strong bond between students and teachers, making it a warm and memorable tribute to their mentors' dedication and care.









#### **Grades III to V**

Students of Grades III to V celebrated Teachers' Day with enthusiasm through a Storytelling Competition, narrating stories that reflected their gratitude and admiration for their teachers. The activity highlighted values of respect and inspiration while enhancing students' speaking skills, creativity, and confidence. It was a heartfelt tribute to their mentors' guidance and dedication.

#### **Grade VI & VII**

Students of Grade VI & VII celebrated Teachers' Day by designing heartfelt Thank You cards expressing love and gratitude for their mentors. The activity highlighted their creativity and appreciation, making the celebration warm, joyful, and memorable for both teachers and students.

# **Special Lunch & Fun Games** on Teachers' Day

As part of the Teachers' Day Celebration, a special lunch and fun games were organized for all teachers on 6th September. The event created a joyful atmosphere filled with laughter, togetherness, and appreciation for the teachers' hard work and dedication.

It was a memorable afternoon celebrating the spirit of teaching and teamwork.











# National Nutrition Week

#### Mont I to III

Our Montessori children celebrated National Nutrition Week with a colourful and engaging Fruit & Veggie Role-Play Parade.

Dressed up as their favourite fruits and vegetables using simple costumes, caps, and paper cut-outs, the little ones confidently introduced themselves. First, they visited the Headmistress cabin and then went around to all the classes with great enthusiasm, proudly introducing themselves with confidence.

The activity not only spread awareness about healthy eating but also built courage, public speaking skills, and joy of participation among the children.

#### Winners:

**Mont I:** Raavee Arora, Punarv Advik, Raghavendra Arora

Mont II: Sharon Micheal, Ruthvi, Aarna

Mont III: Bhadra, Shrita, Ivanka, Yaazhnila,

Nayanika

#### Grade I & II

As part of National Nutrition Week, students of Grade I & II enthusiastically participated in the Colouring Fruit Rainbow activity. They beautifully coloured fruit rainbows, learning the importance of including a variety of fruits and vegetables in their diet. The activity helped them understand that different colours of food provide different nutrients essential for good health, promoting awareness of healthy eating in a fun and creative way.











#### Grade III to V

As part of National Nutrition Week, students of Grades III to V participated in a *Healthy Lunch Box Activity* that emphasized the importance of nutritious eating. They showcased balanced meals with fruits, vegetables, grains, and proteins while sharing slogans on healthy habits. The activity encouraged mindful food choices, reinforcing that "Healthy food is the key to a healthy mind and body."

#### **Grade VI & VII**

As part of National Nutrition Week, students of Grade VI & VII participated in a *Healthy Recipe Contest* where they prepared colorful, nutritious bowls using fruits, chickpeas, peanuts, and kidney beans. They shared their creations with teachers and peers, promoting teamwork, sharing, and healthy eating habits. The activity reinforced that "good health begins with good nutrition."

### **International Literacy Day**

### Grade I & II

On International Literacy Day, students of Grade I & II participated in a fun *Reading Competition*, where they read aloud their favourite stories to their classmates. The activity fostered a love for reading, boosted confidence, and encouraged students to express themselves through storytelling.

#### **Grades III to V**

Students of Grades III to V celebrated International Literacy Day with a *Book Review Activity*, where they shared insights on their favourite books—discussing stories, characters, and morals. The activity enhanced reading and critical thinking skills while inspiring students to explore the joy of books and lifelong learning.









#### **Grade VI & VII**

To mark International Literacy Day, students of Grade VI & VII participated in a Storytelling Contest on the theme "Books that Changed Me." They shared how various books inspired and influenced them, showcasing creativity, confidence, and communication skills while celebrating the transformative power of reading.

### **Hindi Diwas Celebration**

Hindi Diwas was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Ryan International Academy. Students delivered speeches on the significance of Hindi and its role in preserving our cultural identity. A thoughtful skit by teachers and students conveyed that while Hindi connects us to our roots, English supports our growth — beautifully summed up by the message, "हिन्दी हमारी शान है और अंग्रेज़ी हमारी उड़ान है।"

### **Grades III to V**

Students of Grades III to V participated in an Essay Writing Competition on the theme "हिन्दी भाषा का भविष्य" They expressed the importance of Hindi as a unifying national language and its relevance in today's modern world. The activity enhanced their writing skills and instilled pride in the language, reminding everyone that "हिन्दी हमारी पहचान है और हमारी संस्कृति की शान है।"

#### Grade VI & VII

Students of Grade VI & VII participated in a Picture/Description-Based Writing Activity, where they described images related to Indian culture and daily life in Hindi. The activity enhanced their observation, vocabulary, and creative expression while fostering a deeper appreciation for the language.







# Orange Day Celebration Montessori I to III

Montessori children celebrated Orange Day with great enthusiasm. Dressed in orange, they enjoyed fun art activities—ear bud dabbing, paper tearing, carrot colouring, hen drawing, and lion fork painting. The vibrant theme made the day lively, creative, and full of joy.



#### Grade I & II

Our Grade I & II students participated in a fun-filled competition where they shared their traveling experiences and favorite places they've visited.

The students showcased their communication skills, creativity, and enthusiasm as they described their experiences, from scenic landscapes to cultural encounters.

It was heartwarming to see them share their memories and learn from each other's stories.

#### **Grades III to V**

On International Tourism Day, students of Grades III to V participated in a Country Presentation Competition. Each child chose a country and shared its details, popularity, culture, and unique features. The activity enhanced their global knowledge, presentation skills, and confidence.

#### **Grade VI & VII**

As part of Tourism Day, students of Grade VI & VII enthusiastically participated in a Quiz Competition. The quiz tested their knowledge of world geography, famous tourist destinations, cultural heritage sites, and responsible travel practices.











The activity encouraged awareness about global tourism while promoting teamwork, quick thinking, and a spirit of healthy competition.

### **PM Modi's Birthday** Grade VI & VII

Students of Grade VI & VII celebrated the birthday of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji through engaging activities. They wrote heartfelt letters expressing gratitude and birthday wishes, and participated in an essay competition on "Digital India: Transforming Lives Through Technology." The event inspired patriotism, awareness, and a sense of responsibility toward nation-building.

## **Birthday Celebration**

Birthdays of students and teacher were joyfully celebrated during the school assembly.

Mont I: Nianshi | Faculty: Priyanka Ma'am

Grade II: Aditi, Niharika, Viaansh

Grade III: Arvan

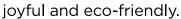
Grade IV: Pranathi

**Grade V:** Aarav

Grade VI: Ashvi. Nandan

Grade VII: Prarthna

As part of our green initiative, each received a flower sapling, making the celebration











# VOCATIONAL INITIATIVES

### Speech and Drama Grades I to V

Students of Grades I to V enthusiastically participated in a Speech and Drama session, showcasing their confidence and creativity through expressive performances. The activity helped children improve their public speaking, voice modulation, and stage presence, while boosting their self-confidence and communication skills.



Students of Grades I to VII participated enthusiastically in their French class, where they learned basic greetings, simple words, and numbers in French. The interactive session made learning enjoyable while sparking curiosity and appreciation for a new language and culture.

### **Talent's Day - Mont II**

#### **Children Showcase Their Talent**

Our Mont II children recently showcased their creativity and learning as part of the Global Visa theme, highlighting the state of West Bengal.

The program began with the children introducing West Bengal, sharing interesting facts about its culture and traditions. This was followed by a delightful dance performance to the song "Ekla Chalo Re", sung by Amitabh Bachchan, which left everyone impressed with their energy and coordination.









# VOCATIONAL INITIATIVES

It was a proud moment as our little stars brought West Bengal to life through their performance!

# **ASSEMBLY**

### **Talent Day - Montessori**

As part of Talent Day, celebrated every Wednesday, Montessori children participated in a delightful Musical Skit and a State & Culture Representation activity.

The little ones performed confidently, showcasing their creativity, expression, and rhythm through music and movement. Dressed in vibrant traditional attire, they represented different states of India, sharing interesting facts and celebrating the country's cultural diversity.

The event helped children build confidence, communication, and cultural awareness while enjoying a joyful and engaging learning experience.

# **PASSION BUILDING**

### Revival of Lost Art Grades I to VII

As part of the Revival of Lost Art initiative, students of Grades I to VII explored the traditional Warli art form.

Grade VI & VII beautifully created Warli designs on umbrellas, while Grade I students coloured a Warli art picture.









## **PASSION BUILDING**

The activity encouraged creativity and helped students appreciate India's rich cultural heritage and traditional art forms.

## **Home Science Activity**

#### Grade I

Grade I students explored the topic of Healthy and Unhealthy Food in their Home Science class. They learned to differentiate between nutritious and junk foods, understanding the importance of healthy eating for growth and well-being.

The activity helped children develop awareness about good dietary habits in a fun and engaging way.

#### Grade II & III

As part of their Home Science - Passion Building activity, students of Grade II & III explored the creative field of Home Décor. They shared innovative ideas and showcased how simple materials can be transformed into beautiful decorations.

The activity encouraged creativity, design thinking, and an appreciation for aesthetics in everyday living.

#### **Grade IV**

Grade IV students participated in a Home Science activity focused on Practical Home Skills and Safety. They learned essential skills for everyday home tasks while understanding important safety measures to prevent accidents.

The activity encouraged responsibility, awareness, and independence among the students.









## **PASSION BUILDING**

#### **Grade VI & VII**

As part of their Home Science activity, students participated in cleaning and organizing the school library. The activity taught them the importance of cleanliness, responsibility, and teamwork while maintaining shared spaces.

It was a meaningful hands-on experience that encouraged good habits and respect for their learning environment.

# **Eco Gardening Grade I**

As part of the Eco Gardening initiative, Grade I students collected different types of leaves and created a beautiful collage. The activity encouraged children to observe nature closely while nurturing creativity and environmental awareness.

## **SPORTS**

# **Optional Sports Grades I to VII**

Students actively participated in the swimming session, learning basic strokes and water safety skills. The activity helped improve coordination, confidence, and physical fitness, while giving children a refreshing and enjoyable experience.

### **Karate Class - Grades I to VII**

Students of Grades I to VII actively participated in a Karate class. The session focused on basic techniques, discipline, and self-defense skills, helping children improve strength, coordination, and confidence.



## LIBRARY CORNER

## **Library Time - Grade VI**

During Library Time, students enjoyed exploring a variety of books, developing their reading habits and love for literature. They spent time reading stories, sharing thoughts, and discovering new ideas through books.

The session encouraged focus, imagination, and a lifelong interest in reading.

## **School Assembly - Grade V**

During the school assembly, Audrey of Grade V confidently read the Preamble to the Constitution of India, emphasizing the values of justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity. The reading inspired students to reflect on the importance of these principles in everyday life.

# DANCE

### **Dance Class - Montessori**

Montessori children actively participated in a lively dance class. The little ones enjoyed moving to rhythmic beats, which helped them develop coordination, confidence, and a sense of rhythm.

The session was filled with joy, energy, and smiles, making learning both fun and expressive.







## **BOOK REVIEW**

### **Book Review - Grade V**

During the school assembly, Sahasra of Grade V presented a book review on "What's Physics All About". She confidently shared the key ideas of the book, making science concepts simple and engaging for her peers.

The review encouraged other students to explore books that spark curiosity and deepen their knowledge.

# **Morning Assembly Book Review - Grade V**

As part of the school's initiative of conducting Book Reviews every Monday during the morning assembly, Ansh of Grade V presented a review of the book "Dinosaur".

He confidently spoke about the fascinating facts, illustrations, and stories in the book, which captured the attention of his peers. Ansh also answered a few questions posed by other students, making the session interactive and engaging.

This weekly activity not only enhances students' reading and presentation skills but also inspires others to develop an interest in books and share their learning experiences with confidence.

## **ART CORNER**

### **Art & Craft - Mont III**

The children of Montessori III enthusiastically participated in a fun and engaging Snake Chain Art Activity. Using colorful strips of paper, the little ones carefully joined each









## **ART CORNER**

piece to form long paper chains that resembled snakes. With great excitement, they decorated their chains with creative touches, adding eyes and tails to bring their "snakes" to life.

This hands-on activity not only boosted their fine motor skills, concentration, and creativity but also encouraged teamwork and joy in learning through art. The classroom was beautifully adorned with the vibrant snake chains, showcasing the imagination and effort of our young learners.



### **Art Class**

#### **Grade IV**

Students showcased their creativity in Art Class by making flamingo birds. The activity encouraged fine motor skills, imagination, and artistic expression, while allowing students to have fun with colors and craft materials.



Grade V students explored their creativity in Art Class by colouring forts. The activity enhanced their focus, attention to detail, and artistic skills, while making learning fun and engaging.



### Hand-Wash Session Montessori

A Hand-Wash Session was conducted by the school nurse for Montessori children to







# SESSION FOR STUDENTS

promote good hygiene habits. The little ones were guided step by step on the proper method of washing hands and learned its importance in staying healthy.

The session was interactive, fun, and helped instill the value of cleanliness in their daily routine.

# **HSCP Workshop for Teachers**

On 9th September 2025, the staff of Ryan International Academy, Kanakapura attended a Health, Safety, and Child Protection (HSCP) Workshop conducted by Cluster Head - Mr. Udayakumar (HSCP and South School Operation).

The session focused on ensuring a safe, healthy, and supportive school environment. Teachers learned to identify signs of distress, follow safe practices, and respond effectively to child protection concerns.

The workshop was insightful and empowering, reinforcing the school's commitment to student safety, care, and well-being.

# Star of the Month Mont I & III

Gibran of Mont III and Punary of Mont I was honoured as the Star of the Month for their excellent performance and positive attitude. Their parent graced the occasion and shared a few heartfelt words about how proud they felt of their child's achievement.

It was a special and inspiring moment that motivated other students to strive for their best.









September was a month filled with learning, celebration, and creativity at Ryan International Academy. We balanced academics with engaging co-curricular activities that enriched students' knowledge and values. The month began with National Nutrition Week, where students prepared healthy recipes, followed by a heartfelt Teacher's Day celebration with performances and cards. On International Literacy Day, students participated in a storytelling contest that promoted the joy of reading, while Hindi Diwas encouraged expression through essays and cultural descriptions in Hindi. To mark our Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji's birthday, students took part in an essay-writing competition, and on International Tourism Day, they enthusiastically participated in a quiz competition. It was a fulfilling month that reflected our students' enthusiasm, creativity, and active participation.

- Ms. Varshini D. M,

Class Teacher - Grade VI



# **PARENT'S CORNER**

As a proud parent, I am deeply grateful to see my children learning and participating enthusiastically in the wide range of school activities. Each initiative thoughtfully promotes experiential learning while nurturing essential life skills such as creativity, communication, and critical thinking. The Nutrition Week events, including the Fruit and Veggie Parade and the Build Your Healthy Lunchbox activity, beautifully combine enjoyment with awareness about healthy living. The Teacher's Day celebrations were thoughtfully organized to foster gratitude and discipline. My son, Ansh, participated in the Story Narration Competition, which provided him with a wonderful opportunity to express his appreciation for his teachers. Overall, the document showcases meticulous planning, clarity in execution, and meaningful learning outcomes for every grade level, ensuring a well-balanced emphasis on academics, creativity, and values.

- Ms. Anupama,

Mother of Ansh - Grade V and Nianshi - Mont I

# **STUDENT'S CORNER**

I truly enjoyed all the activities and celebrations this term. Nutrition Week was fun and informative, teaching us the importance of eating healthy through creative contests. Teachers' Day was a heartwarming celebration filled with joy, music, and performances that made our teachers smile. Literacy Day helped us appreciate the power of reading and expression, while Hindi Diwas beautifully highlighted the importance of our national language through a meaningful skit. Writing letters to our Hon'ble Prime Minister on his birthday was a special experience, making us feel connected to our country's leadership. The Tourism Day Quiz was an exciting and educational event that helped us learn about the rich diversity of India and the world in a fun way..

-Ms. Lithika, Grade VII

