

## PREP OPEN HOUSE 2023 - 24

The Prep children of Santa Maria joyfully shared their holiday activities with parents through the Open House Event on 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> August. The event proved to be a rewarding occasion, fostering meaningful interactions between children and parents. It was a platform to highlight the engaging moments they shared with their parents throughout the holiday period.

Preps were divided in following four groups:

- Budding Scientist
- Astronomers
- Story tellers
- Naturalists
- Numerates



Each group was seated in the area allotted to them for the exhibition. This helped all of us to prepare the assigned corners according to their theme.



## BUDDING SCIENTIST

Budding scientists presented simple scientific experiments aimed at understanding various properties of...

- ❖ Water
- ❖ Air
- ❖ Light





## ASTRONOMERS

Participating as budding Astronomers enabled the children to enhance their inquisitiveness and acquire knowledge about the planets and stars.



# STORY TELLERS

Story tellers presented their beautiful stories using different mediums such as

- ❖ story books
- ❖ puppets and puppet theatre
- ❖ shadow puppet theatre



# NATURALIST

Naturalists presented engagements centered around building a connection with the natural world through the practice of observing and documenting these observations of....

- ❖ birds
- ❖ insects
- ❖ animals
- ❖ tree
- ❖ plant

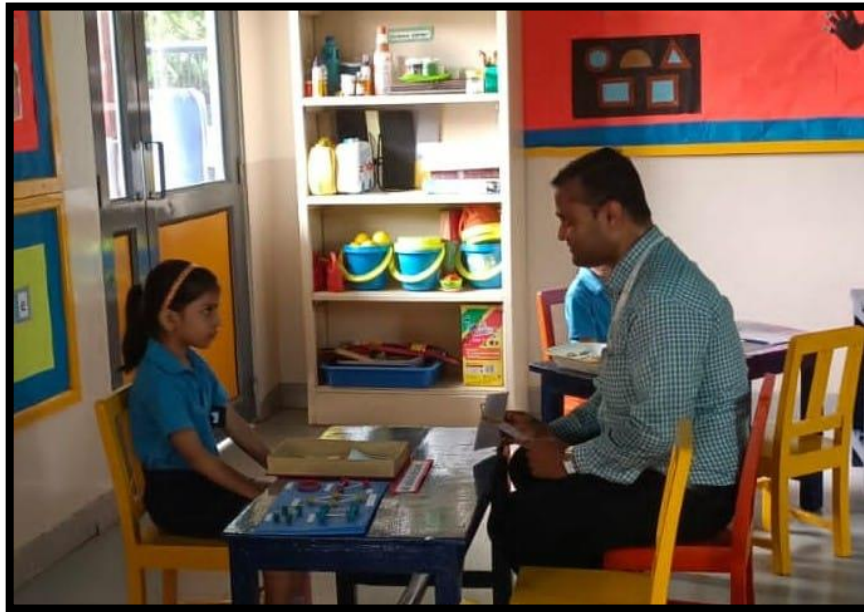




## NUMERATES

The activities in 'Numerates' helped children in comprehending and understanding numbers and related concepts through variety of enjoyable games and exercises. These activities encompassed concepts like symmetry, number-based games, exploration in geometry, graphing exercise etc.





Children had made beautiful souvenirs such as bookmarks out of waste material as take away gifts for parents. The gifts were handed over to parents by children.

From here our children will take a flight as we will continue to see their level of readiness going up with time.



We are very happy to share with you that during the Open House a significant number of parents dedicated ample time to listen to the children from various groups. The level of interaction and involvement was heartwarming to see. We express our heartfelt gratitude to parents who generously offered their support and time to the children, which played an instrumental role in making the event a success.



Warm regards

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