



## From the Principal's Desk

As we prepare to welcome our students back to school after the May vacation, I am filled with enthusiasm and optimism for the upcoming academic year. Our focus remains steadfast on providing a nurturing environment where each student can thrive academically, socially, and personally.

This year promises to be filled with opportunities for growth, achievement, and profound learning experiences.

At the heart of our educational philosophy are the 12 vision points meticulously framed by our esteemed Chairman, Mr. Augustine Pinto. These visionary principles serve as our guiding light, steering us toward the collective goal of nurturing not only academic excellence but also the holistic development of every child under our care.

### **Our commitment spans across several key areas:**

**Academic Rigour:** We foster a rigorous academic environment that challenges students to strive for intellectual excellence and master core subjects.

**Character Development:** Instilling values of integrity, respect, and empathy forms the cornerstone of our character education program, preparing students to become responsible global citizens.

**Leadership Skills:** Empowering students with leadership qualities and decision-making abilities equips them to positively influence their peers and communities.

**Innovation and Creativity:** We encourage innovation and foster creativity to allow students to think outside the box, solve complex problems, and embrace new ideas fearlessly.

**Environmental Awareness:** Promoting environmental consciousness and sustainable practices ensures that our students become stewards of the planet, committed to preserving natural resources.

**Health and Wellness:** Prioritizing physical health and emotional well-being cultivates a balanced lifestyle and enhances overall academic performance.

**Cultural Sensitivity:** Celebrating diversity and promoting cultural understanding prepares students to thrive in a multicultural society, fostering a global perspective.

**Community Engagement:** Active participation in community service projects instills a sense of social responsibility and compassion towards others.

**Technological Proficiency:** Equipping students with technological skills and digital literacy prepares them for the demands of the 21st-century workforce.

**Sportsmanship:** Emphasizing the values of fair play, teamwork, and perseverance through sports and physical education builds resilience and camaraderie among students.

**Career Readiness:** Providing career guidance and practical skills ensures that students are prepared for successful transitions into higher education and future careers.

**Parental Involvement:** Valuing and fostering strong partnerships with parents and guardians strengthens our school community and enhances student outcomes.

As we embark on this journey together, I invite you to join us in embracing these guiding principles. Your unwavering support and active involvement are integral to the success of our students. Together, let us nurture a learning environment where every child flourishes academically, socially, and emotionally.

Thank you for entrusting us with your child's education. I look forward to a rewarding and transformative year ahead.

- Ms. Gayathri Khemani,  
Principal, RIS Dombivli

## Quote of the month

*"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much,"*

- *Helen Keller*

The quote emphasizes that a single person, working in isolation, has limited capacity to achieve significant outcomes. It highlights the power and importance of collaboration and teamwork. Collaboration brings diverse perspectives, skills, and resources, allowing for more innovative solutions and greater achievements.



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## ARTICAL FROM VICE - PRINCIPAL



*It's always too soon to quit!"*

*- Norman Vincent Peale*

Perseverance is the ability to go on when things seem hopeless. It is also a measure of success, or at least how much sacrifice one is willing to make in the name of success. As students, it is impossible to achieve personal success without having a goal, or direction. The goal and direction that often propels us to achieve is perseverance. Perseverance is the ability to forge ahead despite setbacks that threaten to undermine all efforts to succeed.

There is no shame in falling; the shame is in accepting the fall as defeat. Nelson Mandella once said, "The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time you fall." That is the essence of persevering--finding the will to get up even though you know you are being counted out.

We must believe in perseverance, hard work, and overcoming obstacles. Everyone has something that stands in their way of reaching paramount success and having all that they desire in life. Sometimes, the obstacle could be our drive and ambition. Having no aim, and ambition could make you stagnant and face failure. The various activities and competitions that are conducted at Ryan International School, Dombivli helps our students to understand values, like perseverance. If students learn to persevere, then they will not feel disappointed for not being able to win in a particular competition, instead, they will continue to work hard and make an effort to learn to face new challenges and how to tackle them.

**- Ms. Sangeeta Ahuja,  
Coordinator**



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## Parent Orientation Program

Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students, and enthusiastic parents with high expectations."

On 23rd March, 2024, RISD held its Parent Orientation Program, which commenced with a spiritual invocation. The orientation was split into two sessions, with parents receiving detailed insights into the school curriculum and operations with the help of a PowerPoint presentation. Meanwhile, students indulged in a variety of activities encompassing science, mathematics, dance, and sports. The innovation lab, science experiential learning, and skating display gave an overview of the activities held in school.

The pinnacle of the event was the interactive session with class teachers, who elucidated classroom methodologies, extracurricular clubs, and assessment criteria. The orientation proved successful, as parents felt at ease with the school curriculum, and all their concerns were addressed satisfactorily. Moreover, students thoroughly enjoyed the activities and expressed keen interest in joining the school soon.

## Day One Assembly

The first day of school is always filled with a lot of excitement and anticipation, especially for new students stepping into the unfamiliar corridors and classrooms of our school.

The day kicked off with the resonating echoes of the Morning Assembly. The air was filled with a sense of unity and purpose as everyone stood together, reciting pledges and sharing words of encouragement.

Following the assembly, our new students were warmly greeted by their class teachers in an introductory session. This session served as an opportunity for both teachers and students to get to know each other better. Ground rules were discussed and established, laying the foundation for a respectful and inclusive learning environment where every voice is valued.



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Engagement and participation were at the forefront as students dove into various activities. Through activities like QCT, students exchanged ideas and perspectives, laying the groundwork for meaningful interactions throughout the school year.

The excitement continued with first-day takeaway activities, each designed to leave a lasting impression on our new students. From "Tall Thomas," where students shared their aspirations and dreams, to "My Lifeline," where they mapped out significant moments in their lives, each activity encouraged self-reflection and personal expression.

## Gudi Padwa

On the 8th April 2024, at Ryan International School, Dombivli we celebrated Gudi Padwa, marking the commencement of the Marathi New Year with renewed energy and spirit. A special assembly was held to celebrate the occasion with students speaking on the importance of the day and a dance to celebrate Marathi folk traditions. As we embrace the new year, let us carry forward the spirit of Gudi Padwa – symbolizing prosperity, happiness, and the triumph of good. We wish one and all a Happy Gudi Padwa!

## World Health Day

Ryan International School Celebrated World Health Day by conducting an array of activities. Grade I and II students immersed themselves in a delightful coloring activity. Grades III to V students participated in a captivating Calligraphy session. Through the elegant strokes of their pens, they conveyed messages of health. Students from grades VI to VIII delved into the world of creativity with a Poster Making activity. These engaging activities provided our students with a deeper understanding of the significance of World Health Day and instilled in them a sense of responsibility toward their health and that of the global community.



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## BBN

The students completed the BBN course and were awarded certificates and badges for their achievement. Students shared their experiences with the children during assembly and were happy to complete the course.



## Science - Debate

The atmosphere in the classroom was charged with anticipation as the students prepared for the debate on resource conservation. Some argued for the importance of implementing strict regulations to conserve finite resources for future generations, citing examples of environmental degradation and the urgent need for action. Others emphasized the role of innovation and technological advancements in finding sustainable solutions to resource depletion, highlighting success stories of renewable energy initiatives and waste reduction strategies. It was evident that the students had deepened their understanding of resource conservation.



## Community Service - Bagathon

Description - Dr. A. F Pinto, our esteemed chairman sir, has established a visionary approach emphasizing philanthropy and the environment. To actively promote the use of eco-friendly alternatives like paper bags, Ryan International School organized a Community Service Program involving students from Zilla Parishad School. The event started with a special highlighted the significance of reducing plastic usage. Following the assembly, the students enthusiastically participated in a paper bag-making activity. Throughout the event, the students actively promoted the "No Plastic" message. Through collective efforts and community engagement, we are confident that we can make a meaningful impact in creating a healthier planet for future generations.



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## Ambedkar Jayanti

The individual who authored our constitution undoubtedly merits recognition and celebration. At Ryan International School, a brief speech was delivered during the assembly, enlightening everyone about his significant role. A Monologue and Quiz were organized for the students, shedding light on the remarkable contributions of Ambedkar. The day culminated with insightful activities, providing students with a deeper understanding of Ambedkar's legacy and the importance of his work in shaping our nation's foundation.



## Jallianwala Bagh Massacre

Jallianwala Bagh Massacre - This pivotal event in Indian history still sends shivers down the spines of all its citizens, even today. At Ryan International School, the significance of this day was honored by involving students in an essay-writing activity. This engaging activity took place during the Social Science period, allowing students to delve deep into the historical context and intricacies of the event.



## World Heritage Day

Preserving a nation's heritage involves safeguarding its historical legacy and cultural significance. At Ryan School, students actively participated in activities to celebrate and honor this heritage. They passionately expressed their pride in their nation's rich history and traditions through eloquent speeches. Additionally, students in grades VI to VIII took on the creative task of crafting posters that showcased the magnificent architectural achievements that define the country's identity. These initiatives inspired a sense of responsibility in the younger generation to uphold and protect it for future generations.



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### Exploring Magnetic Waste Separation

Students understood the principles behind magnetic waste separation and its application in waste management. They analyzed the environmental benefits of magnetic waste separation compared to traditional methods. Students engaged in hands-on activities to demonstrate magnetic waste separation.



### Exploring Eddy Currents: Components, Construction, and Working Process

Students understood the concept of eddy currents and their applications. They identified the components of a simple eddy current demonstration setup. Students explained the construction and working process of eddy current devices.



### Understanding the Components and Working Process of a 3-Speed Gearbox

Students identified and described the components of a 3-speed gearbox. They understood the working process of a 3-speed gearbox. Students analyzed the advantages and disadvantages of using a 3-speed gearbox compared to other gearboxes.



### World Earth Day

The students enthusiastically participated in a range of activities to mark World Earth Day. Students from grades I to V engaged in a poster-making competition, showcasing their creativity and commitment to environmental awareness.



Meanwhile, students from grades VI to VIII actively



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contributed to greener initiatives by planting saplings. With shovels in hand and determination in their hearts, they worked together to ensure a sustainable future for our Earth.

### Social Science Classroom activity – Be a Historian

The students selected a historical place and collected sources about the same. The students presented their historical research with PPT and paper presentations. Their presentations not only showcased their in-depth research but also demonstrated their adeptness at conveying historical narratives through multimedia platforms and scholarly discourse. Through this engaging activity, students profoundly appreciated the importance of sources in historical research.

### 15 Books Campaign and English Language Day

The launch of the 15 Books Campaign was eagerly anticipated and began with a sense of reverence, marked by blessings from the Almighty. Mrs. Rutuja Joshi Vyas honored the occasion as a distinguished guest, adding grace and significance to the event.

The occasion commenced with a vibrant welcome address delivered in three languages. A melodious welcome song further expressed warmth towards the guest.

As the event unfolded, the details of the 15 Books Campaign were disseminated to all the attending children, instilling excitement and curiosity about the initiative. To engage the young minds further, a series of competitions were organized, aligning with the theme of English Language Day.

Students from grades I and II participated in a story writing competition, where they crafted narratives inspired by a given picture. Grades III and IV embarked on enchanting journeys through fairy tales.

Grade V students put their language skills to the test in a spell bee competition, challenging their spelling abilities and vocabulary knowledge. Meanwhile, grades VI to VIII engaged in a tongue-twisting competition, where they showcased their fluency and dexterity in mastering complex phrases.

Throughout the competitions, Mrs. Rutuja Joshi Vyas actively participated, visiting each class. Her presence not only added encouragement but also served as a source of motivation for the children, inspiring them to perform their best.



# Star of the Week



Star of the week is one of the best way to get to know our students on a more personal level. Students feel distinct for a full week, which encourages.

## April

Grade I 'A'	Grade I 'B'
Kridha Daksh	Dhairya Singh
Aadya Bhargav	Aarav Kumar Sharma
Animesh Tayde	Faith Farande

Grade II 'A'	Grade II 'B'	Grade II 'C'
Aanvik Yadav	Ayesha Afreen	Hariansh Bonthu
Aarav Madhvi	Aashna Ghosh	Aditya Mishra
Aaron Kiny	Abhinav Rana	Aishah Zara

Grade III 'A'	Grade III 'B'	Grade III 'C'	Grade IV 'A'	Grade IV 'B'
Aarav Sharma	Aarya Singh	Abhiraj Popli	Yashil Gandhi	Aakarsh Diwedi
Aayansh Londhe	Aaradhya Patil	Dhwaani Pandey	Adhyant Sharma	Aarav Dubey
Aathesh Shetty	aadya chatterjee	Vedika Tripathi	Anaya Singh	Aariz Sheikh

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## World Bicycle Day

Ryan International School celebrated World Bicycle Day with enthusiasm promoting health and environmental sustainability. Students from grades I to V shared their thoughts on why the bicycle is one of humanity's greatest inventions and how it contributes to both personal health and the well-being of our planet. Students from grades VI to VIII wrote thoughtful essays to express their views on the significance of the bicycle. Students highlighted the profound impact of the bicycle as a simple yet powerful tool for change.



## World Environment Day

On World Environment Day, the students were briefed about the significance of the day. In a special assembly, the principal introduced the concept of medicinal plants and their properties. She announced that every 5th of the month, a new medicinal plant would be introduced to the children, educating them about its benefits and uses.



The students engaged in essay writing and speech competitions, showcasing their understanding and thoughts about environmental conservation. Students from grades VI to VIII took part in a cooking competition.. The competitions added a fun and interactive element to the learning experience, making it a memorable and impactful day for everyone involved.



## World Ocean Day

World Ocean Day was observed at Ryan International School in Dombivli with a special assembly that focused on the importance of oceans.

A series of engaging activities were organized to mark the occasion. For students in grades I to V, a poem recitation activity was held where children recited poems that highlighted the beauty and significance of the oceans.

For the older students, in grades VI to VIII, a



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painting activity was conducted. The children created artwork that depicted various aspects of ocean life and the threats it faces, such as pollution and overfishing.

## Yoga Day

Yoga is an integral part of maintaining a balanced and healthy lifestyle. Ryan International School in Dombivli celebrated International Yoga Day with great enthusiasm. The event was marked by a special assembly, where students were briefed about the profound benefits and significance of yoga.

The assembly began with a detailed briefing, where children learned about the origins of Yoga Day, which is observed globally on 21st June. The highlight of the celebration was the captivating performances by both students and parents. The parents demonstrated various balance poses and basic exercises, showcasing their flexibility, strength, and concentration.

By engaging both students and parents, the event highlighted how yoga can be a shared experience that strengthens family bonds while promoting individual well-being.

## SEA - Activity

English - Subject Enrichment Activity based on the chapter "Nelly's Amazing Hair," Students used their creativity to draw and color various types of hair, inspired by Nelly's unique feature of having thick, curly hair. This activity aimed to highlight diversity and celebrated the uniqueness of individual physical characteristics.

## Math Lab Activity - Counting

For the math lab activity involving the formation of numbers using magnetic blocks of tens and ones, students were engaged in hands-on experience that reinforced their understanding of place value. This activity is particularly beneficial for young



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learners who are beginning to grasp the concept of how numbers are constructed and the significance of each digit's position.

### International Olympics Day

On 24th June, RISD celebrated International Olympics Day with exciting activities for the students. Grade I to II participated in a writing activity where they described their favorite outdoor games, such as football, cricket, and badminton. Meanwhile, grades VI to VIII engaged in a speaking activity discussing their favorite Olympic sports and imagining how they would win a medal for India. The event highlighted the students' creativity, and knowledge emphasizing the significance of sports and inspiring them to pursue their dreams and aspirations in athletics.

### International Music Day

Music is often hailed as the best therapy for everything, and this belief was joyfully demonstrated by the Ryanites of Dombivli during their participation in a singing and rock band competition.

The singing competition featured a diverse range of genres. In the rock band competition, the rhythm of the drums, the strum of the guitars, and the powerful vocals all came together to create an unforgettable musical experience.

### Community Service

The students were educated about the importance of Education. The students from grades I to VIII brought stationery items to be distributed to the Zilla Parishad students.

### Math Assembly

The Math Assembly aimed to enlighten students about the properties of addition in whole numbers. Students from grade VI and VIII actively participated in the assembly, showcasing their enthusiasm and knowledge. To make the session



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engaging, a poem related to the properties of addition was recited. The properties of addition in whole numbers were thoroughly explained. This Math Assembly not only educated students about the properties of addition in whole numbers but also created a collaborative and enjoyable learning environment.

## EVENTS

### Investiture Ceremony

On Saturday, 22nd June 2024, Ryan International School, Dombivli, hosted its most awaited event of the year, the Investiture Ceremony. This grand occasion was graced by the presence of Ms. Elizabeth Parmar, a renowned educator, and Regional Manager, ELS -TOFEL & GRE, who served as the guest of honor.

The ceremony commenced with a symbolic plantation event, highlighting the school's commitment to environmental stewardship. Following this, the blessings of the Almighty were invoked, setting a solemn and respectful tone for the day. The air was filled with reverence as prayer songs were sung by the school choir, adding a spiritual touch to the event.

Ms. Parmar was warmly welcomed with heartfelt speeches and a melodious welcome song, reflecting the high esteem in which she is held. The highlight of the ceremony was the much-anticipated badging of the newly elected council members. Parents and guests watched with pride as the new Head Boy, Head Girl, and other council members received their badges, symbolizing their new roles and responsibilities.

In a touching moment, the newly elected Head Boy and Head Girl took to the stage to express their gratitude and share their aspirations. Their speeches resonated with everyone present, reflecting the dedication and enthusiasm of the student body.

Parents were acknowledged for their unwavering support and dedication with a beautifully crafted



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thank you card. This gesture was a token of appreciation for their continuous encouragement and involvement in their children's education.

The principal, Ms. Gayathri Khemani, led the oath-taking ceremony, where the new leaders pledged their commitment.

The ceremony also featured the announcement of the Excellence Awards, recognizing outstanding achievements in various fields. The recipients' parents beamed with pride and joy as their children's hard work and dedication were celebrated.

The event concluded on a high note with a wonderful welcome song, leaving everyone with a sense of accomplishment and unity. A touching moment followed as students expressed gratitude to their parents with thank-you cards. The event concluded with a vote of thanks, the "Shukriya" song, the school anthem, the "Ryan" song, and finally, the national anthem.

The Investiture Ceremony at Ryan International School, Dombivli, was indeed a memorable event, marking the beginning of a new chapter of leadership and excellence for the school community.

## Basketball Court Inauguration

The inauguration of the much-awaited Basketball Court at Ryan International School Dombivli was a momentous occasion celebrated with great enthusiasm and fervor. The event began with an invocation to seek the blessings of the Almighty.

The guest of honour for the event was Anand Phadke, a renowned basketball coach known for his contributions to the sport. His presence added a significant touch of prestige and inspiration to the ceremony. Also in attendance were Principal Gayathri Khemani, the cluster head school operations Mr. Siddharth Shetye from the Education Services Pvt Ltd, and Mr. Anirban Koomar, Deputy General Manager, School Operations.



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A brief introduction to the sport of basketball was presented. The highlight of the inauguration was the basketball match played by the students on the newly constructed court. This not only showcased the students' skills and enthusiasm for the sport but also demonstrated the functionality and quality of the new facility. In a delightful turn of events, the teachers also joined in and played a game of basketball.

Along with the celebrating Teacher, Mr. Siddharth Shetye, Mr. Anirban Koomar from the Head Office, and Mr. Sachin Amolik the Administrator, joined the match. It was an exciting game, with all the children playing enthusiastically, getting their shirts dirty, and showcasing their impressive skills.

The successful inauguration of the basketball court marked a new chapter for Ryan International School Dombivli, promising to nurture future basketball talents and encourage a healthy, active lifestyle among its students.



## Fathers Day

We celebrated Father's Day with joy and enthusiasm, creating unforgettable memories.

Music and dance sessions kicked off the day, with fathers and children performing together and filling the air with joy. A memorable moment was a fun challenge round where a talented parent and our teacher showcased their singing skills..

In the classrooms, fathers and children collaborated on creative art projects, producing beautiful and meaningful artwork. This activity allowed fathers to engage directly with their children's school environment and creativity, strengthening their bond.

Our sports activities emphasized the importance of physical fitness, teamwork, and bonding. Fathers helped their children in various games, fostering teamwork and creating a deeper bond. This involvement made the activities more engaging and fun for everyone.



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A significant highlight of the day was our plantation drive. Fathers brought herb plants, and children are now tasked with watering and caring for their plants daily. This initiative is in line with our chairman Dr. Augustine F. Pinto's vision of fostering environmental awareness and responsibility in our students.

Today's celebration was not just about fun but also about instilling valuable lessons and fostering bonds. We are grateful to all the fathers who made this day special.

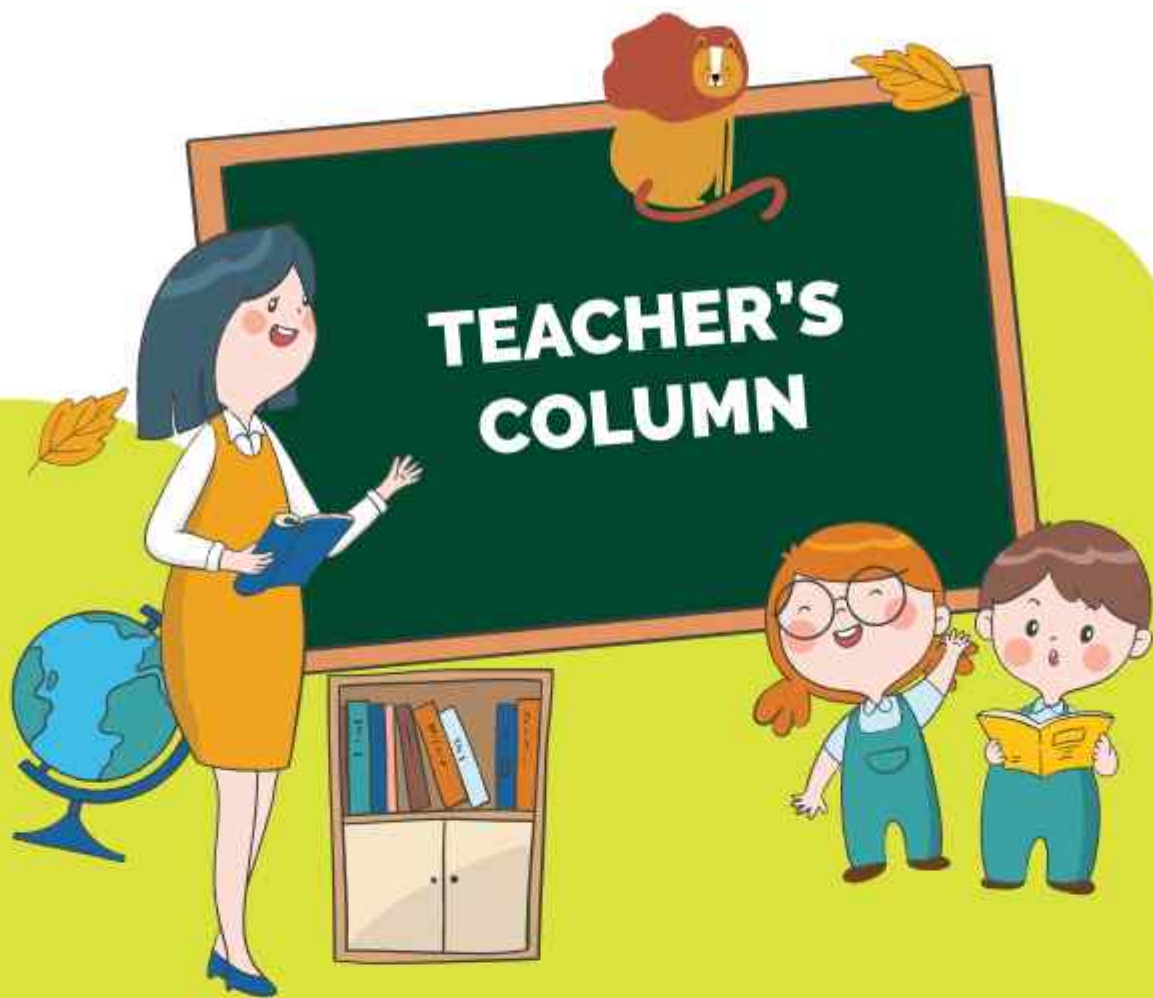


## Star of the Week

"Star of the Week is a fantastic way to get to know our students on a more personal level. It allows them to feel special for an entire week, fostering motivation and engagement."

Grade I 'A'	Grade I 'A'	Grade I 'C'	Grade II 'A'	Grade II 'B'	Grade II 'C'
Arnav Chaudhary	Anaya	Amaira Singh	Ahaan Alam Ansari	Adhrit Singh	Anvika Meduri
Ayaan Sinha	Ira	-	Almeera Khan	Aarav Pandey	Agastya Sahu
Daksh Parihar	Sanskriti	-	Anaira Iyer	Aaranya Mahapatra	Anvika keer
Enaya Gupta	Rudra Sexena	-	Anant Pal	Aayat Momin	Aaryaveer Gurram

Grade III 'A'	Grade III 'B'	Grade III 'C'	Grade IV 'A'	Grade IV 'B'
Abhiraj Sarkar	Ayaan Gadbil	Anaya Khanse	Anwita A	NA
Akshara Sharma	Aleeza Alvi	Ansh Patwa	Chisom Divine	Aayat Amir Alvi
Alisa Pundir	Advika Shegaonkar	Sonam Nagwanshi	Kashvi Patle	Aryan Vinumon
Aarna Shrivastava	Akshaya Rokade	Prisha Rana	Abhinav Mishra	Trisha Sahani



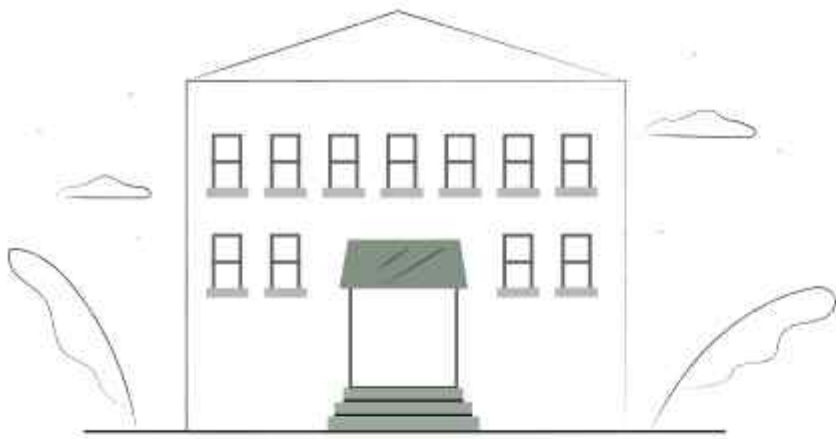
## Establishing Discipline within a Classroom

Establishing discipline within a classroom is akin to planting the seeds for nurturing responsible and well-mannered individuals. As the saying goes, "Cleanliness is next to godliness," introducing the practice of maintaining a tidy classroom is the initial step in teaching the significance of discipline. This foundational habit not only contributes to an orderly and visually pleasing learning environment but also imparts the essential lesson that everyone plays a role in creating and upholding a conducive atmosphere for learning.

Moving beyond physical cleanliness, the focus extends to instilling basic manners. Educating students on the importance of courteous conduct, mutual respect, and consideration for their environment lays the groundwork for a respectful and cooperative classroom ambience. These fundamental etiquettes not only enrich the social dynamics within the classroom but also serve as tangible demonstrations of the discipline they are encouraged to embrace.

Moreover, self-discipline among students is pivotal in shaping them into responsible members of society. Self-discipline transcends external rules; it encompasses an internalized set of values that guide individuals to make thoughtful decisions, exercise restraint, and take accountability for their actions. Teachers play a crucial role in nurturing this self-discipline by consistently exemplifying and reinforcing positive behaviors.

In summary, the interplay between teacher discipline and student behavior shapes the character and demeanor of the entire classroom community. It commences with foundational elements such as cleanliness and manners, progressing into the realm of self-discipline, ultimately equipping students to become responsible citizens. Through ongoing modeling, reinforcement, and practical lessons, educators lay the groundwork for a disciplined and positive learning environment that extends far beyond the classroom walls.



## PARENT'S CORNER

Ryan International School Dombivli provides a nurturing environment for my son's education. The dedication of teachers, and their efforts contribute positively to my son's learning experience. The school's focus on holistic growth through initiatives like mathematical courses, abacus, and Vedic maths demonstrates a commitment to well-rounded education. The provision of remedial classes and extra attention from teachers after school shows a proactive approach to supporting students' individual needs. With good infrastructure, facilities, and a cooperative staff, it seems like my son is in a conducive environment for his academic and personal development.

- Dr. Puneeta,

Parent of Vardan Dhama - Grade VII 'A'

## Upcoming Events

- Ryan Sir's Birthday
- Environment Week
- World Population Day
- National Parents Day
- International Friendship Day

