

Ryan International School

Kondapur

Circular No:10-2024-25

Date: 7-July-2024

Dear Parents,

Greetings from Ryan International School!

The details of the class activity for this month on Environmental week is given below.

Environment Week: 8th July to 12th July

Date	Activity
8-July-2024	For Grades 1 and 2
Tree Planting: Tree planting activity to help increase green space and compact climate change.	 Activity: Plant a Seed Description: Children will plant seeds in small pots or the school garden. Materials Needed: Seeds, soil, small pots, watering cans. Learning Outcome: Understanding the basics of plant growth and the importance of trees. For Grade 3 to 5
	 Activity: Adopt a Tree Description: Each class adopts a tree to care for throughout the year. Materials Needed: Young trees, watering cans, mulch. Learning Outcome: Responsibility for caring for a tree and learning about its needs and benefits. For Grade 6
	 Activity: Tree Identification and Planting Description: Students will identify different types of trees and participate in a tree planting ceremony. Materials Needed: Young trees, shovels, watering cans, tree identification guide. Learning Outcome: Knowledge of different tree species and hands-on experience in planting

9-July-2024

Green Challenges:

All the students and staff challenge using reusable water bottles, reducing energy consumption, or going plastic free for this week.

For Grades 1 and 2

Challenge: Reusable Water Bottles

- Activity: Students are encouraged to bring and use reusable water bottles every day.
- **Awards:** students who consistently use reusable bottles will be appreciated with award stickers.

For Grade 3 and 4

Challenge: Going Plastic-Free

- Activity: Challenge students to bring plastic-free lunches and use alternatives to plastic packaging.
- **Awards:** "Plastic-Free Champion" award for students who bring the most plastic-free items.
- Tracking: Students can keep a daily log of their plastic-free items.

For Grade 5 and 6

Challenge: Reducing Energy Consumption

- Activity: Turn off lights and electronics when not in use. Assign Energy Monitors in each class to ensure compliance.
- **Awards:** A "Green Star" Award to the class with the least energy consumption at the end of the week.
- **Tracking:** A checklist will be used for each classroom to monitor daily energy-saving actions.

10-July-2024

Nature Art:

Providing materials like leaves, sticks and flowers for children to create a piece inspired by nature. Students can make leave rubbing nature collages of paint with natural dyes.

For Grades 1 and 2

Activity: Leaf Rubbing

- Materials: Leaves, crayons, paper.
- Instructions:
 - 1. Collect various leaves from the schoolyard or nearby area.
 - 2. Place a leaf under a sheet of paper.
 - 3. Use crayons to rub over the paper, revealing the leaf's texture and shape.
- Outcome: Students create a colorful collection of leaf rubbings.

Grades 3 to 5

Activity: Nature Collages

- Materials: Leaves, sticks, flowers, glue, construction paper.
- Instructions:
 - 1. Collect natural materials from your surroundings and bring to school to do an activity at school.
 - 2. Arrange the collected items on a piece of construction paper.
 - 3. Glue the items to create a nature-inspired collage.
- **Outcome:** Students develop creativity by combining natural elements into unique art pieces.

Grade 6

Activity: Painting with Natural Dyes

- **Materials:** Flowers, leaves, berries, water, paintbrushes, paper, small containers.
- Instructions:
 - 1. Extract natural dyes by crushing flowers, leaves, and berries and mixing them with a bit of water.
 - 2. Use paintbrushes to create artwork using these natural dyes on paper.
- **Outcome:** Students learn about natural dyes and experiment with using them to create art.

11-July-2024

Environmental Workshops:

Hosting workshop on topic recycling and sustainable living.

Grades 1 and 2

Workshop Topic: Basic Recycling

- Content:
 - o **Introduction:** Explain what recycling is and why it's important using simple language and visual aids.
 - Activities:
 - 1. **Sorting Game:** Provide bins labeled "Paper," "Plastic," and "Glass," and have students sort items into the correct bins.
 - 2. **Story time:** Read a book about recycling (e.g., "Michael Recycle" by Ellie Bethel).
- **Outcome:** Students learn the basics of recycling and the importance of sorting waste.

Grades 3 to 5

Workshop Topic: Sustainable Living Basics

• Content:

- Introduction: Discuss simple concepts of sustainability, like conserving water and reducing waste.
- Activities:
 - 1. **Craft Project:** Use recycled materials to make crafts (e.g., bird feeders from milk cartons).
 - 2. **Interactive Story:** Create a story together about a character who learns to live sustainably.
- **Outcome:** Students understand simple actions they can take to live more sustainably.

Grade 6

Workshop Topic: Comprehensive Recycling

- Content:
 - Introduction: Explain the recycling process and the importance of reducing, reusing, and recycling.
 - Activities:
 - 1. **Recycling Relay:** Set up a relay race where students sort recyclable items as quickly as possible.
 - 2. **Discussion:** Talk about what happens to items when they are recycled.
- Outcome: Students gain a deeper understanding of recycling processes and the importance of waste management.

12-July-2024

Grades 1 and 2

Nature Walk:

Exploring Plant
Diversity at the
Botanical Garden.

Field trip: Students in grades 1 and 2 will be visiting a Botanical Garden to explore and learn about the diverse types of plants.

Objective:

• To introduce young students to the variety of plant life and foster an appreciation for nature.

During the Visit:

- The teacher will lead the students through different sections of the garden, pointing out various types of plants.
- The teacher will explain the basic characteristics of trees, flowers, shrubs, and other plants, using simple language suitable for young children.

Guest Speaker

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Topic: Recycling and Waste Management

Time: 11.00 to 11.40

Venue: Multipurpose hall, Ryan International school, Kondapur.

Speaker: Local Recycling expert or environmental activist will be invited.

Content:

- Basics of recycling: What can be recycled and why it's important.
- The impact of waste on the environment.