# redbricks school

Past month Highlights
Project: My Body and its needs

Class: 2A, 2B & 2C

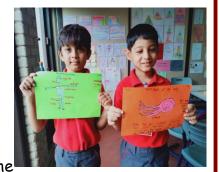
30th September to 22nd October 2019

# Highlighted activities of the month

#### Environmental studies

Children discussed about different food groups and enhanced their knowledge about the importance of balanced diet. To gain more understanding and knowledge related to different body systems they were taken to Vikram Sarabhai Science Center for field visit. They recorded their observation in the booklet. They came up with amazing ideas and worked collaboratively to make models which displayed their understanding and learning during the

project. Recap was done related to the themes covered. They played quiz on the project- My body and its needs. They revised importance of water and air and its uses. They recapped celebration and festival by writing a story about any one festival of their choice.



#### Mathematics

Children practised computation of 3 digit numbers and multiplication of 2, 3, 5 and 10. They measured length of various objects in centimeters using measuring tape and a ruler. They learnt that 100 cm= 1 m. They also recapitulated various 2D and 3D shapes along with the properties with the help of solid blocks. They collected data and made a tally chart on different topics. The concepts taught were recapitulated through worksheets. They recorded the measurement of objects in their surrounding.



# **English**

The children enjoyed the book 'The Milk man's cow' and the various characters in the book and also chose their favourite character and wrote a character sketch making beautiful illustrations. They enjoyed learning new concepts- 'wants and needs'. The children learnt conjunctions, pronouns and describing people. They were also introduced to the technique of reviewing a book and learnt how to write one. The children did different grammar concepts in the revision week like Nouns, Pronouns and Describing words, Apostrophe and Number Nouns.

#### Hindi

Children learned about the Hindi terms of different internal organs and also discussed its needs in the class which helped in enhancing the vocabulary. They also did various activities related to the project like writing on the topic "Bimariyon se shareer ko kaise bachayen" and made a chart of different sense organ and its functions in Hindi. Children learned the chapeters "Hansi Kho Gayi" and "Sahasi Balika". They also learned about Kriya, Vachan and Linga in Hindi Vyakaran.

## ICT

Children did web search on the ongoing project. They also copied the information from webpage to word file using mouse. The learnt about various digital devices and their basic uses.

#### Co – Curricular Activities:

#### Celebrations:

- World Space Week
- International Day of non-violence
- Indian Air Force Day
- Dussehra and Navratri Celebration
- Diwali Celebration



## Sports:

- Football: In football the students learnt the skill of passing and defending the ball.
- Athletics: The children practiced track events like 100 metre Sprint and 50 metre running.
- Yoga: The children learnt the Gayatri Mantra and asanas like Trikonasana, Padahasthasana and Bhramari Pranayam
- Chess: The children learnt checkmate puzzle of one move. They also practiced playing on the personal board.

**Visual Arts:** The children learned to draw the body parts using geometrical shapes, they were asked to observe their peer's face and accordingly they were expected to draw sense organs and coloured them.

### Performance Arts:

- Music: The children learnt 6th Alanakar and Sur.
- Dance: They practiced garba for navratri celebration and they did a few steps of 'Tutting' dance form.
- **Drama**: The children were asked to select one cartoon character they like and display some qualities of that character they like on the paper.

#### Extra-curricular Activities:

Self enrichment: Students continued with their module of 'My Safety'. They were introduced to different kinds of touches; safe, unsafe, and confusing. Through videos and discussions, they learnt about trusted adults in their life and were introduced to the concept of safety circles. Students also learnt about emotional safety, its significance, and ways in which they can ensure the same for them as well as others around.

Interest Center: Children continued to make models of their project. They gathered waste materials and started culminating the models. Art teacher along with other facilitators helped students in making of model. Students also wrote reflection of their journey so far.



### Students reflection:

# Class 2A

- Mann: "We living things need food and water along with love and care."
- Reyansh: "When we eat food fast, it gets stuck in the windpipe and so we get hiccups."

# Class 2B

- Niel: "The chochlea is an internal part of ear."
- Ananya: "Lungs purify our blood."

## Class 2C

- Hriday: "We use a measuring cylinder to measure liquids."
- Devaansh: "The heart has four chambers."