

Dear Parents,

We have completed our First Term successfully and wish to keep up the good work in the Second Term too. Nothing would have been possible without your co-operation.

Please note that the following activities should be carried out during the vacations:

1. Cover all note books and textbooks with newspaper covers (double layer) if the old covers are worn out or torn. Decorate and stick homemade labels, make a collage on the cover.
2. Read the prescribed GK books. Improving GK is a continuous process. Do not wait for the school teacher to 'teach' GK. You may issue more GK books or other books from the library. **The library will be open during vacations from 8th November, 2011 between 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.**
3. Do not encourage too much of TV viewing and internet games during vacations just because there is no other activity to do or you are too busy.
4. Encourage your children to do physical activities, exercise, play games and involve them in home chores.
5. Practise Multiplication Tables upto 25 on a daily basis. Play dodging tables with family members and friends.
6. **We hope that you celebrate a pollution free and noise free Diwali! Encourage your children to save money which would have been spent on fire crackers.**

Activity I

PREPARATION OF FOOD ITEMS

- Learn to prepare any two traditional food items from your state.
- You will be asked to write the recipe when you come in November.

Activity II

READING/ LANGUAGE ENHANCEMENT

- Read the Newspaper daily and write important news items daily in your English notebook in 4-5 sentences.
- Read a story book. Write the summary of the story in two paragraphs in your English notebook. Write the name of the book, author, and time of reading.

Hindi: Std. IV: 'दिपावली' पर निबंध लिखें। (100 शब्द) Write it in your notebook.

Marathi (2nd Language): Std. IV: एक गोष्टीचे पुस्तक पूर्ण वाचणे . त्यातील गोष्ट वर्गात सांगणे व 10 ओळी त्याबद्दल लिहून आणणे .

Activity III

ENGLISH

- **Std. IV:** Write a story of your own using the given words and draw an illustration for the same. (Words: Students, school, teachers, surprised, turned, aliens, pizza/ burger, frightened.)
- **Std. V:** Imagine you are Rahul. Write a DIALOGUE, on a chart, between your friend, Mohit and you discussing the importance of Diwali festival. You may use quotations to highlight its importance.

Activity IV

SCIENCE

- **Std. IV and V:** Visit 8-10 houses in your neighbourhood and collect information about – What do your neighbours do to save (a) Fuel, (b) Electricity, (c) Water (in their house and workplace). Write a report about this information in your Science notebook. Take the signatures of persons you spoke to in your notebook.

Format for collecting the information:

HOUSE 1:- Name of the member: _____

* How do you save or conserve –

(a) FUEL

(b) ELECTRICITY

(c) WATER

Signature

Activity V**MATHS**

- **Std. IV:** Practice sheet given to the students.
- **Std. V:** Activity Sheet – 119, 120 (Pg. Nos. 138, 139) from composite Maths – by R.S. Aggarwal.

Activity VI**SOCIAL SCIENCE**

- **Std. IV:** Read the summary sheet given on Chhatrapati Shivaji and draw any one of Shivaji's fort on a chart. You may also make a model. Refer to the History book [SSC Board] and read any one story in detail.
- **Std. V:** 1) Make a word web on World Environment Day. Covering the points – why, when, how and where it is celebrated. Write it in your notebook.
2) Make a face mask for Halloween Day as discussed in the class.

SCHOOL MAGAZINE


- Students should write poems/ articles/ short stories/ travel diaries/ personal experiences (in English/ Hindi/ Marathi) or draw and paint pictures for the school magazine. They should submit the same to the Class Teacher via e-mail as an attachment or to info@ppspune.com. Avoid sending matter (especially jokes) copied from the Internet or from elsewhere. Parents may also contribute articles for the school magazine.

Parents kindly ensure that the above activities are completed and sent to school latest by 18th November, 2011. These activities are a part of the continuous assessment plan. Marks (5-10) will be awarded only if the activity is submitted on time to the Class Teacher.

School reopens on 14th November, 2011. Attendance on the first day is mandatory.

Students should wear coloured dresses on 14th November, 2011 on account of Children's Day.

Co-Ordinator**Head Mistress****Principal**

 WISH YOU ALL A HAPPY DIWALI! 