



## Thematic Activities

This is the last term of the year. The theme on nature allowed the children to build on their exploratory skills as they got out to explore nature to further extend their nature smart intelligences. The PG and N1 children explored the various weather conditions, the N2 children explored flowering plants, the K1 children explored on parts of a plant, the conditions of growing plants and the K2 children explored on tree and rainforest. The children's learning were enriched with outdoor learning journeys. In addition, in the month of December, we reinforced the children's understanding on being environmentally friendly through the 3Rs lessons covering reduce, reuse and recycle.



### Singapore Hort Park

The K1 and K2 children used their senses to observe a wide variety of plants. They were able to describe the plants according to their shapes and textures. They also used their sense of smell to explore Pandan leaves, curry leaves etc. The children interacted with the tour guide and asked their planned questions to satisfy their sense of curiosity.



### Singapore Botanic Garden

The N2 children learnt about the different flowers found in Singapore Botanic Garden such as the Pinwheel Flower, Peacock Flower etc. They had the opportunities to touch, smell, describe and compare these flowers too. The children also observed parts of the plants and flowers such as petals, leaves and stem.



### Jacob Ballas Children Garden

The PG and N1 children were very excited and energetic to participate in all the various sunny and windy day activities. They also demonstrated their sense of curiosity during the garden trail. During the sand play, children explored their sense of touch, played and discovered the texture of sand. Children had a fun time interacting and sharing their play equipment.



## Healthy Lifestyle Puppet Show by HPB

The puppet show captured the N2-K2 children's attention. It was interactive and communicated healthy habits messages. It included learning good eye care habits to prevent myopia, being physically active daily and healthy eating using the healthy plate guideline. Children learnt the different type of food groups on the healthy plate. As a reinforcement, children made their own healthy hero badge to pledge that they will practice healthy habits.





## Celebration



## Children Day Celebration



The children were beaming with joy throughout their special day and were participating in several activities. They were very engaged and attentive in watching the live performances by the teachers as well as the movie screening while snacking on their tidbits and drink. They were full of excitement when they played various games. One of their happiest moment was receiving gifts from the school and teachers.

## Deepavali Celebration



The children showed awareness of the 4 races in Singapore and were able to relate that Deepavali is the festival of the Indian race in Singapore. They explored various authentic materials such as Thosai,

Putu mayam; Diya, Indian costumes etc. Children showed enthusiasm to learn the Indian dance steps, participated in various games and activities to demonstrate their awareness and appreciation of the Indian culture.

## CHRISTMAS Celebration



The children responded well and were able to name the common Christmas ornaments used for decorations. The K2 performed a dance celebrating Christmas whereas the K1 children performed a Chinese story dramatization on the legend of Santa Claus. Children participated in many activities and games relating to the Christmas theme such as Snowman Puzzle, Don't Ring the Bells obstacle course, Hit a Tree Game and Win a Prize, Gift wrapping and Christmas card making. The party ended with the children performing a Christmas Carol.



## Community Service Trip to Kheng Chui Happy Lodge



Children demonstrated their readiness to show care and respect to the elderly by packing the goodie bag, practicing their dances and preparing their class station activities in the centre. The children showed their enthusiasm in interacting with the elders. They performed their dance with pride. The K2 children invited the elders to participate in their music activity and even reached out and sat next to the elders while playing with their musical instruments. The K1 children were helping the elders at their art station. For the N2 children, though it was their first visit, they appeared no stranger and warmly held the elders' hand to play at their gross motor station. The children feedback that they were very happy that the elders played at their station and they felt good when they distributed the goodie bag to the elders.



## K2 Farewell Party



It was an emotional moment for all as the K2 children presented their own farewell speeches. They did their gift exchange which will serve as a precious memento for them. They also went around collecting autographs from their friends and teachers. Finally they tucked into a buffet spread of snacks and enjoyed a movie time together. Let's us bid them goodbye and wish them all the best in their future learning journey.



# LITTLE chef Session



Children were introduced to western culture on costume, festive food such as a Christmas meal. They were delighted to make a Christmas Tree Treat during their cookery lesson. Children enhanced their fine motor skills to spread the yoghurt and paste their decorations on their ice cream cone to make their 'Christmas Tree'. Some children even created AB/ABC pattern while pasting their decoration. Their happiest moment of the day was eating their Christmas Tree treat.

## Centre-Parent Partnership

### Parent's Class Sharing Session



Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to conduct more parent's class sharing sessions. The children had additional learning opportunities to appreciate Chinese culture and decorate their lantern, play music and movement games and appreciate healthy eating by making their own fruit and cheese kebab.



## Dance & Speech Choir

The N2-K2 children learnt to appreciate and performed the Indian cultural Kathak dance. They were also introduced to dance based on the musical genre – Jazz. The children have deepened their skill in their Speech Choir and were able to recite their individual class piece including with choreography.



## 2018 Year End Concert - Universal Stars

The year end concert is a nice wrap of the school year with the children showcasing their talents. All the children showed their enthusiasm, talents and performed confidently on the stage. It was also a very proud moment for the K2 parents as they accompanied their child for the graduation procession walk. The K2 children demonstrated their confidence and good presentation skills in delivering their individual graduation speech. It is indeed a joyous occasion.



May the peace and blessings of Christmas be yours;  
and may the coming year be filled with happiness.

*Merry Christmas  
&  
Happy New Year*