OUR SUMMER VACATION HAS JUST BEGUN,
IT’S TIME FOR LOADS AND LOADS OF FUN.
THE KIDS WILL TAKE HELP FROM MOM AND DAD,
LEARN SOMETHING NEW AND BE GLAD.

DEAR PARENT,

It's time for summer sun and fun. A perfect time to discover that learning is enjoyable and can happen anywhere. Holidays allow us to spend time relaxing and enjoying with our family and friends. However, learning must continue even while having fun. To beat the summer heat and make these days fun filled here are a few interesting activities which will enhance your child's creative abilities and help in their learning process. As we are dealing with small children these activities have to be performed under your supervision and guidance.

**NOTE:** Submit the given homework in a handmade paper bag with clearly mentioned name, class and section. Allow the children to decorate the paper bags as per their creativity.
PREP HOLIDAY HOME WORK

DAILY READING TIME-

a. To improve listening skills in your children, read out to them any story book (e.g. Karadi Tales, Lady Bird series, Dr. Suess books, Peter and Jones series).
b. Make your child read three or four letter words from the above mentioned books.
c. To enhance their observation skills help them to under line three letter words with red ink and four letter words with blue ink.
d. To develop fine motor skills help them to draw & colour any favourite character from the story. Make them learn the story along with the character in simple language for presentation in class.

LEARN TO CARE

As parents and teachers we understand the importance of inculcating values and life skills among our children. An individual possessing good values and character, always leaves a lasting impression on the mind. Help your children become caring human beings by developing habits like:-

- Wishing and welcoming guests.
- Spending time with grandparents.
- Giving respect to elders.
- Taking care of pets.

WATER GLOBE

Children will enjoy creating this beautiful Water Globe:-

- Take a clean, transparent and an empty jar with a lid.
- Put little clay (plasticine) at the base of the jar and insert a twig into it.
- Decorate it with coloured stones, small toys etc.
- Then put a tablespoon of glitter and fill the jar with water.
- Fix the rim of the jar such that it doesn’t open.
- Send this colourful jar to school.

BACKYARD SCIENCE

1. Reflect it

Children will have lot of fun seeing the sun rays bounce back with homemade reflectors. Use aluminium foil to cover a paper plate, tin or anything hard. Hold this object and wiggle it near a window from where sunlight enters. You’ll see the sunlight dancing around the room.

2. Sink and Float

Things required:-

- A transparent jar
- Water
- Food colour
- Cooking oil
- Sugar/salt
- Sand
- Pebbles
Take a transparent jar/container and fill half of it with water. Add 2 tea spoons of sugar/salt to it. Now add some sand to it. Then take some pebbles and put them inside the container. Take any food colour and add few drops of it to the water in the container. Finally take some oil and add it to the mixture in the container. Now stir it and then let it settle. After it settles note your observations in a table as follows; (on an A4 sheet). You can make it attractive in any way you like and send it to school as it will be pasted in their EVS notebooks.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>I TOOK</th>
<th>I ADDED</th>
<th>I OBSERVED</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Water</td>
<td>Salt/Sugar</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Water</td>
<td>Sand</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Water</td>
<td>Pebbles</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Water</td>
<td>Food colour</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Water</td>
<td>Oil</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Learning outcome:-**
This simple experiment shows that few things like salt & sugar dissolve in water. Things heavier than water like sand & pebbles settle down and things lighter than water like oil float on water.

**FUNSCHOOL**
Learning is not only restricted to books and notebooks. There are other play-way methods to make learning more enjoyable.

1. **Number Flashcards**
   Take an A3 size sheet of any colour. Divide it into 20 squares. Write numbers from 1-20 on it (1 digit in one square). Get the sheet laminated and cut the squares. Keep these square cards in a zip-lock pouch and label the pouch with your name and class. They will be used in the class to clear the concepts in a practical and fun method.

2. **Word Family Flower**
   Make a square flash card of size 5”X5”. Now make one flower on each side of the card. In the centre circle of the flower write the two letter sound word as allotted according to the child’s roll no. Write the rhyming words related to the sound allotted on the petals of the flower.

**For Example:-**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ROLL NO.</th>
<th>SOUND</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1-7</td>
<td>at, ap, an</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8-14</td>
<td>et, eg, en</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15-21</td>
<td>it, ip, in</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22-28</td>
<td>ot, og, op</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29-37</td>
<td>ut, up, un</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
**Learning objective:** To familiarize the children with vowels and their phonic sounds.

**LEARNING TOGETHER:** Now let’s hold hands to create something beautiful & informative.

3. Choose any one animal/bird according to the roll number and prepare a wall hanging/mobile.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ROLL NO.</th>
<th>THEME</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1-7</td>
<td>Water animals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8-14</td>
<td>Wild animals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15-21</td>
<td>Pet animals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22-28</td>
<td>Domestic animals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29-37</td>
<td>Birds</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Parents are requested to cut any shape and make cards of size 15X15cm. Make the wall hanging in the following manner.

- Picture and name of the animal/bird chosen.
- Picture and name of its young one.
- Its habitat.
- Its food.
- Any other interesting fact about the same.

Help your children to paste the pictures & use their creativity to make the hanging decorative & colourful.

**SAFETY HABITS:**
- Kindly familiarize your child with the following facts:
  - People who walk along sidewalks and cross roads are known as pedestrians.
  - Do not move around in the moving bus.
  - Never board or get off the moving bus.
  - Do not take your hand or head out of a moving vehicle.
  - Always cross the road at zebra crossing.
  - Never play on the road.
  - Follow the traffic signals.
TRAFFIC SIGNS

NO U TURN  LEFT TURN  RIGHT TURN  SCHOOL AHEAD  TRAFFIC LIGHT  ZEBRA CROSSING

MAT FOR SCHOOL

Make a TABLE MAT using an A4 size PASTEL SHEET of any colour. Give it a nice and bright border, paste colourful pictures of your favourite fruits/vegetables. Take the print out of the given lines and paste them on the mat. Paste a passport size photograph of your child and mention the NAME, CLASS, SECTION. Ensure that the mat is laminated from the shop only.

* Wash your hands before and after meals.
* Chew with your mouth closed.
* Don't talk with food in your mouth.
* Wipe your hands and mouth with a napkin.

Name:...........
Class:........Sec:........

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!