



# N.S.N GROUP OF SCHOOLS

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## CHRONICLES OF THE SECOND TERM 2019-2020

### VISION

To take education beyond and build a new World.

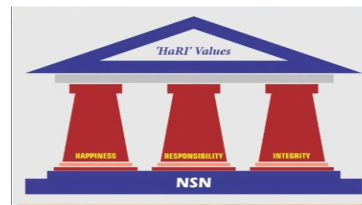
### MISSION STATEMENT

To provide wholesome education in a conducive environment that has an innate respect and regard for the staff, students and parents, that nurtures values, enhances experiential learning, leading to development of 21st century skills, provides opportunities to discover self and contribute to the Society.

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### 'HaRI' VALUES



We believe in the core values of Happiness, Responsibility and Integrity and our endeavor is to instill these core values in students to enable them to achieve holistic growth and develop a charming personality. In order to support the HaRI values, we have 50 best practices <https://www.nsnschools.com/best-practice/> Social contribution is an integral part of NSN as we believe in giving to society. <https://www.nsnschools.com/social-contribution/> This year an amount of close to Rs 86 lakhs has been waived in the form of fee concession/exemption for meritorious students who are from the economically weaker section.

### *A Note from the Editor:*

Welcome to the 2nd edition of the NSN chronicles .The second term has been power packed , and full of zip so far ! In this issue, you will find an assembly of all activities done by students, complementing their learning and their values .

'Spreading Smiles', an initiative to work on the happiness quotient ,a small step to take India higher on the World Happiness Report .

The fusion of fun, frolic and love displayed on Grandparents Day will warm the cockles of your heart .

Children and Books hold out hope in this strife ridden world. The National Library Week was planned to bring the two rays of Hope together .

Read on to know more! Wish you all a Great New Year and keep spreading the cheer.

### SACRED SPACE



## Infini Day Celebration

Infini day celebration @ N.S.N began on Nov 1st. **11 days, 11 ways.** Each day students harped on one of the 11 ways to live life the infinitheism way. Relevant videos were shown to complement the learnings. Around 28 of our students delivered motivational talks in 14 schools, touching the lives of close to 3000 students. Click on the following link to view a glimpse.

<https://www.facebook.com/335638296633600/videos/984645561893506/>

<b>DAY</b>	<b>VALUE (THEME)</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>
Day 1	Breakthrough	Students shared a major breakthrough achieved or one that is yet to be achieved.
Day 2	Holistic Abundance	Students pledged for Holistic Abundance in the assembly.
Day 3	Celebration is life	Infini 11 & 14 students taught other students different ways of celebrations.
Day 4	My life my responsibility	Students wrote down a resolution for the upcoming year.
Day 5	Gratitude and disturbance cannot coexist	Students wrote a note of gratitude for someone who helped them.
Day 6	To love and to be loved	Students prepared greeting cards for their loved ones.
Day 7	Come... Let us go the other way...	Students brain stormed on class room challenges.
Day 8	To be. To do. To have. To give.	Assembly presentation by the students on "To be. To do. To have. To give."
Day 9	Energy plus Intelligent Effort plus Faith in The Energy...	Students observed collective silence for 11 minutes
Day 10	Desires become deservingness only through Consistent Directed Self-motivated Intelligent Effort.	Students made a note of the blessings of their life.
Day 11	Accept the unchangeable. Change the changeable. Remove yourself from the unacceptable.	Infini 14 students shared their learnings and spoke about how being part of infini 14, changed their lives.

### Infini Day- "Spreading Smiles-A Joyful Experience"

The 11 days celebration culminated on 11.11.19 on the occasion of infini day through the 'Spreading Smiles' campaign. <https://youtu.be/uL84bjqfn8Q>. Selected students visited the Post office (Chromepet & Chitlapakkam), Police station (Chromepet & Chitlapakkam), EB office (Chromepet & Chitlapakkam), Panchayat, Municipality, Fire station, Chitlapakkam Rising NGO, Goodlife Centre, Home for abandoned children, and also Officers Training Academy (OTA) and felicitated them for the services they render to the society. The day was an emotional one filled with tears of joy, happiness and smiles galore.

## Infini 11 and 14 Graduation Day

Infini 11 and Infini 14 students graduated on 11th and 12th of Oct respectively. These 80 students are all set to sweep the world with the world of change in the endeavor to make the world more beautiful.

Infini 11

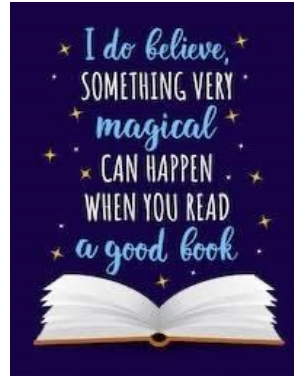
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Infini 14

<https://myalbum.com/album/QeLtJjn9EtUw>

## National Library week

National library week was observed from Nov 15 to Nov 20th. Activities were planned for the students in the library and they also wrote down interesting aspects of a book that they have read. Students presented book talk in the assembly and we also had the DEAR time (Drop ever thing and read) on 15th Nov for students of kg to std 8.



Students who read the maximum number of books during the week, were conferred with the title, '**STAR READER OF THE WEEK**'



## Brain storming session

A few interesting excerpts below

**Topic:** "Exam stress and ways to overcome"

- Students of class 6 to 12 had a brain storming session class-wise to come up with ways to beat exam stress



- ⇒ Have a proper study schedule
- ⇒ Avoid electronic gadgets
- ⇒ Practice with mind maps and keywords
- ⇒ Set Realistic Goals
- ⇒ Believe in yourself
- ⇒ Practice model question papers
- ⇒ Meditate for 11 minutes

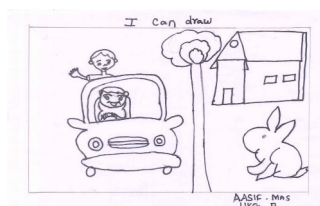


## Magazine Day

Nov 1st was magazine day, a day when all students from KG to std XII unleash the little writer in them. They pen / draw their thoughts on matters close to the heart. You will find below a few interesting excerpts.

"I would like to invent a machine that would save children fallen in the bore-well. If I invent the machine, I would name it as the magnetic hu-saver."

**Yogesh.S, IV-A**

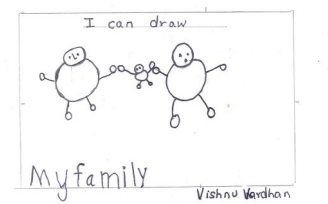


"I am always self-assured that any failure or any success of mine has always been my choice in life"

**Janaki Raman, XII-A**

"It is true that success follows effort and hard work, but success follows only if goals are set and setting goals needs guts and belief in oneself"

**Trilingeswar.B.K, IX-D**



"if there is a book that you want to read, but it hasn't been written yet, then you must write it"  
- Toni morrison

"Every student of NSN is groomed by their teachers in the right way along with education. I am so lucky to be an NSNite and I will never forget my days that I spent in NSN"

**S.K.Jagdeesh, XI-A**

## Children's day celebration



A special day for every child, a day to cherish. The mentors in NSN left no stone unturned to make this day a special one for the children right from the ambience created, to customized messages and all the fun in the cultural. This day also provided a platform for the students to display their talent in the talent show conducted by Infini14 students



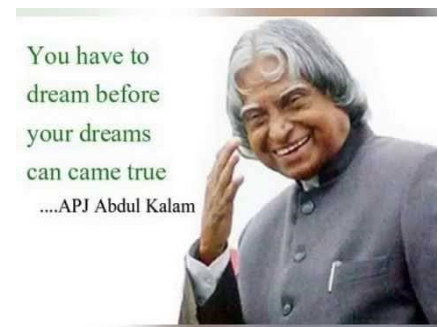
"I am rare, I am unique, I am original, I am an NSNite, I will make it very very very big in life"

## World Students' Day

NSN Group of Schools paid tribute to the great legend Dr. Abdul Kalam by observing World Students' Day. It was a "No Bag Day" for students of kg to class 8 and an "Experiential Learning Day" for all students of kg to class 12. Students were exposed to an array of activities, which enhanced their learning. The day started with

students taking the 10 point oath written by the legend himself. Students of class 11 and 12 had a Panel Discussion to discuss the status of 'Vision 2020' and students of class 9 and 10 quoted the Missile Man and explained his words.

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## KG SCHOOL NEWS

- In addition to the Colour Days, Talent shows & Class Library Days, this term, 'Parent & Child' activity day was initiated for parents to know how to work on the child's Gross and Fine Motor Skills
- Campaigning for Clean and Green India. A Rally by UKG Students on Environment Day. (21.11.19)
- Swachh Bharat Awareness created by KG Students (21.11.19)

- Gita chanting Competition for KG to VIII
- Fun Day - 'Christmas Party' at school (20.12.19)



Parent & Child Activity Day on 14.12.19

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## PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

- No Bag Day
- Dance on Infini Day
- Diwali - Assembly Presentation by Std. III to V.



- Session by the Vice principal on Social skills and Values
- Gita Chanting Competition

- SOF International Olympiad Exam
- Karuna International - Drawing Competition
- Grandparents Day  
<https://myalbum.com/album/9SkVZsE43aUV>
- "Christmas" - Assembly Presentation by Std. III to V.



## MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

- Visit to Shree Poorna Mahameru Trust Old Age Home at Pallavaram



- Wellness Day - Awareness on Diabetes for Std. VII and VIII by Dr. Pradeep, Diabetologist. (World Diabetes Day)
- SOF International Olympiad Exam

## HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

- Assembly Presentation - World Development Information Day by the students of Std. XI and XII.
- Motivational Talk by our students on the occasion of "Infini Day"
- Awareness Campaign on "Importance of Rain Water Harvesting" by students of Std. IX, a Rally from NSN School to Chitlapakkam Town Panchayat Office.
- "MEDHA DAKSHINAMURTHY" Homam for Std. X to XII

- State Level National Talent Search Examination (NTSE) for students of Std. X conducted by the Directorate of Government Examinations
- Street Play on "Importance of Mental Health"



- Visit to Officers Training Academy(OTA)
- Exhibition on "Economically Important Plants" for Std.VI to VIII by students of Std. XII (Biology Group).
- SOF international olympiad exam.
- Lake Cleaning Activity @ Velachery in connection with EFI

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## HEALTH AND SAFETY-we care

At NSN ,we care...

We have an active Health and Safety crew who ensure the safety of students & staff

Following are some of the measures taken by the crew in the II Term

- Session on 'Nutrition & Health' by Dr. Nidhi Bajaj for mentors.
- Road safety campaign by JRC students
- Session on 'Handling Relationships' for Std XI by Student Counsellor.
- Session on "Stress Management" by Student Counsellor for Std. VI to VIII mentors.
- Session on "Development of Self" by Student Counsellor for Std. IX and X.
- Daily Walk for mentors
- Exam tips for students
- Dental Camp for students by Dr.Smilez Group of Dental Centre(23.10.19)

- Eye Camp for students by Sankara Nethralaya (18.10.19)



## CCA, CLUB & SPECIAL DAYS

Club Days for Term II 19.10.2019, 23.11.2019. in addition to the special days are also observed, the following days were also observed.

- Global Handwashing Day
- World Mental Health Day "Meditate for well being"
- Scouts & Guides Tritya Sopan Test Camp for std VIII and IX at Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Old Perungalathur.

- Half yearly over night camp for Scouts and Guides Cubs and bul-buls.

"Student academic performance is directly related to student participation in extracurricular activities..."

- Douglas Reeves in Education Week Teacher

## FRESH FROM THE ROASTER

- **NO ERASER DAY** (26.11.19)

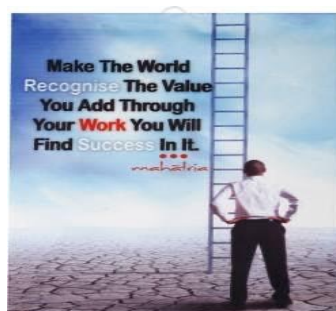
Little ones are always fond of meddling with things which distract them. Eraser, the little distractor!!! "No ERASER DAY" was observed to help them focus on their writing without distraction.

## STAFF DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Staff development is a continual process in NSN. In the II term, mentors had the following workshops/training programs.

- Seminar for History / Social Studies Teachers on Teaching History and Heritage at Dakshina Chitra. (18.10.19)
- Eureka Training for the Science mentors of Std. III to VIII.(7.11.19)
- Session on "Story telling and Montessori Methods" for KG mentors by Mrs. Sangeetha Kanchilal, Ratna Sagar. (30.11.19)

- WOW Workshop for English mentors by Mrs.Megha Bajaj. (18.11.19)
- Workshop for Biology mentors (Std. IX to XII) by Dr. Usha Ravi. (3.08.19)



- Workshop for Student Counsellor on "Legal Awareness" in High Court Campus. (29.11.19)
- Workshop for Student Counsellor on 'Addiction in School Children – New Age Challenges' being organized by ICTRC on December 17, 2019 at Puducherry
- Workshop on 'Prose and Poetry teaching' for English Mentors by Oxford (19.9.19)

## ACHIEVEMENTS and ACCOLADES

NSN believes in all round development and students are encouraged to participate in various tournaments at national and international levels. Inter-School competitions serve as a platform for students to display their talent and earn accolades.

- Click to view students' achievements.
- <http://www.nsnschools.com/chitlapakkam/sports-award/>
  - <https://www.nsnschools.com/chromepet/sports-awards/>
  - <http://www.nsnschools.com/memorial/sports-awards/>

## MOTIVATIONAL TALKS AND GUEST LECTURES

Students are exposed to various speakers /achievers from different fields to motivate them with their success stories.

- Motivational Talk for std XI and XII by Mr. Keshav, Founder & CEO, Mantra (22.10.2019)
- Career Guidance for Std. X by Mr. Sivakumar, Retd IIT Professor (Physics). (1.10.19)
- Career Guidance for std XII by Technocrats India College Finder (5.10.19)

- Session on Wild Life by Mr.Nishanth, Environmentalist for Std VII,VIII and IX. (National Wildlife Week)(18.10.19)



- Session on "Artificial Intelligence" by Mr.G. Mathubalan, Senior Consultant-Analytics, Infosys Ltd for Std. XI and XII (Science Group). (2.11.19 )
- Career Guidance Program for Std. XI and XII (Commerce Group) by Mr.Sathya Kumar, Chief Strategist at Tycoonplus Advisors Pvt Ltd.(2.11.19 )

### Connect with us

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### Upcoming events:

- KIDDIES SPORTS MEET – 11/1/2020
- SPORTS DAY – 31.1.2020(CBSE),1/2/2020(Matric)
- KG GRADUATION DAY - 29/2/2020
- SCOUTS AND GUIDES ANNUAL DAY-15/02/2020
- BOUQUET OF THANKS - 28/2/2020
- GRADUATION DAY FOR STD XII