



## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents, Students, and Teachers,

As July draws to a close, I am filled with immense pride and joy to reflect on a truly remarkable month at Ryan. We stood united by the value of unity, and I am thrilled to announce the successful closure of all the events that made this month so special.

July was indeed a crucial month, brimming with a multitude of activities that beautifully showcased our team spirit and the strong bond. We were delighted to provide various platforms for students, teachers, and parents to come together, enhancing a shared experience of learning and knowledge under the Ryan roof.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations and deepest gratitude to my incredible team. Your hard work, dedication, and collaborative efforts were instrumental in making every event a resounding success. The energy, enthusiasm, and participation from everyone involved were truly inspiring.

Thank you for being an integral part of our vibrant Ryan family. Let's carry this spirit of unity forward as we embark on new adventures and learning experiences in the months to come.

**- Ms. Sandeepa Kumar,**  
**Principal, RIS Dombivli**

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### Quote of the month

*“When there is no enemy within, the enemies outside cannot hurt you”*

*Winston S. Churchill*



This quote means that if you are confident, calm and strong inside, then no one else can make you feel weak or hurt you. Your biggest battles are often with your own thoughts - like fear, doubt or negativity. If you overcome these, outside problems or people cannot affect you.

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### Parent Orientation Program

A successful educational environment is built on the collective efforts of dedicated teachers, motivated students, and supportive families with high expectations.

On 25th March 2025, RISD conducted its Parent Orientation Program, beginning with a ceremonial blessing. The event was divided into two main sessions. During these sessions, parents received detailed insights into the school's academic structure and administrative policies through a visual presentation. Meanwhile, students took part in a variety of fun and interactive activities, including a shape game, flower vase coloring, balloon balancing, butterfly coloring, ball tossing into a hole, and balloon painting.

The most impactful part of the day was the face-to-face interaction with classroom teachers, who explained their teaching methods and assessment criteria. The event was considered a great success, as parents expressed confidence in the school's academic philosophy, and all their questions were thoroughly addressed. Additionally, students thoroughly enjoyed the activities and showed great enthusiasm about joining the school.

### First Day of School

The first day of school marked a new beginning, filled with dreams and excitement. Children stepped into the school environment as if entering another world. They were warmly welcomed with cheerful smiles, setting a positive tone for their journey ahead. The first day is always a memorable one, and the students eagerly



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explored their vibrant, colorful classrooms decorated with lively pictures and bright displays.

To help them feel happy and comfortable, various engaging activities were arranged. These included coloring, dancing to rhymes, card making, playing on slides, number games, and block-building activities. The joyful atmosphere made the children feel at ease and excited to begin their educational adventure.

### Ambedkar Jayanti

Ryan International School, Dombivli, commemorated Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Jayanti with great zeal and respect.

The occasion was marked by a special assembly where students actively participated through impactful monologues, inspiring poems, and a collective pledge honoring Dr. Ambedkar's legacy. A student from Mont III delivered a thoughtful speech, shedding light on Dr. Ambedkar's significant role in shaping modern India and his lifelong dedication to justice and equality.

We take immense pride in our students for honoring this visionary leader and upholding the principles of equality, empowerment, and social reform that he championed.

### World Earth Day

World Earth Day was celebrated with a strong focus on environmental conservation and sustainability.

Students learned about various ways to preserve natural resources and the vital role



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they play in protecting the planet. A key highlight of the day was a plantation drive, where Montessori students enthusiastically brought saplings, helping them grasp the importance of a greener Earth and the need to care for nature.

To further deepen their understanding, students also participated in hands-on classroom activities aligned with the theme of environmental stewardship:

**Mont II & III:** Took part in a creative Paper Tree activity, representing growth and the value of greenery.

We take great pride in our young learners for taking their first steps toward a sustainable future. Such initiatives not only enhance environmental awareness but also instill a deep sense of responsibility and respect for the natural world.

## Radiant Red Day

Radiant Red Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm, as students arrived dressed in vibrant red attire. To make the day engaging and educational, a variety of theme-based activities were organized for students from Mont I to III.

### Fingerprint Activity - Mont I

Students explored the color red through an enjoyable fingerprint activity. Using red paint, they created balloons and apples by stamping their fingerprints on paper, fostering both creativity and fine motor development.

### Paper Crushing Apple Activity - Mont II

Children took part in a hands-on art activity



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where they crushed paper, dipped it in red paint, and pasted it onto an apple outline. This sensory-based task enhanced their motor skills and reinforced the day's color theme.

### Red Fruit Tasting Activity - Mont III

Students brought red fruits such as strawberries, apples, tomatoes, and watermelon. They participated in a guided tasting session where they described the fruits' appearance, flavor, and texture, promoting sensory exploration and vocabulary building.

## World Environment Day

To celebrate World Environment Day, creative and engaging leaf printing activity was conducted. With the help and guidance of the teacher, students dipped various types of leaf in different shades of paint. They then carefully pressed the painted side of the leaves on to sheets of paper to create colourful nature inspired prints.

This hands-on activity not only sparked artistic expression but also helped children connect with nature, appreciate its beauty, and understand the importance of preserving the environment in a fun and meaningful way.

## Father's Day

To celebrate the special occasion of Father's Day, a fun and creative "Make a Tie" competition was organized for the students. As a part of the activity, children were given paper cutouts of ties, which they decorated using vibrant colours, patterns and finger printing techniques.

With the guidance of teachers, students used their imagination to create unique and



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colourful designs, expressing their love and appreciation for their fathers through art. The activity not only encouraged creativity but also helped strengthen the emotional bond between children and their dads, making the celebration truly heartfelt and memorable.

### Shape Day - Circle

**Curious Little Learners in The Montessori Sections Explored The Shape Day:** Circle Through A Variety Of Hands -on And Creative Activities. From Stamping Colorful Circles Using Cardboard Rolls To Tracing Round Objects, Crafting Circle Themed Art And Even Identifying Circular Foods During Snack Time - The Children Experienced The Circle Shape Through Sight, Touch And Play. They Also Traced Round Objects Using Bangles, Drew Adorable Emojis, And Also Using Their Creativity To Make Beautiful Honeybees With Yellow And Black Circles Cutouts.

### International Yoga Day

Our young learners enthusiastically participated in simple yoga stretches and breathing exercises, promoting health, focus and overall, wellbeing. The session helped improve their flexibility, balance, and concentration. The learned basic yoga postures in a fun and engaging way. Breathing exercises helped them feel calm, relaxed and refreshed. It was a joyful experience fostering mindfulness and physical awareness from and early age. A wonderful beginning to building lifelong healthy habits.

### Yellow Day

Our classrooms were filled with joy and excitement as our little ones **celebrated Yellow Day** with cheerful smiles and vibrant energy!



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Dressed in bright yellow outfits, the children participated enthusiastically in various fun-filled activities.

**Mont I learners** engaged in a delightful banana craft activity using paper tearing and pasting. This hands-on activity not only reinforced colour recognition but also helped enhance their fine motor skills.

**Mont II tiny tots** enjoyed a creative honeybee craft activity using finger painting. They had a wonderful time exploring their imagination while improving their motor skills through this adorable project.

**Mont III learners** showcased their creativity by drawing and colouring beautiful flower pots in shades of yellow. This activity nurtured their artistic expression and sharpened their observation skills.

The day was a perfect blend of learning and joy, truly capturing the warmth, brightness, and cheerfulness that the color yellow represents.

## Subject Enrichment Activities

### English - Pre-Writing Activities for the Fine Motor Development - Mont I

Our young learners engaged in a variety of fun and skill building prewriting exercises to develop their fine motor control and early writing skills!

**Sand Tray Letter Formation:** Using fingers and tools, children traced letters in trays filled with salt. This tactile method reinforces letter recognition and muscle memory.



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**Stick Pattern Tracing:** With the help of ice-cream sticks and zig zag lines, children followed patterns which enhanced their focus, visual tracking and pattern recognition.

**Gross Motor Line Walking:** To build balance and spatial awareness, children practiced walking along zig zag lines marked on floor – an important foundation for controlled movements used in writing.

**Tracing Letter on Carboard:** Children practiced letter formation by tracing over thick outlines using markers. This helped strengthen their pencil grip and hand eye coordination.

Through these hands-on activities, our little ones are steadily the strength and control needed for confident writing in future.

### **EVS - Healthy and Unhealthy food - Mont II**

Our curious little children explored the concept of healthy and unhealthy foods through hands-on activity. They enthusiastically identified different food items placed in containers, learning to make better food choices in a fun and interactive way. This engaging session not only helped children understand the importance of good nutrition but also encouraged social interaction and meaningful learning through play.

### **EVS - Nature Around Us - Mont III**

The little learners enthusiastically participated in a hands-on seed planting activity. With curious minds and eager hands, they carefully filled cups with soil, sowed seeds, and watered them with care. This engaging experience not only taught them about the process of plant growth but also nurtured responsibility and love for nature. The smiles and excitement on their faces truly reflected the joy of learning through doing.



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### Igniting Imaginations: Inkspire English Literary Fest Shines

The first-ever INKSPIRE - Igniting Imaginations English Literary Fest was a resounding success at Ryan International School, Dombivli, celebrating the power of language, creativity, and student talent. The event was blessed by esteemed guests Dr. A. F. Pinto, Madam Grace Pinto, and Ryan Pinto sir, and graced by the presence of renowned literary figure, Ms. Swetha Iyer.

The fest showcased the incredible literary prowess of our students, who participated with enthusiasm and passion in various competitions, including debates, storytelling, and more. The event not only enhanced their love for literature but also boosted their confidence, creativity, and public speaking skills.

The INKSPIRE fest was a testament to the school's commitment to nurturing young minds and fostering a love for language and literature. The event was a grand success, thanks to the tireless efforts of the organizing team, teachers, and students.

We are proud of our students' achievements and look forward to more such events that ignite their imaginations and inspire them to reach new heights.



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### Celebrating the Pillars of Our Students' Lives: National Parents Day

Ryan International School, Dombivli, was abuzz with excitement as we celebrated National Parents Day with great enthusiasm and joy. Our esteemed parents were warmly welcomed with flowers and a serene prayer ceremony, setting the tone for a memorable day.

The festivities continued with engaging craft activities in the classrooms, where parents showcased their creative side alongside their children. The energy levels soared as parents participated in thrilling sports activities and energetic Zumba sessions. We are grateful for the support and partnership of our parents, and we look forward to continuing this journey together.

The event was a resounding success, and we would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the parents who made it special. We are proud to have such a wonderful parent community.

### Environment Week - Nature Walk Exploration

Our young explorers went on a guided nature walk around the school campus to observe and appreciate the wonders of nature. They explored plants, flowers and insects while learning about the importance of the ecosystem and how to care for our environment. This hands-on experience sparked curiosity, encouraged observation skills and instilled love and respect for nature in their little hearts



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## Green Day

Tiny tots enjoyed a vibrant Green Day celebration! Dressed in green, they brought vegetables like bottle gourd, bitter gourd, lady finger, cucumber etc to explore the color of nature. They also enjoyed coloring activity using green crayons. The day helped them recognize the color green while boosting their creativity and fine motor skills.



## Shape Day - Triangle

Montessori learners celebrated Shape Day with excitement as they explored the triangle shape through creative and engaging activities across all classes.

**Mont I** - Learners showcased their activity by making triangle shaped trees using colorful cutouts and were excited to bring and show triangle shaped food in their food in their tiffins. A fun and engaging way to learn through shapes.



**Mont II** - Learners explored the triangle shape by drawing different types of triangle based objects like house, flag, fish and icecream. They proudly showcased their creative work while learning through fun.



**Mont III** - Learners created colorful fish using triangle shaped cutouts, exploring the triangle shape through a fun and creative art activity.

## Ryan Sir's Birthday

It was a special day as the learners warmly celebrated Ryan Sir's birthday by coming together and joyfully singing the birthday song. The heartfelt moment was recorded, capturing their love and appreciation for him.



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### Clay moulding and Leaf Sticking Alphabet Activity - Mont I

Our little learners actively participated in an exciting alphabet activity where they moulded letters L, T, E, using clay. This hands-on experience helped enhance their fine motor skills and supported letter formation in a fun and creative way.

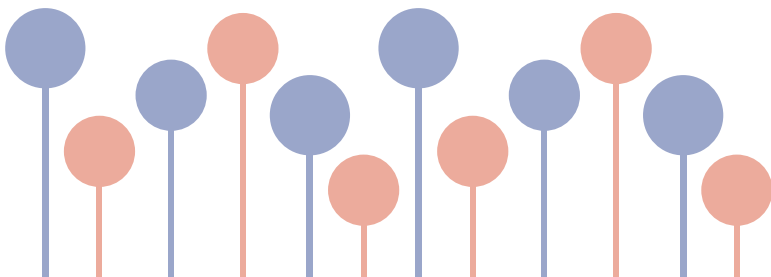
In a follow up activity, the children explored nature by sticking paper leaves on letter L, which was already written on a sheet. This sensory rich experience helped strengthen their letter recognition and made the learning process more engaging and enjoyable.

### Pre-Writing tracing activity - Mont II

Children enthusiastically participated in pre-writing tracing activities using wooden boards. These exercises helped to improve their fine motor skills, hand eye coordination and pencil grip.

### Uses of Water - Mont III

Uses of water were introduced to the students of Mont III to help them to understand how water is an essential element of our daily lives. Through hands-on activities, children learned about various uses of water such as drinking, bathing, washing and watering plants. The activity was conducted to create awareness about the importance and uses of water in a fun and interactive way.





## PARENT'S CORNER

I am a mother of Sutiksh Pravin Sonar, a student from Mont II 'A'.

Initially, I chose this school only because it's near to my home but now I am extremely happy and satisfied with my own decision and experience at Ryan international school as regards my child within a period of just 2 and half months. As a parent of a Junior KG student, I have seen remarkable growth in my child not just academically but emotionally, socially and creatively as well. The School has developed the best academic foundation for little students. My child has now started acquiring social awareness and started engaging with other kids which he was reluctant previously. I have seen speedy development in his handwriting skills, storytelling and singing songs.

I would like to mention that extracurricular activities like art & craft, going out in school ground and celebrating Colors day excites my child most.

I must say that the classrooms are bright, colorful and very well decorated which makes my kid happy. My child likes his Teacher "**Mittal Mam**" a lot, which itself is a token of assurance about the feeling of safety and emotional connection with my child and his class teacher which satisfies me as a mother. However, not only that but also the teacher communicates with parents about activities and homework which is actually helpful.

Overall, I truly appreciate Ryan International school for giving my child such a joyful start to his learning journey. Apart from everything like academics and extracurricular activities, my kid is happily getting ready for school in the early morning.. what more do we want?

**- Ms. Simran Danish Ahmed,**  
**Parents of Sutiksh Pravin Sonar - Mont II 'A'**



## PARENT'S CORNER

### A Journey of Firsts: Sufyan's Blossoming Start at Ryan International School, Dombivli East

April 2025 marked the beginning of a beautiful journey for our son, *Sufyan Danish Ahmed*, as he stepped into the world of formal education for the very first time. Enrolled in *Montessori Grade I 'A'* at *Ryan International School, Dombivli East*, this was a moment of mixed emotions for us as parents — a blend of excitement and nervousness.

What made us especially anxious was that Sufyan had never attended any playgroup or preschool before. This was his very first exposure to a structured school environment, a whole new world altogether. Like any parent, we worried — ***Will he adjust? Will he enjoy his time in school? Will he find comfort in this new space?***

To our pleasant surprise, those concerns soon faded. In just a few days, we began to witness something incredible — a spark of curiosity, confidence, and joy in Sufyan. A major reason behind this transformation has been the exceptional care, support, and encouragement extended by the school's faculty — especially his class teacher, ***Mrs. Mita Dutta***. She has played a pivotal role in helping Sufyan settle in, guiding him with patience, warmth, and love.

Over the past three months, we've noticed a significant shift in Sufyan's personality and behavior. Each day he comes home excited, eager to share what he has learned. Whether it's reciting rhymes, describing classroom activities, narrating stories from the playground, or talking about the creative sessions in art and craft — his enthusiasm is infectious! He particularly enjoys ***theme-based learning, story sessions***, and the ***interactive play-based activities*** conducted regularly. He loves participating in ***music and movement***,



**circle time discussions**, and **fun games** that not only keep him engaged but also help in developing his cognitive and social skills. Activities like **game days**, **colour days**, and **festive celebrations** have made learning enjoyable and memorable for him.

His interest in completing classwork and homework has grown steadily, and every morning, he wakes up excited to go to school — a true testament to the nurturing environment provided by the Ryan family.

We are truly thankful to Ryan International School for laying such a strong and positive foundation in Sufyan's early learning years. And our heartfelt gratitude goes especially to **Mrs. Mita Dutta** for her consistent support, care, and efforts in shaping our child's early school experience with love and sincerity.

With such dedicated educators and a child-centric approach, we are confident that Sufyan will continue to thrive and grow under the guidance of Ryan International School. We look forward to this journey ahead with immense hope and happiness, knowing he is in the right hands.

**- Ms. Simran Danish Ahmed,**  
**Parents of Sufyan Danish Ahmed - Mont I**

## Upcoming Events

- Friendship Day
- Rakshabandhan
- World Elephant Day
- Founder's Day
- Independence Day
- National Sports Day
- Tirangaa

