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Grades I to VI

From the Principal's Desk

July was an enriching month filled with meaningful celebrations, creative competitions, and opportunities for students to develop confidence, leadership, gratitude, and communication skills. Through various activities conducted across Grades I to VI , students explored important themes related to service, leadership, family values, and personal growth.

The month commenced with National Doctor's Day celebrations, where students expressed their appreciation for healthcare professionals through show-and-tell presentations, drawing activities, and creative writing exercises. These activities helped students understand the importance of compassion, dedication, and service towards society.

Students also enthusiastically participated in activities organized to celebrate the birthday of our respected CEO, Dr. A. F. Pinto. Through drawing, storytelling, and choir performances, students reflected upon Ryan International Group's remarkable journey and the vision that has inspired generations of learners. The celebrations encouraged creativity, teamwork, leadership, and a deeper connection with the values of the Ryan family.

National Parent's Day provided another meaningful opportunity for students to express gratitude towards their parents. Through card-making, paragraph writing, speech competitions, and other creative activities, students reflected upon the invaluable role parents play in shaping their character, values, and future aspirations.

The month's activities successfully nurtured confidence, creativity, leadership, gratitude, and communication skills among students while reinforcing the importance of family values and social responsibility. We thank our parents for their continued encouragement and support in fostering the holistic development of our students.

- Ms. Sai Sathyaki,
Principal, RIS Gandi Maisamma





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Quote of the month

"Leadership begins with gratitude, grows through learning, and shines through service."

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Vision of the Month



Writing

The Value of the Month, Determination, encouraged our primary students to understand the importance of perseverance, commitment, and a positive attitude towards challenges. Through engaging chart-based discussions and meaningful real-life examples, students explored how determination helps us continue working towards our goals even when the journey becomes difficult. They discussed examples such as preparing for an examination, learning a new skill, participating in sports, completing a challenging task, improving handwriting, or practising an activity until they become confident. Students understood that success does not always happen immediately and that mistakes and setbacks are valuable opportunities to learn and improve. They reflected on how successful individuals achieve their goals through consistent effort, patience, discipline, and the courage to try again. The discussions helped students recognise the difference between giving up and taking a break before trying again with renewed effort. By connecting the value of determination with situations from their everyday lives, students were encouraged to set realistic goals, remain focused, learn from their mistakes, and believe in their abilities. The activity fostered perseverance, self-confidence, responsibility, and a growth mindset, inspiring students to face challenges with courage and continue striving towards excellence.

Healthy Living

The Vision of the Month, Healthy Living, encouraged our primary students to understand that good health is built through the choices we make every day. Through informative charts, classroom discussions, and relatable real-life examples, students explored different aspects of a healthy lifestyle, including nutritious food, regular physical activity, adequate sleep, personal hygiene, hydration, and maintaining a positive and balanced mindset. They discussed the importance of choosing fresh fruits and vegetables, drinking sufficient water, eating balanced meals, limiting unhealthy food, staying physically active, and following healthy daily routines. Students also learned that personal hygiene practices such as washing hands properly, brushing teeth, keeping themselves clean, and maintaining a clean environment play an important role in preventing illness and keeping the body healthy. Real-life examples helped them understand how simple habits, such as choosing a healthy snack instead of junk food, playing outdoors instead of spending excessive time on screens, and getting enough sleep, can contribute to overall well-being. The discussions also highlighted the importance of emotional well-being, encouraging students to express their feelings, manage stress, spend time with family and friends, and maintain a positive outlook. Through this learning experience, students developed a greater awareness of their responsibility towards their own health and understood that healthy living is not just about avoiding illness but about developing positive habits that support a happy, active, and balanced life.

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Learning Telugu Through Interaction - Grade I

Grade I students explored the Telugu lesson “Aanapa – 2” through an engaging and interactive classroom session. The Telugu teacher explained the lesson in a simple and child-friendly manner, using clear explanations and meaningful examples to help students understand the concepts effectively.

The students listened attentively and actively participated throughout the session. They confidently responded to the teacher’s questions, identified key elements from the lesson, and shared their understanding with enthusiasm. Their active responses reflected their strong comprehension, growing vocabulary, and confidence in using the Telugu language.

The interactive teaching approach made the lesson enjoyable and encouraged students to listen, think, speak, and respond independently. It also helped strengthen their communication skills, language comprehension, and classroom participation.

The session was a wonderful example of how engaging teaching strategies can make language learning meaningful, enjoyable, and memorable for young learners.

Learning Fire Safety Through Practical Demonstration – Grade II

Grade II students participated in an informative and engaging Fire Safety Awareness activity, where teachers introduced them to the different parts of a fire extinguisher through a practical demonstration.



Instead of learning about fire safety only through textbooks, students had the opportunity to observe a real fire extinguisher and understand its components, including the handle, safety pin, pressure gauge, hose/nozzle, and cylinder. The teachers carefully explained the purpose of each part and demonstrated how a fire extinguisher is handled during an emergency.



The practical demonstration helped students connect classroom learning with real-life situations. They listened attentively, observed the equipment closely, and asked questions to understand how fire extinguishers help control small fires.

The activity also emphasized the importance of staying calm, alert, and following safety instructions during emergencies. Through

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this hands-on experience, students developed greater awareness of fire safety and learned that understanding safety equipment can help them respond responsibly in real-life situations.

It was a meaningful learning experience that combined practical knowledge, observation, awareness, and safety education, empowering our young learners to become more responsible and safety-conscious individuals.



Exploring Our School – School Tour - Grade II

Here's a polished, newsletter-friendly version:

Grade II students embarked on an exciting school tour, turning their familiar school surroundings into a wonderful space for exploration and discovery. Accompanied by their teachers, the students walked around the campus and explored different classrooms, learning spaces, the playground, and other important areas of the school.



The tour gave students an opportunity to observe how different spaces around the school are used and helped them become more familiar with their surroundings. They enthusiastically looked around, asked questions, shared their observations, and enjoyed discovering new corners of their school.



Beyond the classroom, this experience encouraged students to observe, explore, interact, and learn from their environment. It also helped them develop a stronger sense of belonging and appreciation for their school community.



With cheerful faces and curious minds, the students enjoyed every moment of the tour, making it a memorable learning-through-exploration experience.

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Empowering Students Through Self-Defence Grade VI



Grade VI students participated in an engaging Self-Defence Training Session conducted by their Taekwondo instructor. The session focused on equipping students with essential self-defence skills while promoting discipline, confidence, awareness, and physical fitness.



The instructor demonstrated basic techniques and guided students through practical movements, allowing them to learn through observation and hands-on practice. Students participated enthusiastically and carefully followed the instructions, practising the techniques with focus and discipline.

The session emphasized the importance of self-awareness, alertness, confidence, and responsible decision-making in challenging situations. Along with physical skills, students learned the value of staying calm, being aware of their surroundings, and seeking help when necessary.



The activity provided students with a meaningful opportunity to develop strength, coordination, concentration, confidence, and resilience, making self-defence not just a physical skill but an important life skill.

Coding Comes Alive – Learning Through Computers



Students participated in an engaging Coding Class, where they explored the fundamentals of coding using computers. The session provided them with an opportunity to learn through practical, hands-on activities rather than simply learning concepts from textbooks.

With the guidance of their teacher, students

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worked on computers, followed instructions, experimented with coding commands, and observed how their inputs created different outcomes on the screen. Their curiosity and enthusiasm made the learning experience interactive and enjoyable.



The activity helped students develop important skills such as logical thinking, problem-solving, concentration, creativity, sequencing, and computational thinking. By learning through practical computer-based activities, students began to understand how coding can be used to give instructions, solve problems, and create meaningful outcomes. The session encouraged students to become confident young learners who are ready to explore, experiment, think critically, and create with technology.



Innovation in Action – Young Minds, Creative Solutions

Our students showcased their innovative thinking and creativity through an exciting hands-on innovation activity. Working with simple materials, electronic components, wires, and craft materials, they transformed their ideas into working models and creative prototypes.



The students explored, experimented, connected components, and tested how their ideas could work in real life. From building a model with moving parts to creating a functional electronic setup, every project reflected their curiosity and willingness to learn through experimentation.



The activity encouraged students to move beyond traditional learning and become young innovators, problem-solvers, designers, and creators. They learned that innovation begins with a simple idea and grows through observation, imagination, teamwork, trial and error, and perseverance. It was inspiring to see our young learners

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confidently take ownership of their creations, troubleshoot challenges, and proudly present their ideas. Such experiences nurture critical thinking, creativity, collaboration, scientific curiosity, and technological skills, preparing students to approach the future with confidence and an innovative mindset.



Making a Splash – Swimming Classes

Swimming classes provided our students with an exciting opportunity to learn an essential life skill while enjoying a fun and refreshing physical activity. Under the careful guidance of trained instructors, students enthusiastically participated in various swimming activities and practised important techniques to build their confidence and comfort in the water.



The sessions focused on introducing students to basic swimming skills, water safety, breathing techniques, body balance, coordination, and controlled movements. Step by step, students learned to overcome their hesitation, follow instructions, and practise different movements with increasing confidence. The instructors encouraged each learner to progress at their own pace while ensuring a safe and supportive learning environment.



Beyond learning how to swim, the classes helped students understand the importance of discipline, focus, perseverance, and physical fitness. Swimming requires students to coordinate their breathing and body movements, listen carefully to instructions, and remain calm and confident in the water. Through regular practice, students developed greater strength, stamina, flexibility, and overall body coordination.



The swimming sessions were also a wonderful opportunity for students to interact with their peers, encourage one another, and celebrate every small achievement. Their enthusiasm

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and determination were truly inspiring as they explored new skills and challenged themselves to improve with every session. Every splash, every stroke, and every step towards confidence made the swimming classes a memorable and enriching experience, empowering students to become stronger, safer, healthier, and more confident individuals.



Spreading Care Through Compassion – Hygiene Products Donation Drive

The Student Council of Ryan International School, Gandimaisamma, took a meaningful step towards community welfare by organizing a Hygiene Products Donation Drive at Premanjali Orphanage on 20th July 2026. The initiative was thoughtfully planned to promote health, personal hygiene, menstrual awareness, and dignity among the children.



As part of the drive, students came together to collect and donate essential sanitary hygiene products, demonstrating their concern for the well-being of others. The initiative provided students with an opportunity to understand that even a small contribution can make a meaningful difference in someone's life.



The visit to Premanjali Orphanage was more than just a donation activity; it was a lesson in empathy, kindness, compassion, and social responsibility. The Student Council members actively participated in the initiative and demonstrated the values of caring for others and contributing positively to society.

The drive also encouraged conversations around the importance of maintaining personal hygiene and creating awareness about menstrual health. By taking the initiative beyond the classroom, our students experienced the true meaning of responsible citizenship and community service.

Through this thoughtful endeavour, the Student Council reaffirmed that education is not limited to academics—it also inspires young minds to care, share, serve, and create a positive impact in the community.

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Awards & Recognition – Celebrating Our Chess Champions

Our young chess enthusiasts proudly represented Ryan International School, Gandimaisamma, at an Interschool Chess Competition held at Sadhvi Vaswani International School. The event brought together talented young players from different schools, providing our students with a wonderful platform to demonstrate their strategic thinking, concentration, patience, and competitive spirit.

Our students participated enthusiastically in the championship and displayed remarkable focus, confidence, sportsmanship, and determination throughout the competition. Every game provided them with an opportunity to think critically, analyse different moves, make strategic decisions, and learn from the experience.

The participation was further celebrated with recognition awards and certificates of participation, honouring the students for their enthusiastic involvement and commendable representation of the school. These certificates and recognitions serve as a reminder of their dedication and encourage them to continue developing their skills.

Beyond the competition, the experience taught students valuable lessons about perseverance, patience, decision-making, resilience, and graceful acceptance of both victory and defeat. Their participation reflects our commitment to providing students with opportunities to explore their talents beyond academics.

We proudly celebrate our young chess players for their enthusiasm and dedication, and we look forward to seeing them achieve greater milestones on the chessboard and beyond!









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Fire Drill Mock Drill: Building Safety Awareness





Ryan International School, Gandimaisamma, conducted a Fire Drill Mock Drill to create awareness among students about fire safety and the importance of responding calmly during an emergency. As soon as the fire alarm was sounded, students immediately followed the safety instructions and moved out of their classrooms in an orderly manner under the guidance and supervision of their teachers.

The mock drill provided students with a practical understanding of how to respond during an emergency situation. They learnt the importance of listening carefully to the alarm, staying calm, avoiding panic, and following the designated evacuation procedures. Students from all classes participated actively and moved towards the safe assembly area in a disciplined manner.



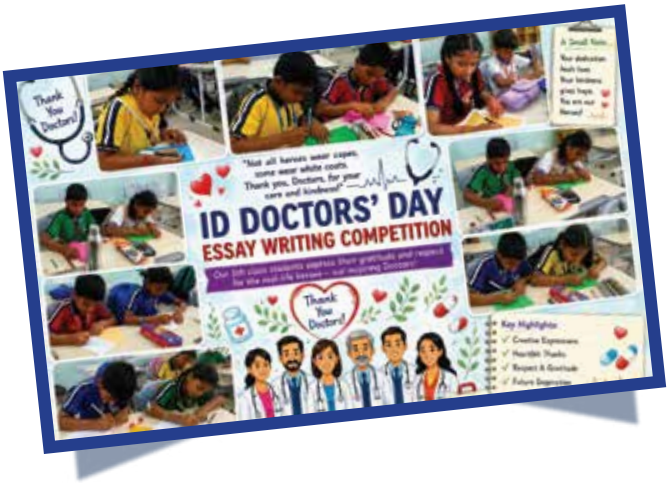
The activity served as an important safety-learning experience, helping children understand that awareness, preparedness, and quick yet calm action can make a significant difference during emergencies. Through this mock drill, the school reinforced its commitment to ensuring a safe and secure learning environment for every child while equipping students with essential life-saving awareness.

National Doctor's Day Celebration



National Doctor's Day was celebrated through a variety of engaging activities designed to help students appreciate the dedication and service of healthcare professionals. Students of Grade I & II participated in a Show and Tell Competition titled "Who is a Doctor?", where they confidently spoke about the role doctors play in caring for individuals and communities.

Activities



Students from Grade III & IV showcased their creativity through a fun drawing activity, creating colourful illustrations of doctors and healthcare settings. Through art, they expressed their understanding of the medical profession and the importance of helping others.

The celebration encouraged students to recognize the contributions of doctors and healthcare workers while developing communication, creativity, and appreciation for community service. The activities served as a meaningful reminder of the vital role doctors play in society.



Birthday Celebration of Ryan Pinto sir

Students enthusiastically celebrated the birthday of our respected Ryan Pinto sir, through a series of creative and collaborative activities. Grade I & II participated in a drawing and colouring activity titled "Happy Birthday Ryan Sir," expressing their admiration through colourful artwork and creative designs.

Students from Grade III & IV participated in a Storytelling Competition on the theme "Ryan – A School That Changed My Life." Through their narratives, students shared experiences and reflections about learning, friendship, and personal growth within the Ryan family.

The celebration also highlighted the values of leadership, inspiration, and excellence that have guided Ryan International Group for the past fifty years. Through these meaningful activities, students gained a deeper appreciation for the vision and legacy of Ryan Schools.

Students Speak





Zyan - Grade VI

Good morning, everyone. I am Zyan, from Ryan International School, Gandimaisamma. I like my school because the teachers are so kind, and the students are very helpful. And I like sports because we have a lot of space, a lot of equipment, and we have a lot of enjoyment. And the studies are so fun to learn. If we find a subject hard, we can ask the subject teacher, and they'll explain to us in a helpful manner. Thank you.







I am Lalitha, the Librarian at Ryan International School, Gandimaisamma. Being a part of the Ryan family has been a wonderful and enriching experience for me. I enjoy creating a welcoming environment where students can discover the joy of reading, explore new ideas, and develop a lifelong love for books and learning. In addition to my role as Librarian, I also handle HSCP, which allows me to contribute further to students' holistic development and well-being.

As a librarian, I believe that every book opens a new world of knowledge, imagination, and creativity. I feel happy when I see students eagerly exploring the library, choosing books, sharing their thoughts, and learning something new. Working with students and supporting their learning journey inspires me to keep learning and growing as an educator every day.

I am grateful to Ryan International School for providing me with opportunities to learn, contribute, and grow professionally. It is truly fulfilling to be part of a school community that encourages curiosity, knowledge, creativity, and the overall development of every child.

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- Ms. Lalitha,
Librarian





PARENT'S CORNER

We appreciate the quality education and all strong values given by Ryan International School.

Thank you for shaping our child's bright future. Congratulations on 50 wonderful years!



- Ms. Chithari Swetha,
Parent of Aashray - Grade I



