

JUNE 2025

My dear Students, Parents & Well-wishers,

First & foremost, *Hearty Congratulations* to the School Toppers in the Board Examinations, to all the achievers in various fields and their proud parents!

The New Academic Year has begun! Everything is new around you in School – new classrooms, new class teachers, new books, new uniform, new plans for the future and NEW LEADERS – the School Head Boy to the Class Leader of LKG. True leadership isn't just about giving orders but about leading by values of integrity, commitment, teamwork and responsibility. Remember, 'Leadership' is a journey of self-discovery and continuous growth. By developing these qualities and actively seeking opportunities to lead, you can make a positive impact on your school and the people around you. Anyone can unlock their leadership potential by following these values.

Secondly, Discipline is the key to Success! Small disciplines repeated with consistency every day leads to great achievements. Work hard with perseverance and dedication. Be grateful to your teachers and parents for their unconditional love and support rendered at all time.

Do your Best and Be the Best!

GOD BLESS!



A. Senthil Ramesh
Secretary & Correspondent



FRESHERS' ORIENTATION

The FRESHERS' ORIENTATION was held on 14th June, 2025. The day was made special by the presence of the President Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh and the Associate Secretary Shri. C. Lazer Jeyaprakash. The orientation was officially inaugurated by them. The President in the Presidential Address highlighted the role of each staff in the S.B.I.D.A. Educational Trust Schools. Shri. Lazer Jeyaprakash, in the Special Address, enlightened the newly appointed staff about the Trust and its achievement in the field of education since 1979.



The whole day was filled with sessions of empowerment and information. The first session of the day was taken by Smt. P. Rajeswari Menon, Former Administrator & veteran of the S.B.I.D.A. Educational Trust. The topic she dealt with was '*Goal Setting & Professional Development*'. She asked the teacher to follow the **SMART** principles in their profession:

Specific; Measurable; Attainable; Realistic; Time Management

In order to maintain balance between home and profession, she suggested the rule of 'Bin it & Bag it'. She highlighted numerous incidents and quoted examples to encourage the participants to be responsible members of the S.B.I.D.A. Educational Trust.





The next session was handled efficiently by Shri. D. Ravikumar, Administrator, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. The topic given to him was *'Let's Know about the Management and the Management's Expectations from the Staff'*. He gave a detailed picture of the Prime Members of the Management; the Correspondents & Principals of the Schools runs by the Trust and the expectation by the Management from the staff.

The third session for the day was *'Rules & Regulations of the S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust'*. As a senior staff of this Trust, this session was carefully & effectively handled by Shri. V.V. Anand, Administrator, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. He explained in detail about the pay scale, CL, EL, ML, late coming, permission and the advantages of being one of the members of the Trust Schools. A lot of queries were clearly clarified and the audience were satisfied with the input received from the Administrator.



Smt. P. Gomathi, Assistant Headmistress, S.B.O.A. School & Junior College, Chennai, handled the session on *'Role of Technology in the 21st Century Education'*. She updated the staff on the latest applications and tools available in ready-to-use format to make the lessons more interesting and understandable. As the classrooms are equipped for technology-based teaching, she insisted that the teachers use it to the fullest. She showed them sites related to all the major subjects – English, Tamil, Maths, Science & Social Science.

As teachers, one has to know the techniques of teaching and preparing the lesson plan. So, we had invited the most experienced person in the field of teaching and administration Dr. (Smt.) Indra Jayaraj, Former Vice Principal, SHARPEN Academy, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust to take the session on *'Teaching Methodologies and Lesson Plan Writing'*. First, she briefed them about the different teaching methodologies and then went of to teaching them how to write the lesson plan. The teachers were given printed sheets from the lesson plan. They were grouped subject-wise. With her guidance and the textbooks provided, the teachers were taught the S.B.O.A. way of writing the lesson plan. The participants started writing the lesson plan step-by-step, following Dr. Indra's instructions. By the end of the session, the teachers were able to give a complete lesson plan related to their subject.

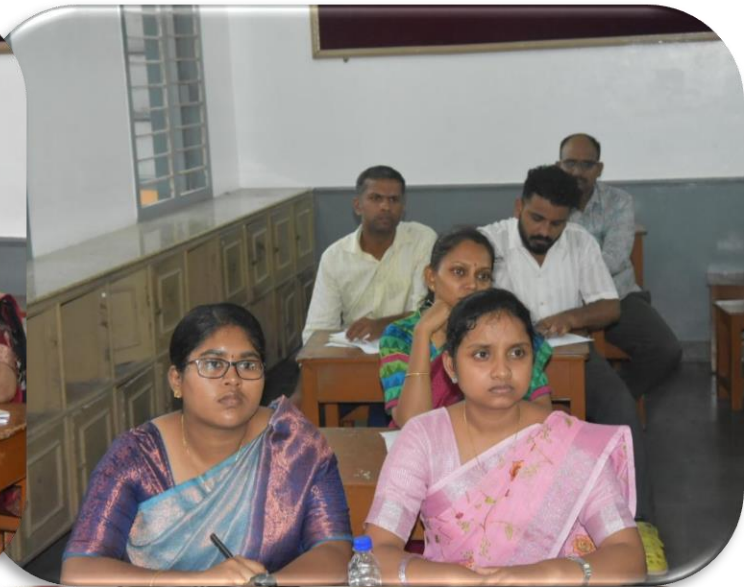


LESSON Planning



Simultaneously, the clerical staff, the librarians and the nurses attended a session taken by Shri. B.M. Sasi, Manager, S.B.I.D.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. They were briefed about the usage of Tally, registers, channels, payment, dashboard reports, library management through Neverskip etc. The nurses were asked to keep in the registers to be maintained by them as instructed by the Schools.

On the whole, it was a day filled with great learning experience, packed with vital information for the eighty-seven recruits who attend the session from 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.



WORKSHOP – OFFICE STAFF

A one-day workshop for the Office Staff of our S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust & Schools was conducted on 3rd May, 2025, on TDS, GST, TALLY & ERP. The day was made more special and meaningful by the encouraging words of our President Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust & our Secretary & Correspondent Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. Their presence made the audience feel that they were important and valued. The office staff put forth their request to have such sessions twice every year. The Management also showed their trust and care by gifting each one of them a travel bag and sweets. It was a day filled with great learning, understanding and knowledge transfer.





Mr. Kaja Hussain L.



Mr. V.K. Dinesh Kirubhakaran



Mrs. Gayatri Manoj



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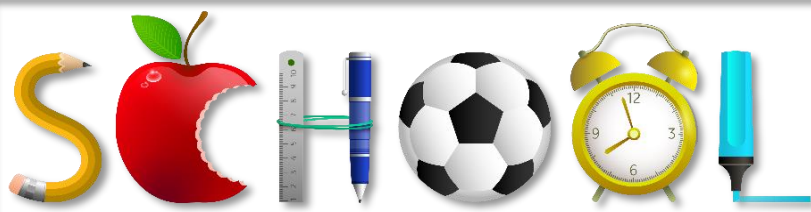
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COIMBATORE

(06.06.2025)

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ONLY CHILDREN
BELIEVE THEY'RE CAPABLE
OF EVERYTHING.

- PAULO COELHO -



EVENTS

S.B.I.O.A. PUBLIC SCHOOL, COIMBATORE



Orientation programme for the parents of the kindergarten was held on 5th June, 2025. Mr. K.K Ganesh, Principal, addressed the gathering and Mrs. G. Santhiya Bai, AHM, shared detailed instructions with the parents.

ORIENTATION

Parents' orientation programme for Grade 1 to 5 was conducted on 21st June, 2025. Mr. K.K Ganesh, Principal, addressed the gathering. Mrs. A. Mahalakshmi, AHM, shared detailed instructions that were to be followed to make the academic year a successful one.



Parents' orientation for Classes 6 to 12 was conducted. Principal Mr. K.K. Ganesh addressed the gathering and a representative from ExtraMarks provided a clear explanation of the IIT/NEET Integrated Programme.

Extramarks

Education Made Easy & Effective



Student Council Election was held in the Multipurpose Hall on 17th & 19th July, 2025. The new School Leaders and the Captains were elected in a democratic way. The Correspondent, the Principal & the teachers along with the students casted their votes.



World Environment Day was observed on 5th June, 2025. The Principal, the Compartment Heads, the Staff and the Students planted saplings in the School campus. In connection with this, various competitions were conducted for classes 5 to 8 – Grade 5 – Drawing 'Our Earth, Our Responsibility'; Grade 6 – Eco Quiz – Environmental Awareness & Eco Facts; Grade 7 – Wealth from Waste – 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) and Grade 8 – Poster Making Competition – Our Earth, Our Responsibility.



International Yoga Day was observed on 21st June, 2025, with enthusiasm, in the School campus. Grade 6 students demonstrated different asanas with elegance, guiding the audience into a state of peace.



Yoga is the art work of awareness on the canvas of body, mind and soul.

A parent orientation programme for Grades 1 to 5 was held in the Multipurpose Hall on 21st June, 2025. The Principal Mr. K.K. Ganesh addressed the attendees and the Compartment Head Mrs. A. Mahalakshmi provided detailed instructions.



World Music Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm, providing a vibrant platform for students to showcase their musical talents and express their creativity.



The Kindergarten Department celebrated **Red Day** on 27th June, 2025. with active student participation. Classrooms were vibrantly decorated, engaging activities were conducted and students received special takeaways.



Kindergarten Sensory Booth Activity:

A Kindergarten Sensory Booth Activity was held in the lobby, where teachers educated children about taste by sharing fruits and veggies with different tastes.



DHANASHREE G.P., a student from Class 9, proudly participated in the ALL INDIA NCC GIRLS TREKKING EXPEDITION-2025. This significant trekking camp, held from May 4th to May 11th, 2025, brought together approximately 500 cadets from various states across India.



THE BEST VIEW COMES AFTER THE HARDEST CLIMB

—Unknown



School's Army Wing cadets, comprising 13 Junior Division (JD) and 4 Junior Wing (JW) members, totalling 17 cadets, attended the Annual Training Camp at Nava Bharath National School, Annur, Coimbatore. The camp ran from May 29th to June 7th, 2025.

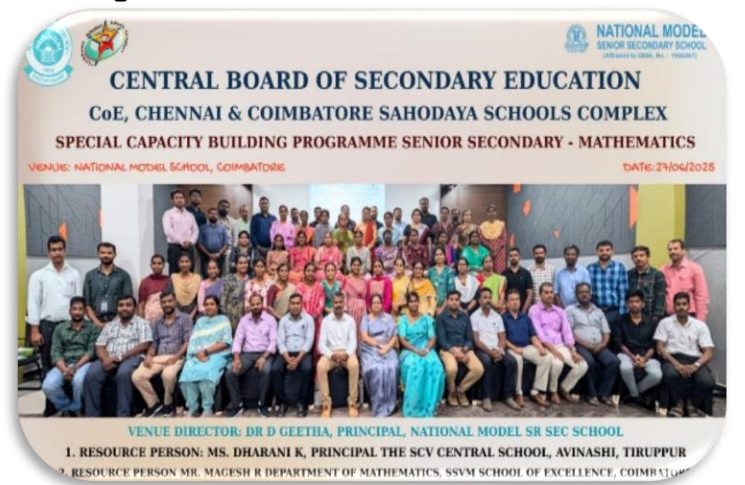


Burlington Grammar – Orientation

Orientation was conducted for the teachers handling English from Grade 6 to 8 on 21st June, 2025. The Burlington representative briefed them about Burlington Grammar: An Eclectic Approach' and its unique features. The online support features were also shown.



A Special capacity building programme for Senior Secondary Mathematics was conducted by CBSE CoE, Chennai & Coimbatore Sahodaya Schools Complex on 27th June, 2025. It was hosted by National Model Sr. Sec. School, Coimbatore. Mrs. V. Padmaja, Dept of Mathematics, attended the meeting.



The Staff Association organized a teachers' throwball match, on 20.06.2025, on campus to promote a healthy and fit lifestyle, offering staff a platform to relax and rejuvenate through sporting activities.



The enrolment for the School's Army Wing 1st year cadets was successfully completed on 24.06.2025.



S.B.O.A. PUBLIC (SR. SEC.) SCHOOL, ERN

UKG students welcomed the freshers and presented a beautiful welcome dance on 9th June, 2025.



SBOA Public Sr. Sec. School, Ernakulam, celebrated 'World Environment Day' on June 5th, 2025, with great enthusiasm. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of protecting our environment. Dr M.K. Sajeevan, Fisheries Resource Management (FRM), Head of the Department CMFRI, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and addressed the gathering with an inspiring message. He encouraged the students to adopt sustainable practices in daily life. A sapling plantation drive was conducted, where parents and students planted trees together in the school campus. An oath for a safer and greener environment was taken by all participants. The programme fostered a sense of responsibility and commitment towards nature. The School continues to promote eco-conscious values through such meaningful initiatives.





SBOA came alive with melody, rhythm and joy as the 'World Music Day' was celebrated with soulful performances, vibrant tunes and endless passion on 21st June, 2025. From budding singers to magical instruments, the stage echoed with talent and harmony!



Reading Day

June 21st was a day filled with stories, smiles and sparks of imagination! Various fun-filled competitions like poster making, quizzes, character Fiesta etc., were held to ignite the love for reading among the young learners. Every little reader was a star that day, turning pages and winning hearts!



Say No to Drugs, Say Yes to Life!

On 26th June, 2025, 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking', the students performed a powerful mime at Chittoor, raising awareness about the dangers of drug abuse and inspiring the community to choose a healthier path. Back at school, students expressed their thoughts by writing messages on sticky notes and posting them on our Anti-Drug Pledge Wall – a vibrant display of voices united for a drug-free future.

Together, we stand strong.



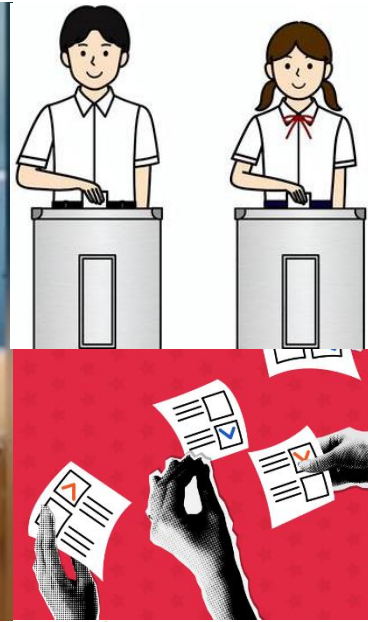
21st June, 2025 – International Yoga Day



Leadership in the Making!

S.B.O.A. believes in nurturing future leaders from the very beginning! The young changemakers stepped up with confidence during the Students' Cabinet Elections, casting their votes and embracing the spirit of democracy on 30th June, 2025. The Investiture Ceremony is a proud moment as the newly elected student leaders take their oaths, ready to lead with dedication, responsibility and integrity.





S.B.O.A. SCHOOL (CBSE), MADURAI

World Environment Day was observed on June 5th, 2025, to raise awareness about the importance of protecting our environment. Shri. S. Kaanthan, Forest Range Officer, Madurai Division, the Chief Guest, in his address, appreciated the involvement of students in protecting the environment and planted saplings in the campus to mark the occasion. A Cycle Rally of Grade V students to Melakuilkudi and Karadipatti created environmental awareness among the public. A speech was delivered by Mrs. S. Sornamuki & Mrs. S. Karthikai Priya, Department of Tamil, in the adopted schools at Melakuilkudi in connection with World Environment Day.





'Give blood, Give hope: together we save lives.' - On account of World Blood Donor Day, blood donation camp was arranged on 17th June, 2025. Shri. G. Ganapathy, Correspondent of SBOA School (CBSE), Madurai, inaugurated the camp and donated blood to mark the significance of the camp. Nearly 18 of the school staff and parents donated blood.



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The 11th International Yoga Day was observed on 21st June, 2025. The Chief Guest, Yoga Kalaimamani Mr. K. Ramesh Kumar, Research Faculty, the Madura College Yoga Centre, demonstrated a series of Yogasanas and taught a few breathing exercises to the students of class VI to VIII.



DO YOGA



Headstand



Shoulderstand



Plough



Fish



Sitting Forward
bend



Cobra



Locust



Bow



Spinal twist



Peacock



Standing forward
bend



Triangle

Investiture Ceremony was held on 24th June, 2025. Shri. G. Ganapathy, Correspondent of S.B.O.A School, Madurai, presided over the function and honoured the School Parliament leaders with the badges.



ECA inauguration was held on 27th June, 2025. Smt. L. Latha Thiraviam, Principal, highlighted the importance of extracurricular activities in the students' life and motivated the students to enroll themselves in different clubs and develop their talents.



Retirement function of Mrs. K. Poovayar Anikalam, Department of Tamil, was held on 25th June, 2025. The Correspondent, Principal and staff members felicitated the retiree.



Burlington Grammar – Orientation

Teachers handling English for classes VI to VIII attended the online Burlington English Orientation conducted on 21st June, 2025.



A workshop was conducted for the Staff members on 'Empowering Educators' by the resource person Mr. Prathap Sethu, Consultant, Win Win Consultancy on 2nd June, 2025.



S.B.O.A. MAT. & HR. SEC. SCHOOL, COIMBATORE

Miss. Anusha, Department of English, conducted a demo class on 'Preposition' for the teachers handling classes 1-8.



Mrs. Hari Priya, Department of Mathematics, took a demo class on 'Predecessor, Successor and in between numbers' for the teachers handling classes 1-8.

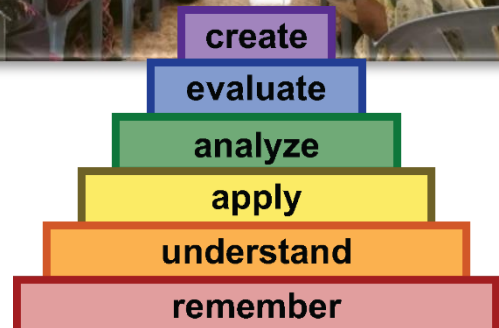
Parents orientation was conducted for the Classes 10 & 12 on 4th June, 2025 and for the Classes VII, VIII and IX on 5th June, 2025. Faculty members from Vedanta Academy briefed about foundation courses. The importance to start the foundation courses from the lower classes was highlighted with the PPT presentation.



Mrs. Manjula, Cultural Secretary attended an orientation workshop on 'UYIR Kutty Cops Road Safety' curriculum at Corporation Kalai Arangam, Coimbatore, on 12th June, 2025.

As a part of the event, Honourable Minister for School Education Thiru. Anbil Mahesh Poyyamozhi, released two specially designed work books developed by 'UYIR' for Classes IV and V and Classes VII and VIII.

Smt. Sabural Banu Ibrahim, Principal, conducted a session on the tips for writing lesson plan based on Bloom's Taxonomy.



5 JUNE

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



Colouring activity was conducted for the Classes I to V on 4th June, 2025, account of 'World Environment Day'. The following topics were given: Classes I and II:

- A day in the garden
- Clean and green city
- Go green; breath clean (or)
- Water is life - save every drop.



'World Environment Day' was observed on 5th June, 2025, to create an awareness on keeping our earth clean. Class V conducted the assembly and Smt. Sabural Banu Ibrahim, Principal shared the importance of Environment. Seed pencils were distributed to students of Classes I to V.



World Environmental Day was observed on 6th June, 2025 too, to raise awareness among the students about plastic pollution and its harmful effects. Drawing competition was conducted for Classes VI to VIII. A special assembly was conducted for the students of Classes VI to XII. Shri M. Murugesan, Correspondent, presided over the programme and welcomed the guest of the day Dr. Sahitya Selvaraj, Nature Educator. She delivered a speech on the theme, 'Avoiding plastic pollution' and shared practical

methods to reduce plastic use in daily life. The Chief Guest, the Correspondent and the Principal launched a new initiative thereby scanning a QR code place on the tree provides detail information about the tree. This eco-friendly method aims to enhance students' awareness and knowledge about various precious plants and trees. As a part of promoting sustainable practices the chief guest suggested to organize a monthly thrifting fest to encourage mindful conception and environmental responsibility among students.



Vocational classes began for the academic year 2025 -26 – Mehandhi designing, Folk Dance, Classical Dance, Embroidery and Painting – on 18th June, 2025.



Students of Classes VI to XII voted for the SPL nominees with great enthusiasm on 20th June, 2025. The results for SPL, House Captains and Vice-Captains were announced by the Principal for the academic year 2025-26 on 21st July, 2025.



Students of Classes IX, X and XII actively participated in the SBI Scholar Quiz organised by SBI in association with 'The Times of India' in Chennai, on 20th July, 2025. The quiz focused on topics related to finance and economy encouraging the students to enhance their awareness of financial literacy.

Father's Day and World Bicycle Day was celebrated in the School premises for kindergarten parents. The kids' fathers rode the bicycle with their kids with them.



Sharpen Academy organised a workshop on using Collins grammar book. The resource person Ms. Safa Abdul Razak, a renowned English Educator and author, guided on the methods to integrate the Collins grammar into classroom teaching.

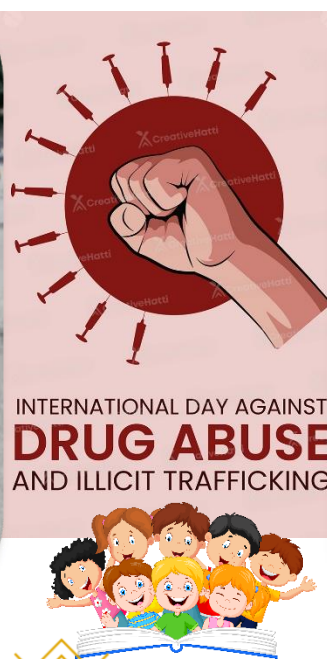




International Yoga Day was observed on 21st June, 2025. Shri M Murugesan, Correspondent, SBOA Schools and Smt. Sabural Banu Ibrahim, Principal, graced the occasion. Students of Classes VI and VII along with NCC cadets performed various yoga asanas. Ms. Aram Ashok, Alumna, was the Chief Guest. She highlighted how yoga helps to manage stress and maintain focus in career. She insisted the benefits of practicing yoga asanas.



The Junior Red Cross (JRC) students participated in awareness rally on Anti-Drug Abuse on 26th June, 2025, the day observed as 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking'. The rally aimed to spread awareness about the harmful effects of drug use and promote a drug free society. The students carried placards with slogans and raised slogans to educate the public on the importance of saying 'No to Drugs'. On 27th June, 2025, Kutty Cops of the School took part in poster making competition on the theme 'Say No to Drugs'. The event aimed to raise an awareness about the dangers of drug abuse through creative expressions.



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**Education
is the art of
making man
ethical.**
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- Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel -

“Formal
education
will make you
a living; self-
education
will make you
a **fortune.**”

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is, is more
important than
what he teaches

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of education
is
encouragement."
"*

Anatole France

S.B.O.A. GLOBAL SCHOOL, CHENNAI

'International Yoga Day' was observed on 21st June 2025. Students of classes VI & VII demonstrated yoga mudras and Surya namaskar led by a parent. Students performed the yogas in a perfect blend and coordination in accordance to the instructions with much enthusiasm after which the students were addressed by the Correspondent Shri. J. Ravi Kumar.



BURLINGTON Workshop was attended by Mrs. Linda Premkumar at Kamaraj Hall on 21st June, 2025. Mrs. Durga, Product Manager, Burlington Publishers, was the resource person who briefed the participants on the topic 'Grammar through Experiential Learning'.



The Bharat Scouts and Guides, Tamil Nadu, organized a week-long training camp for Cubs and Bulbuls Trainers at Tonakela Camp, Avadi, from June 20th to 26th, 2025. The camp aimed at enhancing the skills and knowledge of leaders involved in guiding young Scouts and Guides in their respective programs. Mrs. K. Uma Maheswari, Department of Maths, underwent a training in Advance Cub Course. Mrs. Gajalakshmi, Department of Tamil, underwent a training in Basic Bulbuls Course.

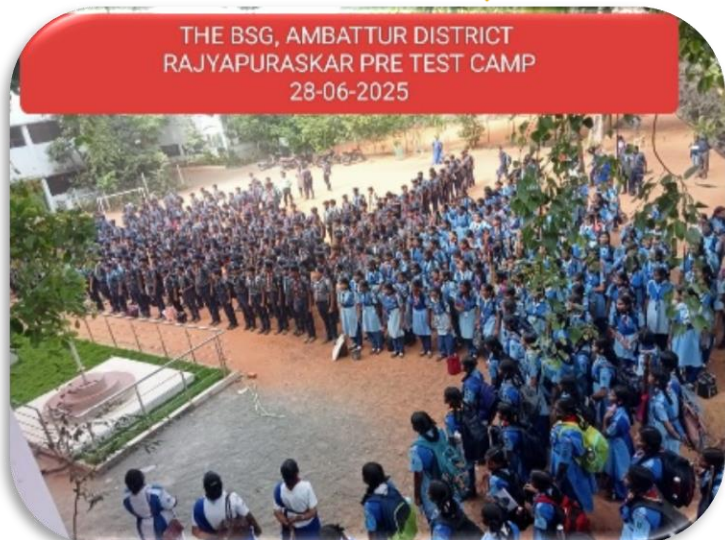
Throughout the week, a variety of activities took place, including: Workshops, Hands-on training that included games, songs and crafts, enabling participants to engage with teaching methods that can be directly applied in their units, Group Discussions and Outdoor Activities.

CUB-BULBUL

ULIPSU SKILL & COMPETENCY BASED PROGRAM was conducted for students and parents as an orientation, from 19th to 21st June 2025. This programme is specially designed to focus on developing practical skills like communication, teamwork, problem-solving, creativity, critical thinking and digital literacy. Special training was also given to the Teacher in charge.



Pranvitha (VII) won the 5th Place in the Art competition conducted by Decathlon Sports Club on 22nd June 2025. She received a Trophy and a certificate.



17 scout boys and 8 Guide girls participated in the Rajyapurashkar Pre-Test Camp on 28th June 2025 and came out with flying colours.

SCOUTS AND GUIDES

S.B.O.A. SCHOOL & JUNIOR COLLEGE, CHENNAI

Kavyashree K. (12-I) won a prize in the painting competition organized by the Tamil Nadu Government on 24.03.2025 for Women's Day. She received a certificate and medal in recognition of her artistic talent and achievement from the Honourable Ministers, Mr. M.P. Swaminathan and Mr. Thangam Thennarasu at the award ceremony held on at Mutthamizh Peravai Arangam, Adyar.

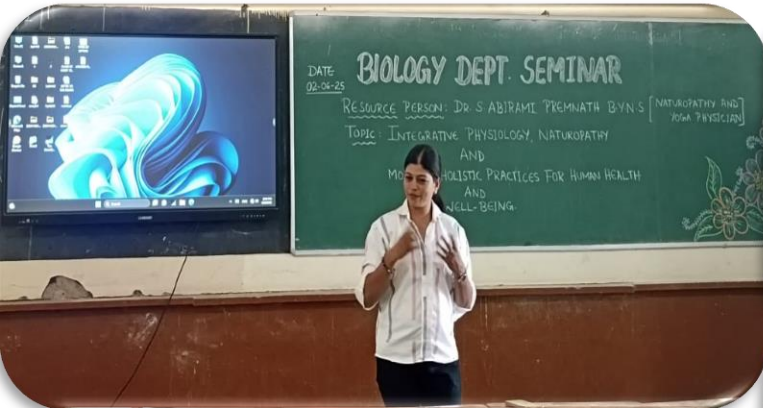


The Academic Year 2025 – 2026 commenced with the best wishes from Dr. P. Nithish Andreyya Raja Singh, President, S.B.I.O.A. Educational Trust, Chennai. The staff meeting, held on 02.06.2025, served as a pivotal gathering to set the tone and agenda for the forthcoming educational journey. Attended by faculty and administrative staff members, the meeting aimed to align priorities, foster collaboration and ensure a smooth transition into the new academic term. Dr. Usha Mahadevan (Professor, Writer & Translator) the Resource person, led a brief discussion on the topic 'Enhancing Teacher – Parent Communication: Managing Student Behaviour Effectively'.



WORKSHOP

Department Seminars were organised on 02.06.2025, for all the department staff to adapt and expand their subject knowledge to influence the future.



GK Club Students of STD XI & XII participated in SBI Scholars Quiz 2025 organised by SBI & The Times of India. Around 153 teams participated in the competition and one of the JC team got selected for top 6 in the Final round. The team comprising Harish Nachiappan S. (XII-K) & Joel Astin (XII-K) were placed 4th in the Finals. They received the certificate of appreciation.





S. P. Ranvitha (6-G) won the 1st Prize and 2nd Runner-Up in the Inter-School Dance Competition organized by D2 Dance Studio.

Aryan participated in RSMUN 2025, held on 31st May & 1st June 2025, and won High Commendation I in IPP.



At the INTRA MUN, held at S.B.O.A. School & Junior College, the following students received accolades for their outstanding participation:

International Press Journalism:

- Best Reporter: Sanjay Leandro
- High Commendation: Aditishree Saravanan
- IPP - Photographers
- Best Photojournalist – Ranjith Suganthi
- High Commendation – Mikayla Ester Israel

UNCSW

- Best Delegate- Neha Varghese
- High commendation 1 – Adriel Isaiah
- High Commendation 2 – Yashitha

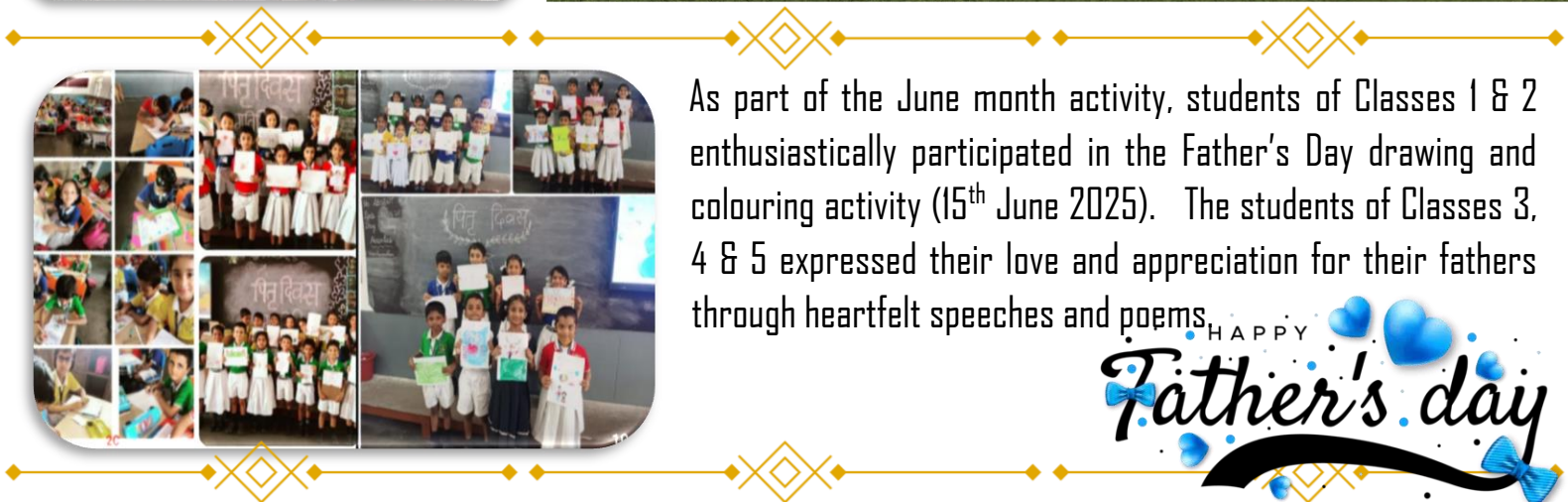
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- Best Delegate- Pranav Dinesh Kumar
- High commendation 1 – Nabron R. Nethaji
- High commendation 2 – Aadhav Hari Krishnan



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- António Guterres (9th Secretary-General of the United Nations)

World Environment Day was observed on 5th June, 2025, with a special assembly commemorating the 1972 Stockholm Conference. Highlights included a speech on 'Say No to Plastics', a song on 'Nurturing Nature', a pledge and sapling plantation by Mrs. Sharadha Ramamurthy (Principal) and Mrs. P. B. Indira (Headmistress).



As part of the June month activity, students of Classes 1 & 2 enthusiastically participated in the Father's Day drawing and colouring activity (15th June 2025). The students of Classes 3, 4 & 5 expressed their love and appreciation for their fathers through heartfelt speeches and poems.

To mark the National Reading Day – 19.06.2025, the Department of English organized a range of engaging activities for students from Standard I to IX. The celebration included special assemblies, a skit titled 'The Magic of Reading', storytelling, poster displays and dedicated classroom reading sessions. The event emphasized the importance of developing reading habits and inspired students to discover the joy found in books. It was a memorable and enriching experience that rekindled a love for reading in every child's heart.



Celebrating the NATIONAL READING DAY

A Tribute to the Legacy of **P.N. Panicker**



At KALPAKOSHA, an Inter School Cultural Competition, held on 19.6.2025 and 20.6.2025 at Shri Siva Swami Kalalaya Senior Secondary School, the students of SBOA JC secured the highest number of wins in all the categories.

ADAPTUNE – 1st Place

STUN NEWS – 2nd Place

LIGHT MUSIC-Singing – 3rd Place

DESIGNING – 1st Place

BLOCK & TACKLE – 2nd Place

HACKATHON – 1st Place

GROUP DANCE – 2nd Place

FASHION PARADE – 2nd Place

SHIPWRECK – 3rd Place

IPL AUCTION – 1st Place

CHANNEL SURFING – 2nd Place





Congrats!

In the Inter-School Cultural Competition - KALANJALI'25, held on 20th & 21st of June 2025 at Bala Vidhya Mandir, Adyar, the students bagged the following prizes:

JAM - 3rd Place;
IPL AUCTION - 3rd Place;
GROUP DANCE - 2nd Place;
GROUP MUSIC - 2nd Place





Mrs. V. Kousalya, Department of Computer Science, Mr. Sarveswaran, Department of Tamil and Mrs. C. Soni, Department of Tamil, attended the Advanced Scout Master Training and Basic Scout Master Training from 20.6.2025 to 26.6.2025 at Tonekala Camp Site.



Best wishes

yoga

On 20.6.25, International Yoga Day was celebrated by Kindergarten kids emphasizing the role of yoga in promoting physical and mental well-being. The event helped children understand the significance of incorporating yoga into their daily lives.



On 21st June 2025 and students of Class VIII participated enthusiastically highlighting the benefits of physical and mental wellbeing on the theme 'Yoga for One Earth and One Health'.



Burlington English Training Programme was conducted on 21st June 2025, for the teachers handling English in Junior College, Model School & Global School from Classes VI to VIII organised by SHARPEN Academy, S.B.I.D.A. Educational Trust. Mrs. Deepa, the resource person, delivered a session on 'Grammar Today'.



Investiture Ceremony 2025-2026

The solemn ceremony of the investiture was held on 23.06.2025. The Secretary and Correspondent, Shri. A. Senthil Ramesh, honoured the Students Council by pinning the badges. Shri. Gurunathan K., Correspondent, S.B.I.D.A. Sr. Sec. School, Trichy, graced the occasion with his valuable presence. The solemn ceremony was inducted and the Student Council members took charge for the Academic Year 2025-26.



A Career Guidance programme was organized on 25th June 2025, at Sitaram Hall, for the students of Classes X and XII. The session was initiated by Mr. Ramesh and led by Shri Ashwin Ramasamy, who served as the Resource Person. The session covered various aspects of career opportunities and guidance.



26th June is observed as International Day of Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, annually. In connection with this, speech on 'DRUG ABUSE AWARENESS' was delivered, pledge was taken by the students and a Skit on 'SAY NO TO DRUGS' was performed.





25 Guides and 11 Scouts accompanied by Guide Captains and Lady Scout Master attended Rajyapuraskar Pre-Test Camp on 28th June 2025 in Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Government Girls' Higher Secondary School, Ambattur.



M. Varid (2-D) participated in the Boxing Tournament organized by Kalainar Boxing Academy, Chennai, from May 2nd to 4th June 2025 and won the Gold Medal.

Mukesh (8-G) bagged Silver Medal in the Chennai District Sub Junior Badminton Championship which was organized by Chennai District Badminton Association on 7th and 8th June 2025.

**BEST
WISHES**



U. Tejashree (8-B) participated in the Tamil Nadu Open State Roller Skating Championships 2025, held in Chennai from 13th to 15th June 2025, organized by the Tamil Nadu Roller Skating Association (affiliated to RSFI), and won two Gold Medals by securing titles in Rink IV and V. She also won three Gold Medals and secured titles in Road V, VI, and VII at the Speed Skating Championship 2025, held in Kolkata, from 19th to 23rd June 2025, organized by the Bengal Skating Association under the Roller-Skating Federation of India.



In the Badminton Doubles U-11 Category, conducted by the Chennai District Badminton Championship on 6th & 7th June 2025, S. Praneeth (4-G) won the 3rd Prize.



The School's Girls' Football Team were the winners in the Sudharsanam Vidhyaashram Inter-School Sports Championship held on 27th June 2025. R. Aditi Sandrea (IX-H) received the Best Goalkeeper Award.

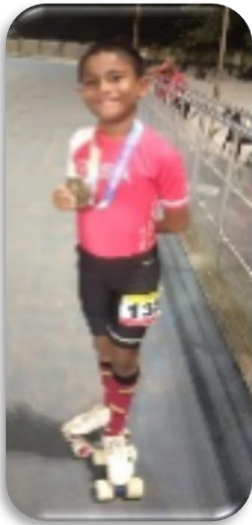


S. Lalith Aarush (8-D) won the Badminton Intermediate Competition for Boys, held on 12th June 2025, conducted by Space Academy. He received a trophy and a medal.

Manasvi K. (4-B) won Bronze medals in the 200 m and 500 m events at the Skating Competition conducted by the Tamil Nadu Roller Skating Association on 13th & 14th June 2025.



K. Jishnu (4-N) won a bronze medal in the Skating Competition conducted by TN Open Skating 2025 on 13th June, 2025.



Deekshitha B. (5A) won 1 gold, 3 silver, and 1 bronze medal in the State Level Swimming Competition held on 14th June 2025 in Velachery, conducted by Kids Sports Promotion.



Siddharth S. (7-B) won the bronze medal in the TN Open Roller-Skating Competition 2025 on 14th June, 2025



Shrivya N. (3-K) secured the 3rd Place in the Chennai District Karate Championship held on 15th June, 2025, at ICF Hr. Sec. School, Chennai.



R. Thigazhini (5-I) won the First Prize in the Open and Children State Level Chess Tournament held on 15th June, 2025, conducted by A-Max Chess Academy.



K. Sai Mithran (5-L) won the First Prize in the Chess Competition conducted by Ash Chess Club on 22nd June, 2025.



Kavinilla (3-C) won the First Prize in the Super Junior Category at the Karate Event conducted by BTF School of Martial Arts on 22nd June, 2025.



Thendral Shrinath (I-C) won the 2nd Prize in the 500 m Race at the Inter-School Skating Championship held at SSR Skating Rink on 25th June, 2025.



Noel George (5-E) won the 3rd Prize in the SV Interschool Skating Championship 2025, held on 27th June, 2025 by Sudharsanam Vidhyashram.



R. Mercy (X-M) emerged Winner in the Sudharshan Vidhyashram Inter School Table Tennis Championship held on 27th June 2025.



A. Pranav (8-N) secured the 3rd Place as a semi-finalist in the State Level Badminton Tournament held on 29th June, 2025, conducted by Cony Royals Badminton Club. He was awarded a Trophy, a Medal, a Grip and a certificate.



R. Thigazhini (5-I) clinched the 2nd Prize in the Open and Children State Level Chess Tournament held on 29th June, 2025, conducted by Bharath Chess Academy.



G. Samuel (7-F) participated in LMCA, tag, Amigos, PSM, Cricket Tournaments held in Chennai from April to June and was awarded the 'Man of the Match' & 'Best Bowler'.



Chetana S. (5-E) won a silver and a bronze medal in U-10 Girls Team Kata and Individual Kata at the Chennai District Shitoryu Karate Championship.



Sharvin T. (3-L) won the 1st Prize in Badminton Tournament conducted by MK Champions on 29th June, 2025.



EVERY WORTHWHILE
ACCOMPLISHMENT, BIG OR LITTLE,
HAS ITS STAGES OF DRUDGERY AND
TRIUMPH; A BEGINNING, A STRUGGLE
AND A VICTORY.

Mahatma Gandhi

**BEST
WISHES**

KUDOS!



S.B.O.A. MATRIC. & HR. SEC. SCHOOL, CHENNAI

World Environment Day was observed on 5th June, 2025 by presenting special speeches on the harmful effects of plastics and by taking Oath 'Say No to Plastics'. Students from class VIII along with the NCC cadets and the School Band participated in a walkathon carrying saplings to raise awareness and spread the message of green living and plastic-free environment. They distributed saplings to the public and encouraged citizens to plant trees and reduce plastic use. Various competitions like Poster Making, Quiz and Essay Writing were conducted.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



Inauguration of the Reinvented Campus

The Reinvented Campus, marking a historic milestone in the institution's journey and setting new benchmarks was inaugurated on 9th June, 2025. The lighting of the kuthuvilakku marked the ceremonial beginning. Shri. E.A.G. Moses, Founder Correspondent of SBIDA Educational Trust, inaugurated the newly developed Conference Hall, Turf Ground, Indoor Play Area, the Solar Panel and addressed the gathering. A documentary showcasing 4 decades of SBOA Matric was screened. This was followed by the Presidential Address by Dr. P. Nithish A. R. Singh, President, SBIDA Educational Trust and Our Correspondent. Shri. E.A.G. Moses, Founder Correspondent of SBIDA Educational Trust and the Chief Guest for the occasion, in his Special Address expanded on how the SBIDA Educational Trust was begun. He also shared the difficulties faced and the efforts taken to see the institution grow through the years. He expressed his happiness on seeing the developments that SBOA Matriculation and Hr. Sec. School has brought about with regard to the implementation of the latest developments and technology incorporated in the school infrastructure and the teaching learning process. He insisted the teachers to remember that 'Teaching is a great calling'. The Secretary & Correspondent delivered the Special Address.



On the occasion of the International Yoga Day, the students of Classes 6, 7 and 8 enthusiastically participated in a special yoga demonstration on 21st June, 2025. The young participants showcased various Yogasana postures with focus, discipline and grace. The event aimed to highlight the importance of yoga in promoting physical and mental well-being. It was an inspiring session that encouraged all students to embrace yoga as a part of their daily routine.



Awareness Session on Climate Change

The Tamil Nadu Weatherman Mr. Pradeep John, Alumnus, addressed the students of Std VIII & IX on 21st June, 2025, about the pattern of the weather changes. He highlighted on the factors causing extreme rains, wind and Tsunami. He also gave an insight on El Nino and La Nina which are opposing climate patterns in the Pacific Ocean that influence weather and climate pattern worldwide.



HOW IS THE WEATHER
INSIDE YOU?

A motivational session was conducted for Classes VI and VIII by Ms. Sandhiya, an experienced IT professional, with 20 years of service. During the session, she shared her life journey and encouraged students to set clear goals and stay committed to achieve them. In spite of having Marathi as her mother tongue, she insisted on the importance of learning Tamizh. The motivating and engaging session insisted on the importance of helping the society in every possible way.



Dr. Sujatha Menon, Alumna & Professor of English at VIT Vellore, conducted a highly informative seminar for the English department teachers on 21st June 2025. The session was organized to strengthen the teaching of English grammar and align classroom practices with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The session highlighted Panchakosha Framework (physical, breathing, emotional, intellectual and spiritual) in teaching Grammar. Dr. Sujatha provided a clear guideline on how to navigate Collin's Grammar Book.

Career Guidance Expert and Analyst Shri. R. Ashwin addressed the students of Std XI & XII on 25th June, 2025. He enlightened the students on the importance of choosing the right institution for their higher education with a detailed analysis of colleges and all the top entrance examinations. It helped the students to have a better understanding of the opportunities available. He also threw light on the various Entrance Examinations conducted by the Government enabling candidates to enter Government colleges.



'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking' was observed by the students and the staff along with a few officers from the V5 Police Station, Thirumangalam, on 25th June, 2025. Inspector Mr. Deepak Kumar, Sub Inspectors Mr. Boopalan, Mr. Manoj Kumar and Mr. Madhiazhagan addressed the students of Std XI & XII enforcing the importance of staying away from drugs and elaborating on the ill-effects caused by consuming the same. The students of Std XI presented a short skit creating awareness against drug abuse. Dr. Santosh also addressed the students about the diseases caused by the use of drugs.



34 Students from Std IX to XII participated in 'KALANJALI 2025', an Interschool Cultural Fest conducted by Bala Vidya Mandir, Adyar, on 20th & 21st June, 2025. Special Achievements:
Stock Market – 2nd Prize; Connex ions – 2nd Prize





22 students from Std VIII to XII participated in the SM MUN conference conducted at Venu Shri Muktha School on 26th and 27th June, 2025. Prakalya Prabhakar (XII-F) won the Verbal Mention Award. Srikanth (XI-E) got the High Commendation Award and Dheeshwanth (X-B) and Yazhisai (XI-F) were awarded with Honourable Mention.



Exposure Visit:

20 Students from Class XII witnessed the 'Epoch '25' - Graduation Show by FDDI – Footwear Design & Development Institute, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Govt. of India, at the VR Mall, on June 13th 2025. This visit to the fashion show and shoe college's graduation event, gave the students an insight into the industry, network and learn from the emerging designers. The School received a trophy for event sponsorship and community engagement.





4 NCC cadets (2 JD Boy cadets and 2 JW Girl cadets) attended TSC Selection Camp held at Kanchipuram from 11th to 20th June, 2025. Samuel Paul (IX-C) was selected for the next camp – TSC – Training and Launch Camp to be held at Kanchipuram. He also won the Gold Medal in Firing.



World Reading Day - June 19th 2025



✦ A book is a **DREAM** you hold in your hands ✦

Reading is the **KEY** to learning

Puviarasan R. (VI-C) secured the II Place in U-14 Category for the Inter school Chess Tournament at Agarwal Vidhyalaya School, Vepery, Chennai on 27th June, 2025.

Srimath Yaduvir (6-A) participated in the State Level Interschool Swimming Competition held at SDAT, Velachery on 14th June, 2025. He competed in the Breast Stroke event and secured the Second Place with an impressive timing of 50.04 seconds.

Anjana Devi S. (8-A) participated in the State Level Interschool Swimming Competition held at SDAT on 14th June, 2025. She competed in two events: the Free Style Relay (4 x 50 m), where her team secured the 1st Place with a timing of 52.39 seconds and the Medley Relay (4 x 50 m), where they secured the 2nd Place with a timing of 56.39 seconds. She was awarded Certificates of Merit for her outstanding performance.



S.B.I.O.A. MODEL SCHOOL, CHENNAI

World Environment Day was observed on 5th June, 2025, in the School. The program commenced with a melodious and impactful presentation by the teachers, who performed a song based on the theme of 'Protecting the Environment'. Deborah Shiny Princess (Std 10) led the Environment Day Pledge. Lokeshwaran, Mohammad Irshad and Shamiksha (12-A) captivated the audience with an insightful awareness conversation on the importance of environmental protection. The highlight of the celebration was the address by the Special Guest Mr. Balachandar, Activation Coordinator, Environmentalist Foundation of India. His presentation underscored the fragility of the ecosystem and the urgent need for conservation efforts. The event concluded with a heartwarming and creative video compilation featuring students from UKG to Standard IX. This compilation showcased students sharing their individual thoughts and perspectives on the environment from their homes.



The orientation programme for the Pre-KG kids was conducted on 11th June, 2025, by welcoming the new students and their parents to the school community. The main objective was to provide insights into the school environment, introduce the teaching staff and outline the curriculum and daily activities planned for the academic year. Each child was gifted a toy pencil, a colouring book and bunny face rattle. The orientation set a welcoming and informative tone for both parents and children, helped to build confidence and readiness for the school journey ahead.



The School NCC cadets attended the CATC cum TSC Selection Camp at Pachaiyappa's College Men's Hostel from 11th June to 20th June, 2025.



An Awareness Program on Girl Child and Women Safety was held on 20th June 2025. Girls of Std. VII to IX took part in it. Esteemed Nolambur police officials delivered an engaging session, emphasizing the importance of vigilance and self-protection. A compelling video was screened, illustrating real-life situations and demonstrating effective safety measures.



The School NCC cadets observed the International Yoga Day on 19th June, 2025. With the guidance of the School NCC Officer, Mr. Salaikumarasamy, the day began with a short speech on the Importance of yoga and the benefits of incorporating yoga into one's lifestyle by Mrs. Subhashree. This was followed by a guided yoga session led by the special guest and speaker Mr. Rameshrayadhav (Subedar).



International Yoga Day was observed in our school on 21 June 2025 at 10.30 am. Students of Std VI to VIII attended the function. Smt Marudham A., Certified Yoga Instructor was the guest of honour. Mrs Asha Robinson, Headmistress delivered the welcome address. Mrs Radha Suresh, Academic Supervisor introduced the special guest. The event began with a brief introduction of Yoga. Mrs Marudham did a video presentation of Yoga asanas and its importance.





Mrs. V.K. Savitha attended the meeting organised by Dr. P. Sudhakar, Smilestone CDC, on launching of a two-year project on awareness of Autism. Paediatricians, members from Rotary Club, NGOs, MNCs, Heads of Educational Institutions attended the meeting. Everybody gave their valid inputs from their perspective, which can make changes

in policy making from pre-primary level to professional institutions. Time line for executing the project is from July 2025 to June 2027. A lot of exchange of views, doubt clearing on the implementation of the project happened in the meeting. The meeting concluded with deciding on the project and the ways to implement it.

On 25th June, 2025, 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking' was observed. The students of Std XII attended the session. The Inspector, Sub Inspector and Police of Nolambur Police Station conducted a drug awareness programme. They spoke about the dangers caused by drugs and how a person is affected by it.



On 26th June, 2025, the Tamil Ilakkiya Mandram was inaugurated for this academic year. The Headmistress Mrs. Asha Robinson, the Academic Supervisors Mrs Radha Suresh and Mrs P.S. Bindhuja did the honours. Various songs depicting the importance of Tamil was sung by the students.



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S.B.I.O.A. PUBLIC SCHOOL, SALEM



World Environment Day is observed annually on June 5th to preserve the environment and the global ecosystem. The campaign seeks to raise global awareness about the damaging effects of plastic waste on ecosystems, wildlife, and human health. In connection with World Environment Day, the School celebrated the same by conducting various programmes. Siddharth S. (IX) started the event by giving the introduction about the importance of celebrating the World Environment Day. Mime show was performed by the students of Class V on the theme 'Save Environment'. Nivetha (IX) delivered a speech on 'Avoid Plastic'. Students of class VI – VIII went on a rally to the nearby residential area and created awareness about the need to avoid plastics pollution which in turn would save our planet.



Every year June 1st is observed as World Parents' Day. In connection with this day, the students of class VI to VIII performed a skit based on the topic 'Respect Parents Everyday'. The students highlighted the importance of respecting parents every day and not only on the day of June-1. They were also advised that one must talk politely and humbly to their parents.



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World Theatre Day was initiated in 1962 by the International Theatre Institute (ITI). It is celebrated annually on 27th March by ITI Centers and the international theatre community. Various national and international theatre events are organized to mark this occasion. In connection with these days, the students of class VII and VIII delivered a speech based on the topic 'Different types of theatres' and 'Role of Theatre in our life'. The students performed a skit to create an impact regarding the importance of theatre that teaches values.



"We must all do theatre,
to find out who we are,
and to discover
who we could
become."

—Augusto Boal



KG children were welcomed warmly and cheerfully by the teachers. A red-carpet welcome was rendered to the children. The children enjoyed the day and it was a memorable one not only for the kids but also for the parents and teachers.



Every year, countries around the world observe World Blood Donor Day (WBDD) on June 14th. The event serves to raise awareness of the need for safe blood and blood products and to thank voluntary, unpaid blood donors for their life-saving gifts of blood. In the school, World Blood Donors Day was observed on June 16th 2025. Sashmitha (VIII-B) gave an introduction about World Blood Donor's Day. Mugilavan (VII-A) explained the need of blood donation. Keshav Kirthik (VII-B) elucidated the benefits of blood donation. The students performed a skit based on the topic 'Blood Grouping'. Thus, they created awareness regarding the donation of blood.



The kindergarten children celebrated Father's Day on June 18th. Children showcased their love and respect for their fathers through various creative activities and they were overwhelmed with joy.



World Day against Child Labour is observed every year on 12th June. The Theme of World Day Against Child Labour is to raise awareness about the need to create a World Free of Child Labour and ensure that every child enjoys the right to educate and a Childhood free from exploitation. In connection with this day, students presented a Speech highlighting the importance of girls' education. The students took pledge to prevent Child Labour and to promote Child Education.



International Yoga Day is observed every year on 21st June. On account of this, the students were taken to Selvamathi Resort, to perform Yoga. They performed various asanas, like Tadasana, Rikshasana, Padmasana, Pachimottanasana, laughing therapy, Savasana etc. They demonstrated remarkable flexibility, balance and mindfulness.



World Music Day, also known as 'Fête de la Musique', is a globally celebrated event held annually on June 21st. This initiative makes music accessible to everyone and highlights its power to unite people across diverse backgrounds and cultures. In relation to this, students, gave a beautiful performance in the Assembly and created a sense of harmonious joy.

In collaboration with the Tamil Nadu Government Hospital, Salem, the School organised a Blood Donation Camp in the School campus. Many parents, teachers, service staff, SBI Staff and other volunteers participated and donated blood. Around 55 donors donated blood and took a great step to save the life of many people.



Be a Hero
Be a Donor



In connection with the Library Week, teachers and students of classes I to IX were instructed to drop everything and read the story books from 12:35 p.m. to 12:45 p.m. throughout the week. This created a great platform for the students as well as the teachers to enhance and enrich their habit of reading.



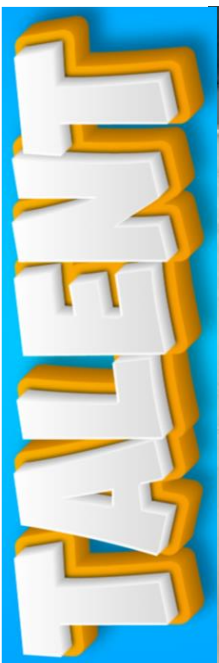
'Corpo, Gestose Movimentos' is a specific area of learning and development focused on physical activity, non-verbal communication and spatial awareness. It encompasses how children explore themselves through gestures, body language and understand their relationship. KG children performed an activity to fine-tune their motor skills.



The KG kids enjoyed the game of Ball Passing which enhances social interaction, promotes team work, improves focus and confidence. The students enjoyed the game.



On 23rd June, 2025, the students were allowed to exhibit their individual talents in the School Assembly. Baby Sivanya (II-C) recited Thirukural, Baby Swathisha (VI-B) recited a tongue twister and Naniha Saran (VIII-B) had exhibited his creative art work. They received a great applause from their schoolmates.



S.B.I.O.A. MATRIC. & HR. SEC. SCHOOL, TRICHY

The School had organised an orientation program for the teaching fraternity, on 2nd June, 2025, featuring esteemed motivational speaker Mrs. Raja Uma Rani. With her impressive credentials, Mrs. Raja Uma Rani delivered an inspiring session that motivated and energized the teachers. She provided practical strategies to boost teacher morale, confidence and enthusiasm.



The School organised a rally and event to commemorate the World Environment Day, on 5th June, 2025, with the theme 'Putting an End to Plastic Pollution'. The event aimed to raise awareness on the harmful effects of plastic pollution and promote sustainable practices. The rally was flagged off by Chief Guest Mrs. V. Rukmani Priyadarshini, Superintendent of Prisons, Special Prison for Women, Trichy. It was started from K.K. Nagar and culminated at LIC Colony, Trichy. The students and the teachers participated enthusiastically, carrying placards and banners with anti-plastic pollution messages. The initiative successfully raised awareness and inspired participants to take action against plastic pollution, promoting environmental sustainability.



Four students from the School participated in U-11 MLB Cup 2025, India, held at Padukone – Dravid Centre for Sports Excellence, Bangalore.



**Life is more fun if
you play games.**

**PLAY TO WIN, BUT
ENJOY THE FUN**

The School organised the World Environment Day Celebrations on Thursday, June 19th, 2025. The event was held in the school premises. Dr. M. Prashanthi Devi, Professor and Head of the Department of Environmental Science and Management at Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli, delivered an inspiring keynote address, emphasizing the importance of environmental conservation. The event concluded with the distribution of prizes to participants, promoting environmental awareness and sustainability among students and staff. The students presented saplings to the School.



On 21st June, 2025, the School celebrated the International Yoga Day with enthusiasm. The students actively participated in yoga sessions led by the PT Instructors. The event promoted physical, mental and spiritual well-being. It fostered a sense of community and encouraged participants to practise yoga daily.





The School organised awareness session on 'Better Parenting, Health and Hygiene', for the parents of the Primary School. Dr. J. D. Jeryda Gnanajane Elijo, Professor and Head, Department of Social Work, Bharathidasan University, conducted the session and guided parents on effective parenting and maintaining family well-being.



Mr. Ram Prabhakar from Collins conducted a session at our school on How to Handle the Collins Grammar Book. He explained the effective use of the book, shared teaching strategies, and provided helpful tips to make grammar learning easier and more engaging for students.



The ECA event was inaugurated by Shri. K. Gurnathan, Correspondent of S.B.I.O.A. Schools (Matric. & CBSE), Trichy, on 25th June, 2025. The ECA inauguration marked the beginning of a vibrant journey for Group A and Group B activities. The conveners for various clubs and groups were formally introduced to the gathering and their roles and responsibilities for the year were outlined. This was followed by a series of cultural performances, including an energetic dance performance, a thought-provoking mime act, a melodious choir presentation and other colourful cultural displays that showcased the talent and creativity of the students.



The School, in collaboration with the Police Department, organised an anti-drug rally to raise awareness about the harmful effects of drug abuse, on 25th June, 2025, 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking'. The rally was flagged off by the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Shri. K. Kennedy. It commenced from Wireless Road and proceeded all the way to Udayanpatti. The enthusiastic participation of the students and the support of the Police Department highlighted the importance of creating a drug-free society.



NCC enrolment for boys and girls was held in the school campus on 26th June, 2025. Many students eagerly participated in the process. The Officers explained the benefits and training involved in NCC.



S.B.I.O.A. SR. SEC. SCHOOL, TRICHY



A special assembly was conducted as an inaugural ceremony for school houses namely Cheran House, Cholan House, Pandian House and Pallavan House. Prabakaran K., Teacher in Economics, hosted the program. The program started with the School prayer. Mr. Nigel William Freeman, Teacher in Chemistry, observed a moment of prayer. Mr. Ganeshan, Teacher in Tamil, presented the thought for the day. The masters and mistresses of each house introduced themselves and presented the speciality of their houses.



World Environment Day was observed with enthusiasm and environmental spirit on 5th June, 2025, in the School. As part of the awareness activities, all students were instructed to bring a 'Manja Pai' (cloth bag) to promote the message of reducing plastic usage. The students of Grades 1 to 5 actively participated in the rally conducted within the school campus, proudly carrying their 'Manja Pais'. A prominent placard was displayed and the students enthusiastically quoted the slogan 'Say No to

Plastics, Make the World Fantastic' and 'Carry a Manja Pai'. The rally was vibrant and inspiring, capturing the attention of everyone on campus. This celebration of World Environment Day not only created awareness but also instilled a sense of responsibility in students toward a cleaner and greener Earth.





In connection to the World Music Day, a short speech was given by Sonali (8) on the topic 'importance and applications of music in the day-to-day life'. This was followed by presentation on key board music and violin music by Lisandro (7) and Jathinel (6), respectively. Music skills were the highlights in the session.



The beginning of this academic year kick started with the presence of esteemed guest Dr. Raja Uma Rani, who has served as a teacher, Headmistress in various Government and aided schools in Tamil Nadu. She shared her rich experiences of being a teacher. She quoted many Thirukkural verses, Tamil literature/poetry versus that guide and appreciate the work of teachers. She shared many examples from her own life that had great impacts on her students through her deeds. Even in her 70's, she is pursuing Ph.D. The teachers were greatly inspired by her quest to learn and strong determination.



A demo class on 'Karadipath' was conducted by Mr. Joel in Class I-A, in the presence of the Principal, AHM and all the staff from the Department of English. The session, which lasted for one period, was engaging and interactive. Mr. Joel demonstrated effective teaching methods, including how to encourage students' participation. The class incorporated various activities like dancing, singing, rhymes and recitation, which will enhance students' speaking skills and encourage active participation. The demo class was not only interesting but also carefully designed for the students' development. Notably, Mr. Joel also taught Class I-B students using the same methods.



On 16.06.25, Sub-Inspectors of Police, Mrs. Vanitha and Mrs. Mahalakshmi, conducted a safety awareness program for teachers in the School premises, focusing on the 'Kaaval Uthavi' app. The session educated the teachers about the app's features and benefits, thereby enhancing school safety and emergency preparedness.



As part of the drug awareness initiative, students were instructed to take a pledge against drug addiction (*போதைப் பழக்கத்திற்கு எதிராக*) on 6th June, 2025. Through this oath, they promised to stay away from harmful substances and lead a healthy, responsible and disciplined life. The importance of following school rules and societal guidelines to prevent drug abuse was emphasized. The students were also encouraged to spread awareness among their peers and in their community, fostering a drug-free environment.

INTERNATIONAL DAY AGAINST DRUG ABUSE AND ILLICIT TRAFFICKING 2025

The first orientation meeting of the new academic year was held on 21.06.25, for the parent of the students from pre-KG to Std 5. A large number of parents participated in the session. The class teachers welcomed the parents and shared important instructions regarding the school's rules and regulations.



Balloon Day was celebrated on 20th June, 2025, with great enthusiasm at the school. The event was presided over by the Principal and the AHM. The Pre-KG children gave a cheerful dance performance, followed by LKG students reciting balloon-themed rhymes. UKG students confidently explained the abbreviation of 'BALLOON', enhancing their vocabulary. The event ended with a joyful group dance, creating a lively and memorable experience for all.



The State Bank of India (SBI) organized a blood donation camp at the school on 30th June, 2025. Out of 40 members who registered to donate blood, 20 were deemed eligible. The eligible donors comprised 4 parents, 4 bank staff members and 12 school staff and non-teaching staff members. The blood donation camp was conducted in collaboration with KMC Speciality Hospital. As a token of appreciation, the hospital presented each donor with a printed T-shirt and provided juice and bananas. SBI also gave gifts to the donors on their behalf, while the school awarded certificates to the supporters.



S.B.I.O.A. INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, CHENNAI

On 2nd June 2025, the teaching staff of SBIOA International School warmly welcomed the newly appointed Principal i/c, Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy, marking the beginning of a new academic journey under her leadership. As a gesture of respect and goodwill, she was draped with a shawl and presented with a bouquet. On the same occasion, newly recruited teachers were also welcomed into the SBIOA International School family, fostering a sense of unity and enthusiasm as the new academic year commenced. Correspondent Shri. M. Muralidharan welcomed the teachers into the new Academic Year with a formal address on 3rd June, 2025.





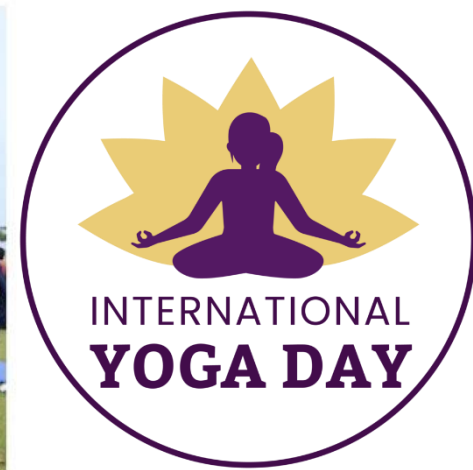
On 5th June 2025, sapling planting ceremony was held in the presence of the Former President Shri. Nallaperumal Pillai, Shri A. Senthil Ramesh, Secretary and Correspondent, SBIDA Educational Trust, Shri M. Muralidharan, Correspondent, SBIDA International School and other office bearers, marking a collective step towards environmental conservation.



A special assembly was conducted on 5th June 2025 to observe World Environment Day with the theme 'Beat Plastic Pollution'. Grade 12 students presented a speech on environmental awareness, conducted a quiz on biodiversity and showcased banner design. The Principal, Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy, delivered an inspiring message on protecting the environment and avoiding plastic use. The assembly concluded with a pledge by NGC students to safeguard nature and promote eco-friendly practices.



The 11th International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2025, in our school premises, with great enthusiasm. Students of Grades VI to VIII participated in the celebration enthusiastically. Principal Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy addressed the gathering, highlighting the theme "One Earth, One Health," which focuses on the holistic development of both individuals and our planet. The session included warm-up exercises, Surya Namaskar, and various asanas promoting physical and mental well-being.





World Music Day was celebrated with great fervour on 21st June, 2025, in the School. Singing and instrumental music competitions were held for students of Grades VI to XII, offering a platform to showcase their musical talents. The event created a joyful atmosphere, promoting creativity and appreciation for music.

On 21st June, 2025, SBIOA International School celebrated Father's Day with warmth and enthusiasm. The event saw active participation from kindergarten fathers who joined their children in a series of exciting games and activities. A special cooking activity added fun to the celebration, where fathers displayed their culinary skills and were awarded prizes. Surprise badges were also distributed, creating a joyful and memorable experience that strengthened the bond between father and child.



The Summer Day Celebration was held on Friday, June 27th, 2025, at SBIOA International School, for kindergarten students. The little ones enjoyed learning about summer fruits like mangoes and watermelons and explored simple ways to stay safe in the sun, such as wearing hats, sunglasses and using sunscreen. They also understood the importance of staying hydrated. Dressed in bright, colourful outfits, the children brought cheer and excitement to the day, making the celebration both educational and delightful.



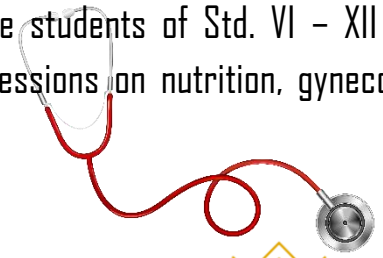
The LKG and Pre-KG Orientation Programmes were held on 9th and 11th June, 2025, respectively, at SBIOA International School. The Principal, Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy, welcomed the parents with a special address, followed by important guidelines shared by the KG Superintendent, Mrs. Reshma Fareen. The Correspondent, Shri M. Muralidharan, addressed the gathering during the LKG session. Folders and saplings were distributed to the children, symbolising a fresh start to their academic journey. The little ones enthusiastically posed for photos at the vibrant photo booths, making the event a joyful and memorable beginning to their school life.



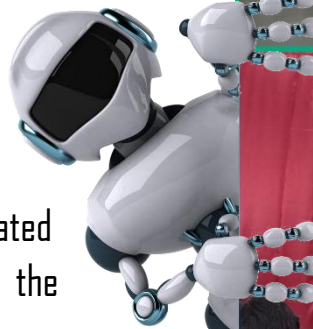
The selection process for key student leadership positions was conducted on 23rd June, 2025. Positions included the Head Boy, the Head Girl, the Cultural Secretary and the House Captains for the four houses—Cheran, Cholan, Pandian, and Pallavan. The candidates were evaluated by the selection committee based on leadership qualities, communication skills and overall confidence.



A comprehensive 2-day Medical Camp was conducted on 30th June, 2025 & 1st July, 2025, at SBIOA International School by a team of specialists from Unittas Hospital. The primary section (Pre-KG to Std. V) underwent medical checkups, while the students of Std. VI – XII attended health education sessions on nutrition, gynecology and physiotherapy.



An engaging Orientation Programme on Robotics was conducted on 13th June, 2025, for the students of Grades IV to IX by Mr. G. V. Chandrakanth, a renowned Roboticist and Chief Technology Officer at ICUBE Robotics. Each class was individually addressed and students were introduced to the scope, significance and real-world applications of robotics. The session featured exciting live demonstrations, including a robotic leg, mobile-controlled lights, and various remote-operated machines. The orientation effectively catered to the interests and curiosity of the tech-savvy younger generation.



A workshop was conducted by SRM Easwari Engineering College on 21st June 2025 for students of Grades IX to XII. The sessions covered two branches: Biomedical Science and Engineering led by Mrs. Yamuna and Mr. Pradeep D.S., and Next Gen AI, conducted by Prof. Indumathi P. The workshops included demonstrations of biomedical equipment, yoga mudras for concentration, career guidance in biological sciences, and an introduction to artificial intelligence, machine learning, and deep learning. The sessions sparked curiosity and helped students gain clarity about future career paths.





A series of awareness programs on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were conducted by Mr. Akaitab Mukherjee from VIT. The following SDG goals were highlighted: SDG 4 – Quality Education for Grade VII, SDG 3 – Good Health and Well-Being for Grade VI, SDG 13 – Climate Action for Grade IX and SDG 16 – Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions for Grades X to XII. The sessions were held from 23rd to 25th June, 2025.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

The Alma Connects Alumni Cricket Match was held on 21st June, 2025 at the SBIDA IS ground between the Alumni (2024-2025) and present students of Grades 10 to 12. The event was inaugurated by the Correspondent Shri. Muralidharan M. and the Principal Mrs. Revathy Alagarsamy. After a spirited game, the present students' team emerged victorious. The event strengthened the bond between the alumni and the institution.

ALUMNISPORTS



In connection with International Yoga Day, an inter-school Yoga competition was held on 14th June, 2025, at IITDM. Miruthika Vaishnavi (V-C) secured the 2nd Place in Under 10 yrs. Girls' Category & D.V.M. Hemantha Sree (VIII-A) won the consolation prize in Under 16 yrs. Girls' Category.

CONGRATS



A Teachers' Orientation Programme was held at our school on 3rd June, 2025, featuring Dr. Sripada Divya, Leadership Coach and Organizational Psychologist at VIT, Chennai, as the keynote speaker. The session focused on empowering educators to build meaningful connections with students, integrate creativity into classroom practices and foster an engaging and enjoyable teaching-learning environment. The insightful programme inspired teachers to adopt innovative and student-centric approaches in their teaching methodologies.

A Burlington workshop was conducted on 21st June, 2025, at SBIDA Junior College, Anna Nagar, for teachers handling Grades VI to VIII. Mrs. Durga, the resource person, provided comprehensive guidance on the effective use of the Burlington Grammar Book and app. She demonstrated e-content activation, app usage in both online and offline modes and strategies to enhance grammar and speaking skills. The workshop was informative, equipping teachers with digital tools to support English language learning effectively. Mrs. M. Kavitha, Mrs. Yazhini Arul Malar and Mrs. Moumita Bhunia Kundu attended the session.



Gracy P. (VIII-A) won a Bronze Medal in the Inter-school Athletic Meet held at Tamil Nadu Sports University on 28th June, 2025. The event was organised in connection with the International Olympic Day.



Re-orientation Course for Scouts and Guides Unit Leaders of Pallava Mandalam was held on 14th June 2025 at Zion Genesis Public School, Selaiyur, Chennai. The session focused on online youth membership registration, district-level registration and renewal procedures, warrant and charter applications, event participation protocols, and application guidelines for CC (Chithra Course), HP (Heerak Pankh), and RP (Rajyapuraskar) awards. Training camp schedules and examiner appointments for proficiency badges were also discussed. Participants included Unit leaders of SBIDA IS Mr. Srinivasan, Mrs. S. Yazhini Arul Malar, Mrs. Chitra, and Mr. Sankar.



An engaging Karadi Path Demo class was held on 30th June 2025 at SBIDA International School. Mr. Vijay, Resource Person from Karadi Path conducted the demo class for Level 3, explaining the teacher's manual, class flow and activities. The session ended with a Q/A, emphasizing classroom readiness, repetition techniques and effective management strategies for better learning outcomes.



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HEART, Achieve with all your MIGHT!*



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What's the Water Bell Initiative?

The Tamil Nadu School Education Department has launched a statewide programme to ring a distinctive 'Water Bell' three times daily — typically at 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. — to prompt students to drink water and stay hydrated! Each bell break lasts 2–3 minutes, conducted inside the classroom to avoid disruption and ensure students don't leave the classroom. Students are required to carry a water bottle with or without water, which they can refill at school if needed.

The Water Bell scheme is a public health and learning-friendly measure aimed at ensuring students maintain optimal hydration levels without interrupting school routines. By institutionalizing regular hydration reminders, the state aims to boost student attention, mood, memory retention and prevent dehydration-related health issues.

Why is it important to drink water and stay hydrated?

As the weather heats up this summer, you might be wondering what drink will keep you hydrated. Water allows you to stay hydrated and doesn't contain unnecessary calories or additives. Dietitians share why water is the best choice year-round.

Why should we drink water?

Water is vital to our health. It plays a key role in many of our body's functions, including bringing nutrients to cells, getting rid of wastes, protecting joints and organs and maintaining body temperature.

Water should almost always be your go-to beverage. Choose it over sugary drinks like soda or juice, which can be high in simple sugars and calories.

How much water should we drink?

The amount of water you should drink varies depending on your activity level, health conditions, height and weight, gender and other factors. Here are some general guidelines:

- It's recommended that men drink 13 cups (about 3 litres) of water each day.
- Women are recommended to drink 9 cups (just over 2 litres) of water each day.
- Kids and teens should drink 6 to 8 cups of water a day. Again, this all depends on activity level, age, weight, etc.

Eating fresh fruits and vegetables that are full of water helps with this daily water intake as well.

HYDRATE WITH FRUITS AND VEGGIES



cabbage

93% WATER



strawberries

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cucumbers

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bell peppers

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