

# Peace Group

## Report for 2022-23

### (Second Term)



### *Introduction*

The Peace group is composed of 20 sweet children. All the children are 3 or 4 years old. They enjoy doing all the activities in the school. They are always cheerful and make others around them also happy with their beautiful smiles. They come from home at 7:30 am and go back at 12:30 pm. They are the only group who go home early, after having their lunch.





## *Food*

The children love to have food in the hostel. Before eating they wash their hands with soap and also wash their plates. They patiently stand in a queue, to be served. While eating they make an effort not to spill food out of their plates and they eat quietly. They try to eat all the vegetables and try not

to waste any food. Most often they love to eat porridge and drink milk, which are their favourites. They also eat all the different dishes made for breakfast and lunch.



## *Health and hygiene*

The children try to be neat and clean when they come to the school. Sometimes when they don't seem to be clean, they are given a bath and are given clean clothes to wear. After having their breakfast, they come to the school and brush their teeth. After brushing they clean their group and arrange flowers near the photos of The Mother and Sri



Aurobindo as an offering. They love cleaning their group and arranging the flowers. They try to keep their things properly and neatly in their respective places.





## *Chanting*

The children like to be in the circle for chanting. While chanting, all the children



try to sit properly with closed eyes and chant the mantras properly. They chant with so much of love and purity that it seems like they directly

connect with the Divine. They have learnt many chants like “Asatoma sat

gamaya”, “Sri Vakratunda”, “Om Anandamayi”, “Om bhurbhuvah swaha”, the “Mahamrityunjay mantra” etc. They have learnt the chants very nicely and are still learning new ones. Some children cannot



pronounce the words of the mantras properly but they still try to recite them.

## *Bhajans and Rhymes*

They enjoy singing bhajans. They have learnt “Stuti aaradhana”, “Banao hamein veer yoddha”, “O sweet Mother”, “Tiki photore mana khushire” etc.



They have also learnt songs which they enjoy singing. They have learnt “Chupke chupke kanha aaya”, “Dhobi aaya”, “Twinkle Twinkle Little Star”, “Machhli jal ki rani hai”, “Upar pankhaa chalta hai”, “Laal laal motor bhai”, “Johnny Johnny yes papa”, Chhoti si Munni”,

“Jungle jungle rup suhana”, “Five little monkeys”, “Rat Tat Tat, the dancing cat”, “Found a peanut”, “Row row row your boat” etc. They love doing actions while singing songs and they do the actions full of energy.



## *Mathematics*

The children have learnt counting from 1 to 20. Most of them are clear in forward counting except for a few of them who joined school late. They are now trying to count backward. They have learnt the basic shapes of geometry. They love doing activities like



volumes, textures, colours etc. They enjoy making designs of different colours using Rangometry kits.



although they use words of the village dialect when necessary. They will soon start speaking fluently in Hindi as they presently find difficulty in pronouncing some words. They are also being spoken to in English by the didis and bhaiyas and



collecting leaves and arranging them by grouping according to their shapes, sizes, textures and colours. They also enjoy making flowers and other designs with the leaves. They are able to identify and classify other materials on the basis of their shapes, sizes,



### *Language- Hindi & English*

The children have started talking in Hindi with the older children, teachers and also among themselves. They try their best to speak in complete Hindi



other children older to them. They try to understand the language and also try to speak a few words and phrases. They have learnt words of English like tree, sun, clouds, water, river etc. in the class. They have learnt the

names of the body parts but are taking time to memorise all of them. They love listening to stories in both Hindi and English and also love to see pictures in the books while listening to the stories.



### *Co-curricular activities*



During the time of co-curricular activities they solve puzzles, do art works and watch movies. In art class they do drawings, cut and paste pictures, do origami, painting and collage. They love doing all of these activities. Most of the time they love to draw and colour. In origami they have learnt to make boat, flower, ball



and Santa Claus. They enjoy watching cartoon movies a lot. Watching these movies helps them learn many new words which they try to use while they speak.

## Celebrations

All the children of Peace group love to participate in all the programmes that take place in the school. On 25<sup>th</sup> December they did a dance on the song 'It's Christmas time'. On 21<sup>st</sup> February they performed a



dance on the song 'Chuck dhoom dhoom'. They had enjoyed practising the dance with the teachers. They were doing with full energy in the group during practise, but while performing on the stage most of them were

nervous, so they were not doing it as properly as they could. But gradually, they are trying to overcome their stage fright every time they get on the stage to perform something.



## Games

They have their games period from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM. So every day after



breakfast they come to their group and take out their brushes and go to brush. After brushing their teeth, they assemble together in a circle to do all the joint exercises with their teachers. Sometimes they try to lead in the games while doing exercise. They also count aloud while doing every exercise. The children of the Peace group love to

play running games. They all like to run around the school campus and around the groups when they are told to do running. They have learnt many games like Fire on the mountain, Rat and cat, Dog and the bone, Tug of war.

They enjoy playing Fire on the mountain by laughing and shouting and falling down on purpose. They also climb up the trees and climb down the trees like monkeys. The ones who can climb up a tree easily love to do so. The ones who find difficulty to climb up trees, they too try their best to climb up while the others



who know try to help them and guide them. Twice a week the children go to the sandpit to play. There they all love to jump down from a height, play on the swings and the slides, one by one, in a queue. Sometimes they also play tag and they enjoy the game a lot. Most of the girls love to play on the swings while most of the boys love to play on the slides and enjoy other running games.

