



**AMICUS  
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**

*A TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE*

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Dear Parents,

We are happy to meet you through the 3<sup>rd</sup> letter of the current academic year of our school.

## 1. EDITORIAL

### MONSOON WISDOM

Sometimes we must repeat a lesson a few times to learn it well. Physical or Mental Challenge is like that, lesson to repeat till you learn it. It teaches valuable insights to be applied in daily tasks, including how we perceive situation and other people around us. It coaches us to be leaders on simple tasks to achieve big results. On the hottest, most humid day of summer, we learn, how nature provide us opportunity, to equip ourselves for a hard lesson, when being stuck with a difficult situation, pushing on through oppressive heat and finishing...only after grudgingly making course corrections on the way. But then in the monsoon month of the year, we find, we learn a valuable lesson about the relationship between **perseverance** and **resiliency**.

#### **PERSEVERANCE as an output:**

To understand a day set out can be full of surprises, like rain and wind, weather conditions change both drastically and quickly. Did we ever find that for ourselves! It can be calm and sunny, by the halfway mark, making really good time, all focused on seeing how fast we could accomplish. We couldn't possibly know at that point that our goal about to be challenged. As conditions changed and that eerie yellow dark descended, turning back isn't an option, neither changing course of goal.

#### **The only way out is to go through it.**

Pushing against a relentless wind and a stinging sideways rain, we need to do much more than just lean into the elements. When **perseverance comes to us an output**, it teaches us how deep and capable we are, able to dig into ourselves, when we least expect it. It opens up new side of ourselves, which we didn't believe we could achieve.

## 2. SCHEDULE FOR JUNE, 2019

### ACTIVITIES / CELEBRATIONS TO BE HELD IN JUNE, 2019

SR.NO	DATE	PARTICULARS	DETAILS	STANDARD
1.	17/06/2019	<b>SCHOOL REOPENS</b>	Welcome back to the school. Homework submission.	JG to 8
2.	20/06/2019	<b>SUMMER VACATION BRIEF</b>	Students will brief how they spent their summer vacation with their near and dear ones	JG to 2
3.	21/06/2019	<b>FATHER'S DAY</b>	My father gave me the greatest gift anyone could give - He believed in ME!! Happy Fathers Day ... Dad I have something special for you	JG to 2
4.	21/06/2019	<b>FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION, World Music Day</b>	Assembly theme - FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION, World Music Day	1 to 8
5.	21/06/2019	<b>International Day of Yoga Day</b>	Students will learn different Yoga asana.	1 to 8
6.	24/06/2019	<b>SENSES WITH MAZE</b>	Play, fun and recap session on Senses and sense organs.	UKG
7.	26/06/2019	<b>TWIST AND TURN WITH FRUITS AND COLOURS</b>	Fun game and recap session on fruits and colors	JG & Nursery
8.	28/06/2019	<b>WALK AND OBSERVE</b>	Introductory session on Living and Non living things	LKG
9.	27/06/2019 28/06/2019	<b>VISIT TO FRUITS AND VEGGIES WORLD - FIELD TRIP</b>	Recap session on Fruits and introduction of veggies would be done through Field Trip to Reliance Fresh	Nursery
10.	28/06/2019	<b>PE COMPETITION</b>	House wise competition will be conducted by PE Sir	1 & 2
11.	29/06/2019	<b>HOLIDAY</b>	It will be holiday on 5 <sup>th</sup> Saturday.	3 to 8

### 3. HIGHLIGHTS OF MAY, 2019

#### PRE PRIMARY ACTIVITIES

##### SENSORY STATION: 2nd MAY, 2019

Sensory play includes any activity that stimulates young child's senses: Touch, Smell, Taste, Sight, and Hearing. Sensory activities facilitate exploration and naturally encourage children to use scientific processes while they play. Kids of UKG experienced the experimental learning of Sensory Station through Floor Activity.



##### SHOW AND TELL (FRUITS CUTOUTS): 3rd MAY, 2019

"SHOW AND TELL" activity was done in Nursery. Children spoke few sentences about the Fruit, shown by their educator. This activity gave them an opportunity to learn, to speak confidently and pronounce words correctly, which enhanced their linguistic skills.



### MY SELF: 3<sup>rd</sup> MAY, 2019

Toddlers of LKG spoke 4-5 lines about Topic- "Myself", this activity make students speak English, to better their vocabulary, grammar, and pragmatics. Moreover, practicing their English in a safe classroom environment helped students gain confidence in their abilities.



### MEMORY GAME: 8<sup>th</sup> MAY 2019

Kids of UKG played Memory Game, wherein educators showed some objects which we see in our daily routine and then kids recollected their memory and spoke name of those objects. This activity enhanced to increase attention and improved the ability to find similarities and differences in objects.



### MAZE GAME: 9<sup>th</sup> MAY, 2019

Students of LKG had fun playing Maze Game, a recapitulation session of Topic- "Parts of the Body". This Activity enhanced their logical and analytical thought process through Floor Activity.



### TRACE ON LINES ( \_ , | , / )

Tiny tots of Nursery had a recapitulation session on Standing Line, Sleeping Line and Slanting Line through Gross Motor activity game in Garden area of School Premises. In which kids walked on the lines and loved the activity.



### MOTHER'S DAY: 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2019

Mother's Day is a special day, dedicated to all mothers. Mothers hold a special place in the hearts of children. The students of AMICUS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL were given an opportunity to show their appreciation for their mothers, on Mother's Day. To show their love and respect for their mother kids made greeting card for them, this was a surprised gift for all the Mothers



## PRIMARY SECTION ACTIVITIES

### **SOCIAL SMARTNESS: 6th MAY 2019**

“Students had a recap session of the chapter which was done in month of April as we had new students in our grade 4 to 8”. Activity based learning like role play, debt, recapitulation was done.



### **MATHEMATICAL LOGICAL APPLICATION: MAY 3<sup>RD</sup> ONWARDS**

Students of Grade 1 enjoyed doing addition in a different style. Students of Grade 2 and 3 clarified the concept of odd & even numbers along with place value of the same. Students of grade 7 discussed the concept of square Root and Cube roots and also introduced the concept of exponent and power. Grade 4 to 8 did Completion of textual exercises was done by the students.

### **SCIENCE EXPLORATION: MAY 3<sup>RD</sup> ONWARD**

Students enjoyed the activity of collecting information on nutritional values and balanced diet. Students of Grade 4 and 5 shared their knowledge about safety at home, road, school and public places and emphasized on the importance of safety in one's life. All about safety & Rules at home, school & road was discussed with Grade 3 students, who later on presented a skit on "safety at home" in the class. Students also enjoyed an outdoor activity of identifying the Living & Non-living things around the school and explored various options of natural & man-made things in the school premises.



### LITERARY ELEMENTS: 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2019

The special thing about poetry is we read it aloud, read it often and share in groups. Poetry visited Grade 1 & 2 students and they keenly listened the poem being read orally and recited the same with action. They tried to capture the rhythm and rhyme present in the poem and thus they enhanced their reading, listening and speaking skills.



### Grade 3-8: 02<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019

Literature is the world where every individual expresses himself through words. Words build sentences and sentences form language. This whole month students were introduced to various skills in English language. They had reading skill sessions and writing skill session and grammar enhancement sessions. English was also introduced through art and craft and drama.



### HINDI RACHNATMAK: 08th MAY 2019

जब छात्र अपनी बहु-प्रतिभाओं को समझने लगते हैं, तो वे शुरू करते हैं अपनी क्षमताओं का उपयोग करना। छात्रों की आवश्यकताओं, रुचियों एवं प्रतिभाओं को ध्यान में रखते हुए, उन्हें सीखने के अवसर प्रदान करने के लिए पाठ्यपुस्तक से सम्बंधित अनेक रचनात्मक कार्य करवाए गए। छात्र किसी विषय के बारे में क्या सोचते हैं, उसमें अपनी कल्पना का रंग कैसे भरते हैं एवं उनके स्वयं-विचार करने तथा किसी की अंतःस्थिति को समझने की क्षमता के विकास के लिए विभिन्न गतिविधियाँ तथा प्रतियोगिता करवाए गए।



### MUSIC BUILDS CHARACTER: 03rd MAY 2019

Humankind gets connected to God with music. Likewise MUSIC is the soul of life. If there is no soul there is no life. Thus music is the way to delight and get connected to God. This entire month we tried to get connected to God and ignite their passion through musical instruments.



### ART & CRAFT: 06th MAY, 2019

Art and craft is the creative way to express yourself. Every student has hidden potential in them. It is required to find it. The best means of this is through art and craft. This potential and creativity was discovered in the child during the art and craft session.



### GURUKULAM SESSION: 04th MAY, 2019

Basic Meditation Techniques were introduced to children, this helps to develop focus and concentration for children.



### **SPLASH POOL PARTY: 4th MAY, 2019**

One can't have more fun than playing with water on a hot day in a splash pool. Our school splash pool is a great place to lounge in and escape the heat. Each jet spray intermittently releases streams of cool water offering endless fun for the kids as they try to catch or dodge the spray!

Water play activities in young children strengthen motor skills, builds balance and the ability to propel and navigate coordination is also sharpened. Keeping all this in mind, grade 5 to 8 students of our school had a pool party on 04th May 2019. The poolside was decorated with balloons, balls and the children were handed balls to play with too. The kids turned up in colourful swimsuits and most had great fun playing in the water. At the end the kids were still beaming and in no hurry to beat the treat!



### **FIELD TRIP: 6th and 9th MAY, 2019**

- Grade 3&4: Field trip to **Xavier Green School** was organized for Grade 3rd and 4th on Monday, 6th May 2019. A green school project spread across 40 Acre of land covered with more than 70000 trees. Morning began with excitement, caps on head, water bottles and heading towards their very first trip loading in school bus, packed with students, educators, non teaching staff and our School Principal Ma'am.
- Grade 5 to 8: Movie does not only have motive to earn or entertain but also to develop skills such as social responsibility, leadership quality and humanity. Students from grade 5 to 8 experienced this when they got an opportunity to watch movie "**Avengers - End game**" as the part of their first field trip. Group of 38 students and 2 teachers went to Cinemera to watch this movie on Thursday the 9<sup>th</sup> of May' 19.



### **MOTHER'S DAY: 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2019**

Mother's Day is a special day, dedicated to all mothers. Mothers hold a special place in the hearts of children. The students of Grade 1 & 2 showcased their love for their mothers, on Mother's Day by preparing a card which was a surprise gift for all their dear Mothers.



### **MUD & MIRROR ART WORKSHOP FOR EDUCATOR: 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2019**

Art is an expression of our thoughts, emotions and desire. It's about sharing the way we experienced the world. Amicus International School marked the beginning of the summer break by organizing a workshop on "Mud & Mirror Art" on 11th May, 2019 especially for the educators.

**Ms. Payal Singhvi and Ms. Ritu Koshal** was invited as resource person for the workshop in the school. This workshop helped to create interest in teachers to learn a new technique or medium in Art and enhance their creative by listening to artists experiences.



#### **4. IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

##### **School Fees/Snack Charges/Transport Fees :**

Parents are requested to ensure that fees for the captioned subjects have been duly paid for their ward. Failing late fees shall be charged hence forth.

For,

**AMICUS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**

**VADODARA**

**AMICUS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL VADODARA**

**FOOD MENU FOR JUNE, 2019 \***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Menu</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> June	Monday	Paneer Sabji + Roti + Rice + Dal Fry + Salad
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday	Kale Chane + Rice + Roti + Beat Cacumber Salad
19 <sup>th</sup> June	Wednesday	Tindora sabji + Roti + Rice + Gujarati Dal
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Thursday	Idali Sambhar + Chutney + Butter Milk
21 <sup>st</sup> June	Friday	Aloo Mutter Gravey Sabji + Rice + Roti + Cabbage Salad
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Saturday	Holiday
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Sunday	Holiday
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Monday	Pav Bhaji + Salad + Lemon Juice
25 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday	Dry Aloo Bhaji + Puri + Veg Pulav + Bundi Raita
26 <sup>th</sup> June	Wednesday	Lachaka Moong + Rice + Roti + Lauki KI Sabji + Onion Salad
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Thursday	Chole + wheat Puri + Salad + Butter Milk
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Friday	Bhinda Aloo Sabji + Roti + Rice + Dal + Papad
29 <sup>th</sup> June	Saturday	Holiday
30 <sup>th</sup> June	Sunday	Holiday

\* Subject to change as per the availability of vegetables.