

SANSKRITI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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## NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**Dear Parents,  
Greetings and Namaste!**

The epilogue of our academic year is all about reflecting on the previous year and rejuvenating our energies. Oprah Winfrey has quoted likewise, "Year's end is neither an end nor a beginning but a going on, with all the wisdom that experience can instill in us."

As our academic year draws to a close, we have much to celebrate and many delightful memories. Firstly, I would like to acknowledge the effort of the entire school community working in collaboration this year. We have continued to learn without compromising on the standards in all situations whether it be distance learning or in-person school. The way we have adapted to various situations has proved our growth mindset which I am very proud of.

In Sanskriti, April marks the closing before the new beginning. With the academic year coming to an end, this month witnessed the successful completion of BLE and SEE. Other key events, such as Early Years Open Day and Graduation Ceremony as well as the Elementary Open Day Program were a huge success as well.

It was a pure delight to watch the exhibition, which was the final presentation by the middle school learners after their trip to India and also the presentation of their learning journey after their Dhampus- Poonhill-Pokhara trek. It was amazing to hear them talking about how the outdoor learning experience develops love, appreciation, and respect for nature, people, and places.

As we wind up the year, I would like to take this opportunity to wish our EY learners for stepping on to an exciting year in grade 1, Grade 5 graduates for a fond experience of IMYC in middle school, and our SEE batch for their choice of studies and future endeavours. I would also like to acknowledge staff who will be leaving Sanskriti at the end of the school year. I wish you the best of luck and thank you for the lasting impact you've had on the staff and students at Sanskriti International School.

Finally, I thank the entire school community once again for your continued support in an incredibly eventful year!

**Best Regards,**  
Timila Shrestha

## ► A Day Amidst the Flowers

"It's never too early to begin exploring the world".

-Anonymous

Learners of Early Years went on the trip on Friday, April 8, 2022, to Godawari Botanical Garden. They observed different types of plants and flowers. Learners were excited and curious to explore the natural beauty of the garden. They had lots of fun and shared their experiences of observing things in nature like butterflies, the sound of the birds, different colours of flowers, streams, national flowers, rocks, and many more. It was a fun-filled and fruitful trip for the learners.



## ► Successful completion of Basic Level Examination (BLE)

Learners of Grade 8 were occupied with their Basic Level Examination (BLE) which started on April 29, 2022 and ended on April 30, 2022. Learners were enthusiastic about their first Board examinations. Learners shared their experience of the Examination as it was a wonderful opportunity to display their time management skills, need for concentration, and orderliness.



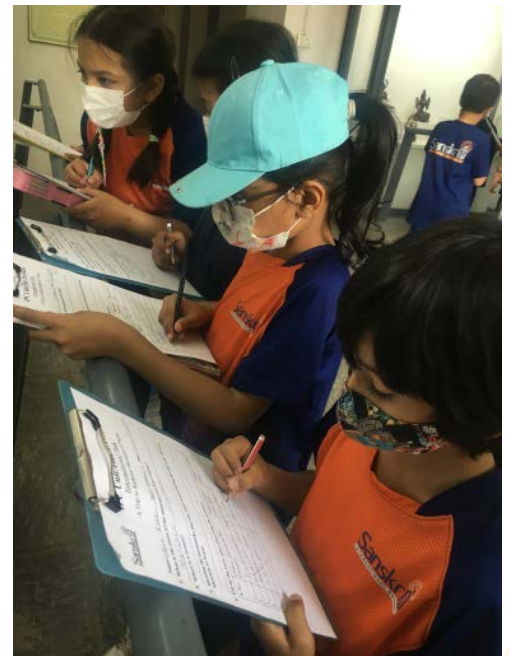
## ▶ Growing up has just begun, Happy Preschool Graduation!

Early Years learners celebrated their Open Day and Graduation Ceremony on Sunday, April 24, 2022. The theme for the event was "Collaboration" where learners, as well as the facilitators, worked collaboratively to make the program successful. The learners presented their learning and understanding in various ways through drama in both Nepali and English, song, dance, and hosting of the program. Parents were overwhelmed to observe the performance of their children. KG learners were extremely excited to graduate from Early Years and to step on their new learning journey toward the lower elementary. We wish them good luck in their future.



## ► Trip to the Museum

Learners of Grade 2 were excited to visit the National Museum of Nepal, Chhauni, Kathmandu on Thursday, April 7, 2022. They explored three buildings - Juddha Jayatia Kala Shala, Buddha Art Gallery, and the main building which consists of natural historical and cultural sections with thrill. This visit played an important role in their understanding of local and international archaeological works and development in both the History and International Tasks of the IPC Unit, 'Time Travellers'. The learners were captivated by various old artifacts exhibited in the Museum. Their curiosity was kindled by the attractive collection of species of animals, statues, historical artwork, sculptures, paintings, etc. They observed each item carefully, made sketches of relevant exhibits they found interesting, and also noted the names of the items and materials it is made from. This trip served to strengthen their knowledge and understanding of these topics.



## ► Night Camp at School

Our school organized a night camp for the learners of Grade 2 on April 1, 2022. With twinkling stars, clear skies, warm breeze, and classmates for company, the learners had the time of their life camping. The learners enjoyed their independence and time away from home as they were kept engaged with a variety of fun-filled and adventurous activities under the supervision of staff members.

Crocodile river, passing through Hula Hoop, running race, throwing balls and other immersive activities saw all the cherubs participate with cheerful enthusiasm. Laughter and giggles echoed through the corridors of the school as learners enjoyed the moments with their friends and teachers.

The highlight of the evening was the groovy and foot-tapping music played during the bonfire. The learners danced and swayed to the lively beats till late evening and it was indeed a task for the teachers to coerce them to leave the dance floor, followed by a singing battle between boys and girls which ended with watching a movie later. The scrumptious and delicious snacks provided at regular intervals were thoroughly relished by the learners.

The camp concluded on the morning of 2nd April with a refreshing breakfast. It was a memorable experience for all the kids and an event to cherish forever.



## ► Graduation Ceremony

Every learner's most special moment in Grade 5 is the Graduation ceremony. It is a special day for the learners to acknowledge their achievement and graduate from the Elementary to the Middle year school. Learners of Grade 5 gathered to celebrate and validate their Graduation Ceremony as they were adaptive, resilient, and practiced for their program to make it successful. They cooperated with their friends and teachers and performed well in the Open Day and Graduation ceremony. The learners reflected on their journey and shared their memories with everyone. They enthusiastically showcased their talents during the Graduation and Open Day program. It was wonderful to see their dedication and resilience during their preparation for the program. Songs, dances, poems, and their journey of elementary years were all shared beautifully during the program. Learners were superb during the program with their confidence and determination. We could see big smiles on the learners' faces and a proud moment for the teachers and parents. Congratulations to all the learners of Grade 5!

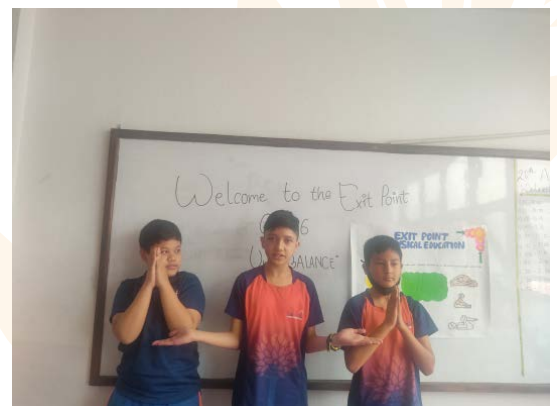


## ► Exit Point Celebration on the Theme “Balance”

“At the end of the day, we must go forward with hope and not backward by fear and division.”  
- Jesse Jackson

Exit Point is a beautiful way to celebrate our learners' understanding, as it enables them to delve into their interests and express themselves as individuals. It helps them to recall all their learnings, reminding them of all the connections made between the subjects. Our enthusiastic learners of Grade 6 reflected their understanding through their final Exit Point for the year, on the IMYC Unit “BALANCE” on April 20, 2022. They explained the major aspects of a balanced life which include emotional stability, higher intellectual stability, and a higher degree of social adjustment.

The learners executed the entire event marvelously, emphasizing the significance of balancing one’s school and personal life, as well as mental and physical health. They delivered their understanding of the Big Idea by sharing their thoughts on the topics like using the right amount of water, balancing the ecosystem, equations, and mixing the right amount of colours to create a new shade. They also elaborated on the topic “Balancing is the optimal form of leading a successful life”. Thus, the gracious exit of our learners helped them inculcate new thoughts, which will help them lead more balanced and healthy lives.





## ► India Exhibition

Learners of grades 6-7 held a very interesting exhibition on Golden Triangle India, on April 8, 2022, where the children displayed models and charts of places like Qutub Minar, Taj Mahal, Agra Fort, Hawa Mahal, Amber Fort, etc. It was surprising to see the various handmade models of such high standards. These exhibits were attractive and colourful as they had been prepared and designed exquisitely by the learners themselves under the guidance of their teachers. The students were enthusiastic about their work as each item was rendered carefully without the slightest trace of sloppiness. The learners also delivered information about the places displayed, to their parents who were invited to witness the exhibition. Furthermore, Grades 6 to 10 were also invited to participate in the displays presented by the learners.



## ► Shivapuri Camping for Grade 11

Learners of Grade 11 journeyed to Shivapuri National park as a part of their yearly adventurous journey. The 2 night three days trip was filled with action, fun, and team spirit from April 6-8, 2022. This exhilarating expedition took our learners to walk, scramble, swim, and bush hike through the forest, rivers, and plunge pools, for a journey of a lifetime.

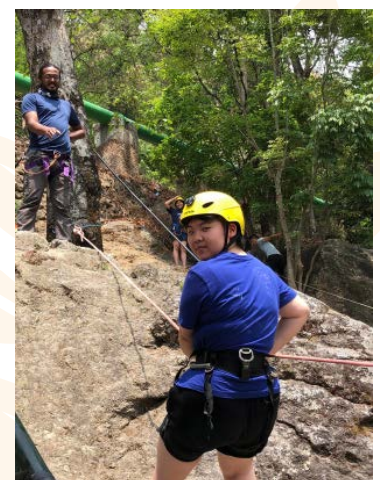
Day 1 started with an introduction to solid rock abseiling, where they were briefed on the rope works and safety measures. The activity began with vigorous 4 hours of training and then to waterfall canyoning in the afternoon where our learners started with a 50 m high abseil point with waterfalls through a narrow deep canyon.

Experienced and qualified guides led our learners making sure each section of the descent was navigated safely, whether it was descending a rockslide, or jumping into a pool. The learners had to master amazing abseiling points and cool jumps and slides with fun and teamwork! Definitely a fun canyon for sports classes & teachers!

On Day 2, our learners went on a 6-hours orienteering hike to the Shivapuri National Park. They started the hike from Sundarijal and from there had to hike and find their way on a route to Dab village with the help of a map. This provided them with an opportunity to learn and explore their communication skills with the locals to find their way.

The hardest part of the walk was hiking up the steep narrow path to the top of the hill. The students certainly learned the value of good orienteering, leadership, and teamwork. The students performed well and showed enthusiasm, stamina, and commitment to complete the hike. The most rewarding time was when all the learners reached Dab, the camping site for the night.

A big thank you to Scared Summits who helped our teachers supervise the adventurous journey trip.



## ▶ Elementary Open Day

“With ordinary talent and extraordinary perseverance, all things are attainable”  
- Thomas Foxwell Burton

Any day of the school year is a great day for a special event! Grade 1 to 5 learners of Elementary School successfully showcased their skills and talent at the newly launched school auditorium on Friday, April 15, 2022, and Saturday, April 16, 2022, with great spirit and ecstasy. Learners presented their skills in the form of songs, plays, dances, anchoring, and narration demonstrating their forte beyond books. To be able to speak from a stage is challenging for everyone and these commendable learners were seen announcing, performing, and delivering fantastic speeches on the stage so confidently.

Our talented learners of Grade 1 showed their outstanding skills on the stage by dancing beautifully, presenting their magnificent talent through their spectacular acting skills, and eventually singing amazingly. It was truly pleasing for our eyes to see our little ones perform excellently well. They were resilient, collaborative, adaptable, communicative, and respectful throughout the program. The learners too were super thrilled to show their amazing skills in front of their parents. It was such great happiness to see the parents enjoying seeing their children on the stage.





Learners of Grade 2 exhibited their skills through different forms of visual and performing arts such as dance, songs, and drama. Parents were delighted to see their children's performance on the stage with confidence after a long gap as they thoroughly enjoyed the practice time of each form of art regularly. They were resilient, collaborative, adaptable, communicative, and respectful throughout the program. The program helped learners to see what it is like to be backstage, for the first time. The excitement, the anticipation, learning to be quiet, getting into costume, how to sneak on stage, where to stand, how to be heard, what it feels like to have the light in your eyes and a huge audience in front of them – all of this was the most magical experience for them. Kudos to the learners as they put their heart and soul into their amazing performances!

Grade 3 learners displayed their skills through music, dance, and drama during the Open Day Program. They were resilient and displayed their unique strengths through their act. Each learner was enthusiastic and confident when they enacted their given role which was praiseworthy. Parents were all mesmerized by their resilience, effort, singing voices, and the skills they acquired.

Grade 4 learners performed with full enthusiasm and showcased their skills through dancing, singing, and acting. They stayed resilient during the practice and worked hard to make the Open day grand. Parents were emotional, happy, and gratified to see their children performing confidently after the pandemic. The learners were also excited to perform in front of their parents. The program went well and the hard work of the learners displayed the blissful colours of success.

# THANK YOU

and hope you enjoyed reading!



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