

Annual Report for the academic year 2024-25

'Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself.' **John Dewey:**

Good Evening to one and all present here!

It is with immense pleasure that I stand before you today to present the Annual Report, a reflection of the achievements and milestones that mark another remarkable year in the journey of our school. This report is not just a testament to the hard work and dedication of our students, teachers, and staff but also a celebration of the values and vision that guide us.

At the heart of this journey is the unwavering support of The Jnanagiri Educational Trust, whose steadfast commitment to holistic education continues to inspire and empower us. The trust's vision of nurturing young minds and shaping future leaders is deeply ingrained in everything we do, and it is through their guidance that we strive for excellence year after year.

An annual report serves as a comprehensive summary of a school's activities, achievements, and progress over the year. It allows the institution to highlight the efforts put into both academic and extracurricular development while fostering transparency and accountability. This report aims to reflect the milestones and events that shaped the year, helping all stakeholders stay informed about the school's growth and areas of improvement.

On behalf of The Millennium family I deem it as my honour to present the achievements for the year 2024-25.

We are pleased to report that all curricular and co-curricular programs were designed and implemented in alignment with the National Education Policy guidelines set by the CBSE Board.

The following is a brief overview of the key activities that marked each month of the academic year.

The academic session began on 1st June 2024, students adapting to full-day sessions and bridging learning gaps, our collective dedication and enthusiasm

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allowed us to overcome all the obstacles, quickly resuming the school's activities with vigor.

The school day begins with an inspiring morning assembly, where students showcase a variety of theme-based activities.

- On World Environment Day, the school organized a series of eco-friendly initiatives such as tree planting and awareness programs to educate students on environmental conservation.

Founder's Day was also celebrated with great enthusiasm, honouring the vision and dedication of the founders who laid the foundation of the school, with cultural performances and speeches by the students.

- The Parent Orientation session provided valuable insights into the school's curriculum, rules, and activities, strengthening the partnership between parents and teachers for student development.

- The school marked International Yoga Day by conducting a special yoga session for students and staff, emphasizing the importance of physical and mental health.

- The Student Council Election was conducted democratically, empowering students to vote and elect their peers who would represent the student body for the academic year.

- The Investiture Ceremony held as a part of Millennium Sammellana was a moment of great pride and significance, made even more special by the esteemed presence of Justice Santosh Hegde, former Lokayukta of Karnataka. His inspiring words resonated deeply with everyone present, highlighting the values of integrity, responsibility, and service.

- As the newly elected student council members took their oath, Justice Hegde's presence served as a powerful reminder of the importance of ethical leadership and accountability. His encouragement motivated our young leaders to embrace their roles with dedication and a commitment to making a positive difference in their school community and beyond.

- Father's Day was celebrated with special activities such as card-making and heartfelt messages from students, recognizing the invaluable contribution of fathers in their lives.

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- The festival of Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated with dances, drama, and singing, marking the birth of Lord Krishna and teaching students about Indian culture and traditions.
- The Best Class Awards are also presented to the class that demonstrates outstanding academic performance, discipline, and participation in school activities throughout the year.
- The students took the mid-term assessments very seriously, recognizing how important they were for identifying both their strengths and areas that needed improvement. During the Parent-Teacher Meeting, the feedback was shared with parents, offering valuable insights into each child's development and progress.
- Teachers' Day is a special occasion to honour and express gratitude to educators for their dedication and hard work in shaping the future of students. It was celebrated with various activities, including speeches, performances, and gifts, to show appreciation for teachers.
- 'No Bag day' is a fun initiative where students are encouraged to come to school without their regular school bags. This day focuses on engaging activities and learning experiences that don't require textbooks or heavy school materials.
- The Millennium Sammellana was a grand event that marked the beginning of key cultural and educational traditions, including Durga Puja, Ganesh Chaturthi celebrations, and the initiation of akshararambha for mid-term admissions. It brought together students, parents, and the community in a festive and spiritual atmosphere.
- Olympiad exams are highly competitive examinations that challenge students' knowledge and problem-solving skills in subjects like mathematics, science, and computer science. They not only offer students a chance to test their abilities, but also provide valuable exposure on an international level, allowing them to showcase their academic strengths to the world. Their involvement in the Olympiad not only highlighted their academic abilities but also provided them with valuable experiences and a broader perspective.
- Parent-Teacher Meetings are also conducted where parents and teachers came together to discuss students' progress, challenges, and overall development. It helped to strengthen the communication between home and school to ensure a supportive learning environment for the child.

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- On World Doctors Day, the school organized an event to honour healthcare professionals, with guest speakers from Nirmala Health Centre educating students on ways of maintaining good health in their day to day life.
- The CCA competitions offered students a chance to showcase their creativity, with competitions in jewellery making, story-telling, mehendi design, and greeting card creation etc.
- Special days like Tigers Day, Kargil Vijay Diwas, and World Nature Conservation Day, Constitution day to name a few were observed, with talks, presentations, and activities to raise awareness on these important themes in the morning assembly.
- Periodic assessments were conducted to evaluate the academic progress of students, allowing teachers to identify areas for improvement and offer targeted support.
- Nutrition Week and Water Bells were introduced to raise awareness about healthy eating habits and the importance of hydration. These initiatives aim to educate students on how to make good food choices and encourage regular water consumption to promote overall health and well-being.
- Students participated in various interschool competitions, at Sri Ramaiah Vidyanikethan school in Nudi Sambhrama and Hindi Diwas and gained recognition and accolades, while enhancing their skills in diverse areas like sports, art, and academics.
- The school organized an Annual comprehensive health check-up for all students, ensuring they are physically fit and addressing any health concerns early.
- Raksha Bandhan and Vrukshabandhan were celebrated with the exchange of rakhis among students and Pre Nursery students tied sacred threads around trees to express their love and gratitude for nature. It was a symbolic gesture to raise awareness about the importance of environmental conservation and the need to protect trees. promoting the spirit of siblinghood and cultural traditions.
- Independence Day was celebrated a great patriotic fervour with a flag hoisting ceremony held at Hoysala grounds, Yelahanka followed by cultural performances.

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- Kannada Rajyotsava is a celebration of the formation of the state and its rich cultural heritage. The event featured various performances, cultural programs, and activities that highlight the traditions and diversity of our Karnataka state.
- Children's Day is celebrated to honor the birth anniversary of Jawaharlal Nehru, emphasizing the importance of children in society. The day was filled with fun activities, games, and performances which aimed at bringing joy to students.
- Our teachers make it a point to stay updated by attending workshops regularly, ensuring they are always equipped with the latest teaching strategies and resources. These workshops are vital for their personal and professional growth, helping them stay inspired, refine their skills, and create a more engaging and effective learning environment for our students.
- Teachers participated in the Parak Sarvekshan (survey) duty as observers, ensuring the smooth conduct of the process. Their involvement in this responsibility demonstrates their commitment to contributing beyond the classroom for societal betterment.
- The Pre-Board exams for Grade X students were successfully conducted to help them prepare for their upcoming board exams. The school extends its heartfelt wishes to all students, hoping they perform exceptionally well and bring laurels to our institution with their hard work and dedication.

The School wishes them All the very Best in their future endeavours!

I would like to extend my heartfelt commendations to all members of the teaching faculty for their unwavering dedication and tireless efforts in upholding high academic standards, while also ensuring that learning is an enjoyable and enriching experience for our students. Through a thoughtful blend of curricular and co-curricular activities, they contribute to the holistic development of each child.

My sincere appreciation also goes to all the non-teaching staff, who work diligently behind the scenes to create a conducive, safe, and secure environment for learning.

A special thank you to our parents, whose unconditional support and cooperation help us advance the cause of education. Your partnership is invaluable to us.

I am truly fortunate to have a supportive Management. My deep gratitude goes to the members of the governing body of The Millennium School for their continuous encouragement and guidance, helping us stay on the right track as we nurture our young minds to become ambassadors of peace, love, and tolerance.

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Abdul Kalam once said 'Learning gives creativity, creativity leads to thinking, thinking provides knowledge, and knowledge makes you great'. At The Millennium School we strive to instill the right values in our students, alongside a pursuit of academic excellence, so they can become great individuals. Our aim is to prepare them to shoulder their responsibilities as worthy citizens on the world stage!

Thank you.

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