



Edition: 1  
1<sup>st</sup> June 2018 to  
15<sup>th</sup> June 2018

## OUR MOTTO

What you learn  
with Pleasure  
remains with  
you Forever!



**BOWL OF SPROUTS**  
*Had your dose of crunch today?*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Father's Day:**

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Toddler & Primary)

### **Field Trip:**

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Lower Elementary)  
Egmore Museum

(Upper Elementary)  
Kotturpuram Tree Park

### **Field Trip:**

Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Primary)  
Vegetable and Fruit Market

(Early Adolescence)  
Regional Meteorology Department

### **International Day of Yoga & Music**

Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018  
(Early Adolescence)

### **Observation Week**

Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2018 onwards  
(Lower Elementary)

# EVENTS & CELEBRATIONS

### **Orientation Program (All Environments)**

**Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2018**

We welcomed Parents (Old & New) to the Sprouts Family and introduced them to the philosophies and guidelines followed in School. It was an amazing arena to meet the Parent body and interact with them.

### **Parenting Workshop (Toddler)**

**Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> June 2018 to Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

Parenting Matters: Parenting with Empathy – Sprouts in collaboration with Parenting Matters conducted a 4 day program for our Toddler Parents, on effective strategies on parenting and preparing the parent and child for change and a smooth transition with empathy.

### **Ramzan Celebrations (Toddler / Primary)**

**Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018**

The Toddler & Primary Environment celebrated Ramzan in class. A simple talk about the significance of the festival and how it is celebrated was done in class during group activity with flash cards. Children were given dates at the end of the day!



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Health Camp

Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June 2018 &  
Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Primary)

Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Lower Elementary)

### Farm Visit

Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Early Adolescence)

### Open Day

Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
(Toddler, Primary & Elementary)

# EVENTS & CELEBRATIONS

## World Environment Day (Early Adolescence & Elementary) Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> June 2018

The Elementary and Early Adolescence Environments planted saplings of around 20 different varieties of organic vegetables and herbs for their own organic garden in their respective campuses. The planting was done under the supervision of Dr Vijayalakshmi and Ms Parimala from Sempulam Sustainable Solutions.

The Early Adolescence on this day also had an eye-opening session on disposal of plastic materials by Mr Radhakrishnan from Paterson Energy. This organization is an energy company, recycling plastic waste into high quality diesel. The School students collected plastic items from all the campuses over the span of a week and handed them over to Mr Sasidharan from Paterson Energy.



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## Toddler:

Alec Zane Namazi  
10<sup>th</sup> June 2015

## Primary:

Abdullah Tanveer Ali  
6<sup>th</sup> June 2012

AM Avyukth  
10<sup>th</sup> June 2013

Anirudh K Venusarang  
8<sup>th</sup> June 2015

Aarna Amar  
1<sup>st</sup> June 2015

Syed Ali  
8<sup>th</sup> June 2015

Samarth Iyer  
15<sup>th</sup> June 2015

Isha of Toddler 1 soothed Reeya her peer from class, while holding her hand and wiping her tears and showing her a few materials to work with, in the Environment. It definitely helped Reeya calm down and stop crying.

Pavanitha of Toddler 2, still in her settling down process, showed independence during Snack time by taking out her box and water bottle from her bag. She ate her snack, drank water and re-packed all her stuff carefully all on her own.

Seetha Aunty was showing children the various parts of a tree outside the classroom. Shiv Saraf of Toddler 1 doing a perfect imitation, gathered a set of children for himself and started the similar Group Activity, just like his aunty!

A tag system to use the rest-room and to drink water has been introduced in the Primary Environment this academic year. Students have internalised the intent behind the tag system and its usage. The tag system was introduced for children to understand the concept of “waiting for their turn”.

Sahaana Krishnan of Primary 3 used the tag even after School hours to drink water. This is one such example to show the internalization of the Tag system.



## Elementary

Arundhati Lakshmi Satish  
14<sup>th</sup> June 2009

Udhi Manoj  
1<sup>st</sup> June 2011

R Adhiban  
2<sup>nd</sup> June 2011

Jamila Murtuza Gandhi  
10<sup>th</sup> June 2011

Zayd Tameem Mohammed  
14<sup>th</sup> June 2011

Syed Mustafa  
4<sup>th</sup> June 2012

Anirudh of Primary 3 was seen using the cloth to wipe dry his Tiffin box and spoon after use. This concept has been introduced to him through the various activities in Exercise of Practical Life

One of the Sensorial Materials, the triangular box of Constructive Triangles was chosen by Jiya of Primary 1. Taking one glance at it, she came up to her aunty to share her discovery. One red triangle was missing. She had not even probed the layers of the other triangles in the box before arriving at this verdict. The adult was pretty sure that it would have slipped beneath, and checked by taking out each triangle. Yes! Jiya was right. The Aunty was taken aback at how she had gauged the missing triangle using her visual sense. It was found to be lying in the adjacent hexagonal box.

The first week post summer break is referred to as “settling week”; however, our children came happily to school like there had been no break at all. The new children also settled in quite quickly and easily. This definitely was a Eureka moment for the Primary Environment as a whole!



# TEACHER'S VIEW

## Surprising Session!

Early Adolescence students have a weekly class on Creative Thinking; focus being to think beyond boundaries!

Students had to respond to questions based on themselves and present their observations to the group.

The transparency of observations was touching, validation of them by the group was refreshing, being expected to participate too is.....*daunting!!!*

**Sujatha Jaishankar- Creative Director**

# CHILD'S WORK

Aimee Chrislda Christy Raja  
Early Adolescence



Fatema Gandhi &  
Arundhati Satish  
Elementary



Hussain Mustafa Mamoowala  
Early Adolescence



Primary



Toddler



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# DID YOU KNOW THIS ABOUT SMITA AUNTY???

Having one child makes you a parent. Having two makes you a referee!

Has anyone ever noticed that parenting is more like an exercise in crisis management?

She is a very adventurous person who loves to travel & enjoys experimenting with many things including music & food. She enjoys cooking Continental Cuisine and her master chef dish is the 3 layered Continental Bake! She was a nerd in School and enjoyed any activity or exercise pertaining to Math and Sanskrit Subjects...!!

No wonder she holds a degree in Math and Economics!! Smita aunty would rather do 10 push ups and changes her exercise routine every 6 months than bury her tooth in yummy delicacies.

Being the true adventurer & risk taker that she is, she mastered Cycling two years back and has progressed to learning the 2 - Wheeler recently!

She also enjoys being in the company of her Friends and Family and she is her chilling best when she is relaxing in her Tracks and Tees!!



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