

# ANNUAL REPORT 2020 – 21

Greenfield Public School is the brain child of our illustrious Chairman Mr. Kudroli who has over 47 years of experience in the field of education. Over the years and under his guidance our group of institutions have grown into establishments of great repute and academic excellence. Our Vice Chairman Mr. A Kudroli is dynamic and futuristic in his vision of education and well ingrained with the values and principles that he has emulated our dear Chairman.

Above all else, Greenfield is about children and young people, their learning, their needs and being there for them when they are challenged. We are about the whole child. We are a school which is child centered. And so, all our effort, our work and our endeavours revolve around the achievement of each student's potential, academically, socially and emotionally. We have the highest expectations for each young person in our care and, as such, it is our responsibility to do our utmost to ensure that that is exactly what each of them realizes.

We therefore work very hard to ensure that our school is a safe and happy space for each child. This is so important because the happy child is the child who learns and succeeds best.

The Early Childhood section at Greenfield provides a nurturing and stimulating environment that is perfect for young minds to feel comfortable to explore, ask questions and develop love for learning. Children learn while they play and have fun. We have focused on developing reading skills through phonics in our children and we are pleased to report we have been very successful and our tiny tots have developed a love for reading.

We are very happy to share that we have received our CBSE Affiliation with Affiliation Number: 831107. We were granted affiliation after a meticulous and detailed inspection process conducted by an Inspecting Committee constituted by the Central Board of Secondary Education – New Delhi, in November 2020.

We commenced our new school year in May 2020 with online classes using Microsoft Teams platform. For this teachers went through rigorous training from the first week of May. We formulated detailed guidelines for students and teachers to be followed during online classes. Timings and timetable was modified in compliance to instructions given to schools by Government of Karnataka.

We are proud to announce that we are now a Microsoft Carte Blanc School.

Our curriculum was modified to make online learning meaningful, enriching and achievable. We have been focusing on consolidating numeracy and literacy skills in the lower elementary levels. All teachers are encouraged, guided and supported in all ways possible to ensure they are delivering with greater ease activity based lessons. We also focused on Music, Dance, Physical Fitness and 2-D Visual Art with recorded sessions for students in these areas. Computer lessons were also conducted using the online platform.

We were able to complete 60% of the academic portions on the online platform at its very least.

Assessments were conducted as per our school calendar schedule with MCQ type of questions for students in Grade 1 through 5 and regular Question Paper format with long and short answers for learners from Grade 6 through 8. E Progress Cards were also shared with parents.

Parent Teacher Interaction was conducted online after every periodic assessment. We had four such interactions with parents.

Activities conducted in the academic year 2020 - 21:

### **KINDERGARTEN**

**Family Day** (31.7.20): Family Day was celebrated as culmination of the theme “Family” where each child spoke about their favourite member in the family.

**Independence Day** (15.8.20): Children were dressed up in flag colours. They drew and coloured the National Flag in the interactive session conducted by the teacher.

**Red Day (6.10.20):** Children were dressed up in red colour. Teacher guided them to make a red colour bird using red shaped cut outs.

**Plant growing activity (December 2020):** Children planted seeds and watched the process of germination day after and hence understood the concept of germination along with parts of the plant.

**Fireless Cooking (22.12.20):** As a prelude to Christmas holidays children were dressed up in the season colour - red and green. They enjoyed making cake pops following the guidance of the teacher.

**Talents' Week (January 2021):** There were 3 categories provided to children to showcase their talents – Music, Dance and Show and Tell. Children enthusiastically took part and performed in the class. Each participant was then given Participation Certificate as a token of appreciation.

**Community Helper's Day (26.2.21):** Children dressed up as a community helper and spoke few sentences about the helper he or she was dressed up as.

### **GRADE 1 TO GRADE 10**

**A) INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS (August 15<sup>th</sup>):** During 2020 – 21, our School ensured that the fervour of patriotism lives on and shifted the Celebrations online and students were shared the LINKS through which, they can celebrate virtually.

**B) TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS (Sept 5<sup>th</sup>):** Teachers provide the power of education to today's youth, thereby giving them the possibility for a better future. Teacher's Day was virtually celebrated through a "Recorded Video" that had many noteworthy performances by our students, in the form of Dance, Singing, Poetry and Drama especially created in the honour of Teachers, which had a mesmerising appeal.

**C) KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS (Nov 1<sup>st</sup>):** A "LINK" was shared with all our students that shared a variety of programmes that were designed to give a detailed information about the Golden Heritage of our State and feel proud to be a part of Karnataka.

**D) CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS (Nov 14<sup>th</sup>):** A "TWO DAY "Virtual Event was organised to mark the Birthday of Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru. Students and Teachers

celebrated Children's Day with a variety from Dance to Plays, and the activities were live-streamed by Teachers for students.

E) **TALENTS WEEK:** "TALENTS WEEK" is an eventful occasion. GPS celebrated it by allowing all students to exhibit their special interest in dance, singing, acting or any other area. Talent's Day was celebrated for an entire week and that is what makes it special as it provides a great experience to be lived with.

### **PROSPECTIVE PLAN FOR 2021-2022**

We will continue with online classes using Microsoft TEAMS until such time as we are able to reopen school for off line classes. Keeping in mind request from most parents we will be increasing the duration of online teaching classes and the duration of the school day. All teachers will complete a minimum of 80% of the prescribed text book.

In this pandemic situation we are encouraging teachers to have their students to participate in Virtual Field Trips that are happening around the world. We will continue to celebrate all days of importance via the virtual platform. All CCE activities are now happening live and online. We are delighted to announce that we are now an incubator Microsoft Showcase School.

I would like to dedicate whatever we could achieve, to our beloved students, committed team of teachers, other staff and valued parents of Greenfield Public School. I thank our management team for their wholehearted encouragement and continued support.