



SNEH Pre-School

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About SNEH Foundation:

SNEH Foundation is a registered NGO under Bombay Public Trust Act of 1950. SNEH Foundation was founded with a vision to provide equal means and opportunities of education to the underprivileged children of our nation, spreading awareness pertinent to health issues and making the underprivileged families cognizant of a nutritious meal.

About SNEH Pre-School:

SNEH Pre-school was established on January 26th, 2013 with the objective of providing education to the underprivileged kids. Currently, we have around 55 kids in two standards Nursery and Jr. KG and a dedicated full-time teacher and assistant teacher to teach them.

Vision:

The school has been set up with an objective to spread education and to shape the future of our country. Our vision is to provide quality education, better health and nutrition to underprivileged kids.

Mission:

Our vision is to reach out to the children for whom education is only a dream and to provide quality childcare and education in a safe environment.

SNEH Pre-School in a nut shell

Key points

- Around 150 kids combined in three classes Nursery/JKG/SKG
- Staff of 4 teachers and 3 assistants to support the initiative.
- 30% fees is paid by the parents and 70% is sponsored by SNEH's change makers.
- School works on a Sponsorship model where every kid's education is partially sponsored by a well wisher.

Unique Aspects

- Activity based learning using smart tools
- Rigorous Screening process to identify most eligible(needy) kids
- Visit by SNEH volunteers every Saturday to monitor progress.
- Regular health checkups for all students.
- Admission is free for families who cannot afford the fees.

Sustainability Aspects

- Parents' counselling session to
- Groom kids at home as well.
- Prepare parents to be knowledgeable enough to check the assignments from kids.
- Counselling of parents for outgoing kids on RTE.
- Focused attention for tie up with schools for RTE admissions.

Branch - RAINBOW

June Month:

Activities:

1. Nursery:

- Drawing shapes and coloring them using sponge and paint.

2. Jr. KG:

- Paper Boat making: children made origami boats.

3. Sr. KG:

- Drawing shapes and filling them using different patterns.
- Card Making.

Celebrations:

1. Father's Day 17/06/2017

Background: A day that is celebrated to thank and honor fathers.

Purpose: To encourage the students to thank their fathers and recognize the things they do for them and make gifts for them.

Activity: Students made and decorated 'Thankyou cards' for their fathers.



2. International Yoga Day 21/06/2017

Background: A day dedicated to practice Yoga for spiritual, mental and physical well-being.

Purpose: To show students the importance of Yoga and to teach them basic asanas and breathing practice.

Activity: Students were told what Yoga is and everyone did some basic asanas and breathing exercises.



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July Month:

Activities:

1. Nursery:

- Painting using lady's fingers as stamps and paint

2. Jr. KG:

- Finger Painting: Painting using paints and handprints

3. Sr. KG:

- Green vegetables and leaves: Drawing of healthy vegetables and explaining their importance.
- Palkhi making activity: Students made a palkhi on Ashadhi Ekadashi to celebrate the Pandharpur Waari Yatra.
- English poem recitation competition.

4. All classes:

- Card making activity for Guru - "Aai" (mother).

Celebrations:

1. Ashadhi Ekadashi 4/07/2017

Background: This day marks the end of the Pandharpur Palkhi Yatra, and many people from the community participate in this procession.

Purpose: To make the students aware about their own culture and the inspiration/story behind the Palkhi procession.

Activity: The students wore traditional dresses and a Palkhi procession was done by the students in the neighboring areas.

2. Guru Purnima 10/07/2017

Background: A day for thanking and showing respect to Gurus - all teachers and guides.

Purpose: To make students realise the importance of teachers in their life and show gratitude towards them.

Activity: Students made cards for their teachers and expressed their gratitude.

3. Protein Day & Green Colour Day 29/07/2017

Background:

- This day was chosen to educate parents about the importance of proteins in the diet.
- To familiarise students with the colour green.



Palkhi making



Purpose:

- To create awareness among parents about the function of proteins in growing children, the various sources of proteins that must be included in the diet.
- To help students identify the colour green.

Activity:

- Discussion session for parents.
- Students wore green dresses to school, made crafts with green paper.

**4. GIIS Visit (Global Indian International school)**

Background: Students from GIIS school visited the preschool.

Purpose: To increase interaction of the preschool students and students from other schools.

Activity: Games and several interactions based activities were conducted.



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August Month:

Activities:

1. Jr. KG:

- Rakhi making activity: Students made rakes in class using different craft materials.
- Making pumpkin using Dal.

2. Sr. KG:

- Hot air balloon decoration: students decorated a hot air balloon with stars, ribbons, sequins etc.
- Rakhi making activity: Students made rakes in class using different craft materials.
- Hindi recitation competition.

3. All classes:

- Ganapati Drawing.

Celebrations:

1. Raksha Bandhan & Orange color day 08/08/2017

Background:

- A day to celebrate siblings and the importance of bond between brothers and sisters.
- A day to familiarize students with orange color.

Purpose:

- To encourage students to thank their siblings and create a feeling of fraternity among the students.
- To help students identify the orange color.

Activity:

- The students bought various materials and made rakhis on their own, which they tied to their siblings and to classmates.
- Students wore orange dresses to school.
- Made crafts with orange paper.

2. Independence Day 15/08/2017

Background: The day India achieved independence from British rule.

Purpose:

- To make students aware about the history of our country, the freedom struggle, various freedom fighters.
- To install a sense of patriotism in them.



Activity:

- Gathering with flag hoisting, patriotic songs and dance was organized.
- Students dressed up as different Freedom Fighters.



3. Janmashtami 14/08/2017

Background: A day to mark the birthday of Lord Krishna.

Purpose: To familiarize students with the legend of Lord Krishna.

Activity:

- Students came dressed as Radha/Krishna.
- Dahi Handi was organized outside the preschool.

Some more pictures:



September Month:

Activities:

1. Nursery

- Kite making: Students decorated kites using coloured paper bits.
- Blue coloured fish using paper balls.

2. All classes:

- Scenery making.
- Community helper (Sticker sticking).
- Drawing competition and prize distribution by DATRI on World Marrow Donor Day.
- Class group photograph.



Celebrations:

1. Teachers' Day

Background: A day to express gratitude and recognize the role of teachers.

Purpose: To give an occasion to the parents and students to express thanks to the teachers

Activity:

1. Students made cards for the teachers, parents shared their experience with the preschool and conveyed their gratitude to the teachers.
2. A cake was cut as a part of the celebration



2. Badri Eid & Blue colour day

Background:

- The day that remembers the sacrifices made by Ibrahim and his obedience and devotion.
- A day to familiarize students with the blue color.

Purpose:

- To make the students aware about the significance of Eid and how it is celebrated.
- To help students identify the blue color.

Activity:

- The students were shown how Eid is celebrated, the traditional dresses worn, the practice of 'Eid Mubarak' and the dishes prepared.
- Students wore blue dresses to school, made crafts with blue paper



3. World Marrow Donor Day

Background: A day to create awareness and thank Blood Stem Cell Donors all around the world.

Purpose: To create awareness among the parents about the importance of blood and marrow donation.

Activity: Parents were given information about blood and marrow donation and how they can make a contribution.

4. Class Group photo

A class photograph was taken with all the students and teachers for the report card.



Some more pictures:



October Month:

Activities:

1. **Sr. KG:**
 - Lantern making activity: Students made and decorated aakash kandils for Diwali.
2. **All classes:**
 - Elephant drawing & coloring
 - Making arts and crafts using black paper.

Celebrations:



1. Gandhi Jayanti (Swachhata Abhiyan Diwas)

Background:

- The birthday of Mahatma Gandhi.
- On this day cleanliness drives are conducted to recognize 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' and the devotion of Gandhiji towards cleanliness.

Purpose: To make the students proactive and motivated towards keeping their home, school and surroundings clean and hygienic.

Activity: Cleanliness drives were conducted by the students and teachers in the areas around the school.



2. Diwali Party

Background: The festival of lights and victory of good over evil.

Purpose: To show students how to celebrate Diwali in an eco-friendly way.

Activity:

- The students prepared and decorated lanterns.
- There was a small celebration party with music, games and snacks



3. Black colour day

Background: A day to familiarise students with the black color.

Purpose: To help students identify the black color.

Activity: Students wore black dresses to school, made crafts with black paper.

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November Month:

Activities:

1. Sr. KG:

- Gold fish drawing and coloring.
- Flash card making: Students made flash cards for words with long vowel sounds and played games using them.
- Visit to real home: Showed the students different rooms in a house and their purpose.
- Story telling (The Silly Goat).
- Yellow Color Food Week: Parents sent nutritious food that is yellow in color.



2. All classes:

- Short movie session on Guru Nanak Jayanti.
- Exhibition (2/11/2017)

Celebrations:

1. Guru Nanak Jayanti

Background: The birthday of the first Sikh Guru, Guru Nanak ji.

Purpose: To familiarize students with the traditions and beliefs of Sikh religion.

Activity: A short movie was shown to the students about the Sikh religion and they were given information about the various traditions associated with Guru Nanak Gurburab.



2. Health checkup

Background:

- SNEH preschool focuses not only on children's education but also on their health-related development.
- Every year, all the students are given a free medical check up facility at the preschool itself and in case of further treatment.
- the students are referred to respective doctors.

Activity: Regular health check-up of all students by Dr Pramila Pansare.



3. Vegetable Market

Background: A mock vegetable market was set up and the



students bought and sold vegetables

Purpose: To teach students about different vegetables and also about how the marketplace works

Activity: Some students dressed up as shopkeepers and vendors and sold the vegetables, while others were given token money and told to buy vegetables from the shop



4. Children's Day celebration

Background: The birthday of Jawaharlal Nehru that is celebrated to spread awareness about children's education and rights

Purpose:

- To celebrate childhood.
- To explain to students their importance in contributing to the nation.

Activity:

- Outdoor games were organised.
- Various kits were prepared by the students and presented to the parents.



Some more pictures:



Branch - RED

June Month:

Activities:

1. Nursery:

- Drawing and coloring pictures of animals.
Counting games with the help of ice-cream cups.

2. Jr. KG:

- Drawing and coloring cartoons and fruits.
Counting activity games with the help of toys.



Celebrations:

1. Father's Day 19/06/2017

Background: A day that is celebrated to thank and honor fathers.

Purpose: To encourage the students to thank their fathers and recognize the things they for them and make gifts for them.

Activity: Story telling related to parents.



July Month

Activities:

1. Nursery:

- Coloring pictures, Pictorial match the pairs and Letter identification.

2. Jr. KG:

- Shapes cutting, match the pair (letters and pictures) and Number counting games.

Celebrations:

1. Guru Purnima 10/07/2017



Background: A day for thanking and showing respect to Gurus - all teachers and guides.

Purpose: To make students realise the importance of teachers in their life and show gratitude towards them.

Activity: Students made cards for their teachers and expressed their gratitude.



August Month

Activities:

1. All classes:

- Rakhi making activity: Students made rakhis in class using different craft materials
- Jumping games for number identification and Flag Drawing.



Celebrations:

1. Raksha Bandhan 13/08/2017

Background:

- A day to celebrate siblings and the importance of bond between brothers and sisters.
- A day to familiarize students with orange color.

Purpose:

- To encourage students to thank their siblings and create a feeling of fraternity among the students.
- To help students identify the orange color.

Activity:

- The students were provided with various materials out of which they made rakhis on their own, which they tied to their siblings and to classmates.



2. Independence Day 15/08/2017



Background: The day India achieved independence from British rule.

Purpose:

- To make students aware about the history of our country, the freedom struggle, various freedom fighters.
- To install a sense of patriotism in them.

Activity:

- Flag hoisting, singing patriotic songs and a dance performance was organized.



3. Janmashtami 14/08/2017

Background: A day to mark the birthday of Lord Krishna.

Purpose: To familiarize students with the legend of Lord Krishna.

Activity:

- Students came dressed as Radha/Krishna and 'Dahi Handi' celebration was organized outside the preschool.



4. Medical check-up by Dr Pramila Pansare

Purpose:

- SNEH preschool not only focuses on early education of children but also health and nutrition that is important for holistic development.
- Keeping this in mind, we had arranged health check-up for all the students for tracking health cases if any.
- Those students identified with minor health issues, were then referred to and followed up to ensure wellbeing of them.

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Septmeber Month

Activities:

1. All classes:

- Numbering activities using paper balls.
- Community helper.
- Drawing competition and prize distribution.
- Class group photograph

Celebrations:

1. Teachers' Day (5/9/17)

Background: A day to express gratitude and recognize the role of teachers.

Purpose: To give an occasion to the parents and students to express thanks to their teachers.

Activity:

- Students made cards for the teachers, parents shared their experience with the preschool and conveyed their gratitude to the teachers.
- A cake was cut as a part of the celebration.

2. White Day- (27/9/17)

Purpose: Identification of white colour

Activity: Introduction to objects with white colour

3. Class Group photo

A class photograph was taken with all the students and teachers for the report card



Some more pictures



October Month

Activities:

1. All classes:

- Drawing & coloring the pictures of trees.
- Making arts and crafts using color balls.
- Clapping games for counting.

Celebrations:

1. Diwali Party (14/10/17)

Background: The festival of lights and victory of good over evil.

Purpose: To show students how to celebrate Diwali in an eco-friendly way.

Activity:

- The students prepared and decorated lanterns.
- There was a small celebration party with music, games and snacks.



November Month

Activities:

1. All classes:

- Coloring the pictures of Fish.
- Storytelling session on Guru Nanak Jayanti.
- Exhibition (House theme) (2/11/2017).

Celebrations:

1. Guru Nanak Jayanti

Background: The birthday of the first Sikh Guru, Guru Nanak ji.

Purpose: To familiarize students with the traditions and beliefs of Sikh religion.

Activity: storytelling.

2. Red Day

Purpose: easy to identify color and easy to identify red things.



Activities: Match the pair games with the help of red vegetables and fruits.

3. Children's Day celebration (14/11/17)

Background:

- The birthday of Jawaharlal Nehru that is celebrated to spread awareness about children's education and rights.

Purpose:

- To celebrate childhood and to explain the students Chacha Nehru's importance in contributing to the nation.

Activity:

- Outdoor games were organized.
- Various skits were prepared by the students and Presented to the parents.



Some more pictures:



!! Come, be a part of change !!

SNEH Foundation thanks you all for your contribution and your

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