



## From the Principal's Desk

### We, the warriors against Covid-19

*The digits of the Year 2020 are fancy, and yet, a large majority of people have been staying inside their homes all around the world. Most of us keep winning against this War on Corona. We can proudly say that we are the part of this generation and this winning shield will shine forever. The "Year 2020" will probably be etched in history. Yes, as winners of this historic year, we have got opportunities to learn many things irrespective of our age.*

*Our classrooms have moved into the electronic gadgets and mutual learning is taking place at either end. In many places, usage of electronic devices is taught by children to teachers while the concepts are being taught by the teachers. Students are happy to have their school within the gadgets. Until last year, schools said no to gadgets but now, most of the students have realised the right usage of these gadgets.*

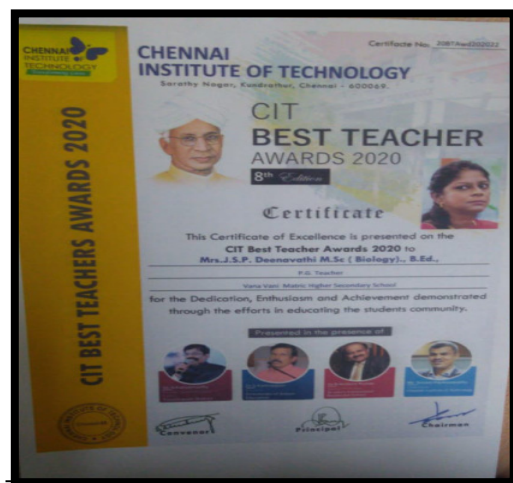
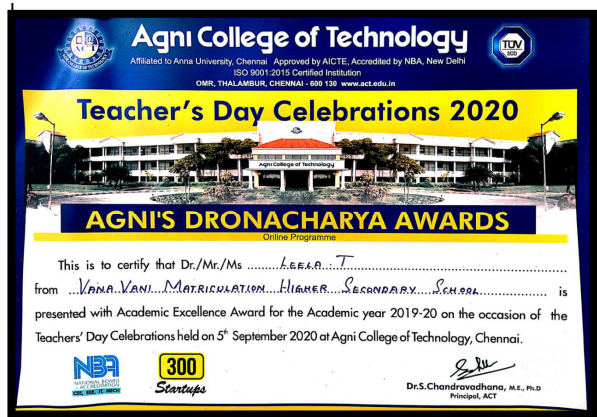
*Parents have donned the role of invigilators, supervisors and counsellors. Children have learnt to spend their valuable time in taking up new initiatives towards self-learning on their area of interest like music, drawing, learning other languages, crafting, designing best out of waste, teaching of poor children, acting, reading up on current affairs etc.,*

*Even Though our teachers' hearts are open to children and connect their feelings from long distances, we all need to wait for school to reopen for children to feel very much better.*

*-Mr.Sathish Kumar ( Principal)*

## Teachers Felicitated

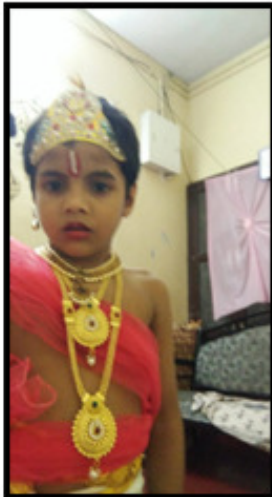
- Mrs. Leela Sampath received AGNI's DRONACHARYA AWARDS - Academic Excellence award for the academic year 2019-2020 on September 5, 2020.
- Mrs. Deenavathi J.S. P was awarded CIT - Teacher award on September 12, 2020 on a digital platform.



## KINDERGARTEN

Academic year 2020 started with online classes for UKG from June 17 to July 31. From August 3 onwards offline videos were posted on Neverskip and guided the parents as suggested by the Government of Tamil Nadu on September 7<sup>th</sup> a programme on National Deworming Day was conducted by Dr.Ganesh Kumar. Virtual PTM was held on September 12. From the month of October, LKG classes began virtually.

Nursery children dressed as Lord Krishna and celebrated Krishna Jayanthi at their homes. A few students on Independence day dressed up as Mahatma Gandhi in remembrance of the father of our nation.

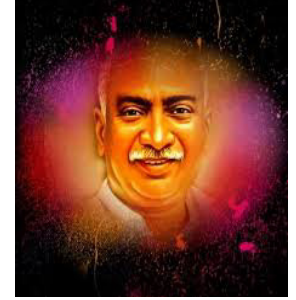




## CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS

**Founder's day** (July 8 ,2020) marked the beginning of virtual celebrations . **The chief guest** of the day **Mrs. Bhuvaneshwari Raman, Lead Academic Strategist and Master Teacher Trainer**, motivated the students through her wonderful speech. Our Chairman Prof. Arun K Tangirala in his address focused on three aspects of values that make up an individual **-PRACTICE, INSTILL & TRANSFORM**. Our Secretary –cum- Treasurer Shri.P.Sarvaharana in his message to the students stressed on **BEING CONFIDENT, NURTURING A GOOD CHARACTER & DEVELOPING A GOD-FEARING ATTITUDE**)

கல்வி வளர்ச்சி நான் மற்றும் காமராசர் பிறந்தநாளான ஜூலை 15, 2020 அன்று நம் பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் இறைவாழ்த்துடன் நிகழ்ச்சியைத் தொடங்கினர். அதன் தொடர்ச்சியாக காமராசர் பற்றிய பொன்மொழிகளை ஜென்சிலின் ஜோசப் (5-C) வழங்கினார். பிறகு, மாறுவேட போட்டியில் காமராசரைப் போல் வேடமிட்டு சாய் சஹஸர்ஜித் (8-B) காமராஜர் பற்றி உரையாற்றினார். கவியரசு (8-B) காமராசரைப் போல் வேடமிட்டு நடித்துக் காட்டினார். அபிநயா (6-A) காமராசரை ஒவியமாக வரைந்து அனைவரையும் மகிழ்வித்தார். சதிஷ்குமார் (12-C) கவிதையின் மூலம் நிகழ்ச்சியை மேலும் மெருகூட்டினார். நாட்டுப்பண்ணுடன் நிகழ்ச்சி இனிதே நிறைவடைந்தது.



The **74th Independence Day** was celebrated on August 15,2020 amidst COVID-19 pandemic following all the current protocols. The chief guest of the day, our Secretary-cum-treasurer Shri .P.Sarvaharana hoisted the flag and addressed the gathering. He spoke about character building of the students and the role of teachers in instilling moral values. Our Principal Mr. M. Sathish Kumar also addressed the gathering. He administered the 'Sadbhavana' pledge in connection with the 'Sadbhavana Diwas' ,celebrated on 20th August every year, commemorating the birth anniversary of the former Prime Minister ,Shri Rajiv Gandhi .



### Parent-Teacher Meetings:

Virtual PTM was held on the following dates for classes 1 to XII.

The virtual meetings started with a power point presentation by the respective class teachers and the Principal addressed the queries of the parents. One to one meetings were also conducted by Primary, Middle and High school class teachers to get a feedback on online classes.

DATE	CLASSES
18.7.20	XII
25.7.20	IX
25.7.20	X
8.8.20	VI,VII,VIII
29.8.20	III to V
12.9.20	I & II
3.10.20	XI

## Marklist distribution of Std XII

On 14th October 2020, the final mark sheets of Std XI and XII were distributed to the students of class XII along with a jute folder containing a personal message to the child from the class teacher. The jute folder is the memento presented by the students of class XI (2019-2020) as part of the farewell function 'ALOHA 2020' which was due to be held after the board exam and did not take place due to the lockdown. We wish all our std. XII students a bright future.!





# RTE- ADMISSIONS

Selection of students through lottery system for 25 percent seats under the Right to Education Act was carried out at Vana Vani M S School on October 1, 2020, in the presence of officials from the education department and parents . The school received more than 145 applications for 30 seats.

**SELECTION PROCESS FOR CLASS 1 AND UNDER**

S.No	APPLICANT NAME	S.No	APPLICANT NAME	S.No	APPLICANT NAME
1	10118715	S. CHITRA	16	10118715	S. CHITRA
2	3436071	K.R. SATHISHAN	17	4933873	R. KRUTHIKA
3	4221811	E. K. R. SATHISHAN	18	3762449	R. KRUTHIKA
4	1714236	D. K. SATHISHAN	19	1561874	E. K. SATHISHAN
5	3762449	D. K. SATHISHAN	20	4481273	R. K. SATHISHAN
6	10118715	D. K. SATHISHAN	21	2602743	R. K. SATHISHAN
7	10118715	D. K. SATHISHAN	22	2410111	R. K. SATHISHAN
8	10118715	D. K. SATHISHAN	23	4933873	R. K. SATHISHAN
9	10118715	D. K. SATHISHAN	24	4933873	R. K. SATHISHAN
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## WORKSHOPS ATTENDED BY TEACHERS

Dr. Mrs.Reji Monson PGT-Chemistry attended a 3 dayonline Faculty Development Program ( April 30, 2020– May 2, 2020 ) organized by Mumbai University, BMM department of Lala Lajpatrai College of Commerce & Economics & North Storm Academy in the month of May 2020.(Starting )

Mrs. Vijaya Abhirami of High School, attended an online coaching programme on “**Skill Development on Problem Solving using Python**” conducted by School Education Department ,Government of Tamilnadu for a period of 15 days from May 7 to May 21,2020. She also attended an online workshop on HTML and CSS from July 5 to July 7,2020.

Universal Teachers Academy conducted an Online certification workshop on Animation from May 14 to May 18,2020. This was attended by Mrs. M.N. Laila Banu of the Nursery Section, Mrs. Geetha Sukumar & Ms. J.S. Vijayalakshmi of Primary Section and Dr. Mrs. Reji Monson, Mrs. Sathya. R , Mrs. Sasikala .V & Mrs. Indu.K.M of High School .

Mrs. Indu.K.M of High School, attended a 5 day online Faculty Development Program on ‘Evolution from Offline to Online Teaching’ organized by SDP College Thane in association with Dept. Of Information and Technology, University of Mumbai and Microsoft , from May 30, 2020 to June 3, 2020 .

Many teachers from Primary , Middle and High school attended a 3day Short Term course for school teachers on “ONLINE CLASSROOMS - Open Resource Tools” from June 26 to June 28 conducted by Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, St.Joseph ‘s College of Engineering.

Information regarding online registration for SOF and Silver Zone Olympiads were given to parents in the month of August.

**MRS. M. VIJAYALAKSHMI** of middle school attended the Orient BlackSwan ONE online event ‘Teaching Mathematics Online: Strategies for classes 5 to 8 ’ by Swati Sircar held on Aug 7, 2020.

Mrs. Deepa Fredrick of High School, attended online Educational Leadership Program ( Second Module) organised by Sundaram Educational Trust SOL New Delhi from Aug 28 to Sept 9, 2020.

Primary teachers attended a 6 module Classklap Teacher Training session conducted by IMAX by Classklap.

3.9.2020	Demo of Classklap Learning App
10.9.2020	Various tools for online classes
15.9.2020	Assessment @ distance
16.9.2020	How to start online class on desired platform using classklap App
19.9.2020	Remedial plan
20.9.2020	Phonics

On September 8,2020, Mrs. J.S.Vijayalakshmi attended Continuous Professional Development programme on “Competency Based Education” conducted by competency systems.

On September 15 and 16,Mrs. Srilatha and Mrs. Vanitha Bagyalakshmi attended an online workshop on “Reinventing Science” conducted by Scholastic India.

On September 17 and 18, Mrs. Kayal Vizhi Pappa and Mrs. Uma Maheswari attended a webinar on “It All Adds Up:Online Maths classes made simple” conducted by Scholastic India.

**Shaastra Upskill and Teaching – Learning Centre (TLC)IIT Madras**, conducted two day online Teacher Training Workshop by a panel of professors of IITM on September 19 and 20. Mrs.Geeta Sukumar and Mrs.Indu K.M were part of the Panel. The topics presented by them were Content Preparation , Content Delivery and Assessment.



All the teachers of High school attended a professional development workshop on September 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> conducted by TLC –IIT Madras on ONLINE TEACHING.

On September 22,2020 Mrs. Metilda of High School ,attended a webinar on Finance Literacy Programme conducted by Ministry of Finance, Government of India.

A workshop on Innovative Teaching Methodology and Time management” was conducted by Ms.Veena Raizada ,Academic advisor of Auriga Foundation, Director Academics ,Next Education Pvt. Ltd. on October 14 , 2020. It was an educational and interactive session which emphasized on engaging the students in an online classroom. The workshop was attended by all the teachers, Principal and the Vice Principal.

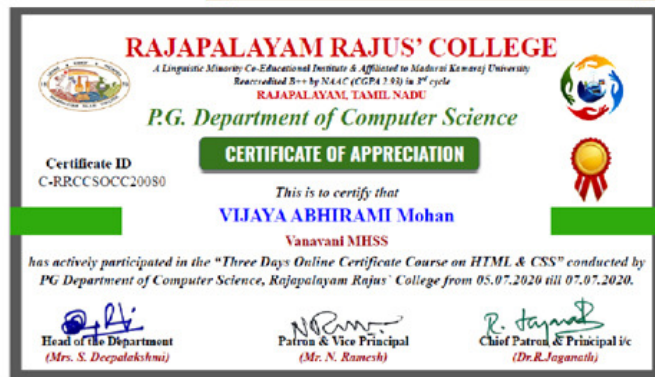
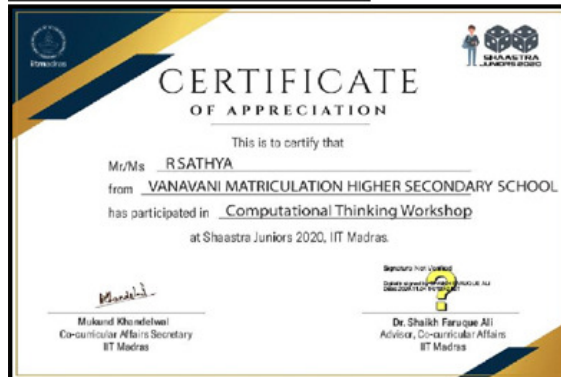
On October 20,2020, Mrs. J.S.P.Deenavathi attended a webinar WIPRO– EARTHIAN PROJECT intended to guide and initiate a project to promote environmental thinking among school children.

Mrs.Sathya attended a workshop on 24th October 2020 conducted by Shaastra Upskill in association with CSpashshala on Computational thinking.

Mrs. Geetha Sukumar and teachers handling English for Primary classes attended a workshop on “Scholastic Books – Familiarisation Workshop” conducted by Scholastic India on October 27, 2020.



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