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# The Little Oxfordites

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*Greetings, Dear Parents!*

*With the beginning of the academic year 2018-19,*

*we are delighted to release*

*the first edition of "The*

*Little Oxfordites". This*

*newsletter gives you an idea*

*about the activities your*

*children get to participate*

*in, learning new things,*

*getting a chance to express their ideas and grow as an*

*individual. The students are made to experience a variety*

*of activities that help them improve their social skills by*  
*interacting with their fellow mates and teachers.*

*Developing their confidence and enthusiastic participation*  
*has been the prime motive of conducting these co-curricular*  
*activities:*

*1. Nature Walk*

*2. Singing*

*3. Fun with Animals!*

*4. Aerobics*

*5. Story Time*

*6. Bubbles Activity*

*7. Sand Castle*

*Children are made to become aware of their*  
*surroundings and improve their observational skills, while*  
*making good use of their time and improving their talents.*

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## *Nature Walk*

*Look deep into nature, and then you will understand everything better. To give our tiny tots a chance to explore the beauty of our mother nature, they were taken for a walk in nature and taught how to recognize the basic parts of a plant and admire the beauty of nature. This activity helped them appreciate their environment and learn to conserve it.*



## *Singing*

*Good music is understood by all, no matter what the language. Students were given an opportunity to present their talents in singing. The competition involved active participation of students to express their skills and talents through music.*



## *Fun with Animals!*

*We have, with special love and care, created model representations of a forest, a farmhouse and an aquarium which includes animals like lion, tigers, zebras, bulls, cats, cows and fish to name a few. The children actively participated in making these models by bringing the toy animals and helping in watering of the ragi plants which were grown to represent grass. Apart from this, they were also made to wear animal masks. This was so that the toddlers could correctly comprehend the concept of living things and the types of animals along with their corresponding names.*





*We were delighted that they were quite enthusiastic about it and really enjoyed the whole experience. That which is taught is always best learnt when it is seen practically.*



*So, a scenic view of a peaceful farmhouse, a dense forest with its wild creatures and an aquarium full of colorful fishes is sure to remain in the children's memory as a fun way to learn and remember!*

### *Aerobics*

*Adults call it "working out and exercising", kids call it "playing and enjoying".*

*Our tiny tots at Oxford were given the chance to experience this joyous activity which not only helps them to maintain a healthy body but also helps them in the development of their mental health as well as their social skills. These various exercises help to build stronger bones and muscles and an overall good immunity system for our children. Aerobics for children consists of exercises as simple as running, chasing, bicycling or even dancing!*



### *Story Time*

*Crimson caps and cheeky monkeys - we all know the story of how the cap-seller managed to outwit the monkeys into returning the caps which they had stolen. This was transformed into live reality when the students took on the roles of the characters and enacted the story with great enthusiasm. We are sure that the children will learn from the cap-seller's quick intelligence and the monkeys' happy-go-lucky attitude.*



### *Bubbles Activity*

*It was an outdoor activity based on the concept of letter B. The objective was to make the children understand the phonics of letter B along with some fun as all children love making bubbles.*

*It helps in improving their hand eye co-ordination, gross motor skills, fine motor skills and visual tracking skills.*



*Bubbles floating all around  
Bubbles fat and Bubbles round  
Bubbles on my toes & nose  
Blow a Bubble, Up it goes!  
Bubbles floating all around.  
Bubbles falling to the ground.*



### *Sand Castle*

*It was an outdoor activity based on the concept of letter C. The objective of this activity was to make the children understand the phonics of letter C by making Castle, Cake and Candle. Sand plays helps in development of fine motor skills, promotes creativity and imagination, sensory development and language development.*



*We hope that this newsletter has been successful in providing a discourse on all the exciting activities done by our beloved toddlers. We also assure you that there will be more to come in the upcoming informative issues of “The Little Oxfordites”.*

*Lastly, we sincerely thank you for reading the newsletter.*

*Every Child is a special kind of Flower.  
All Together they make this world a  
beautiful garden.*