



"Be self motivated, always."

-Srinivas Sir

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ARTOPIA

On the 26th of October 2024, The Global Edge School once again opened its doors to an electrifying spectacle — Artopia. Over the years, this annual event has become a beacon for students and their families, staff and the broader community, all of whom gather to celebrate and partake in various artistic endeavours.

Artopia is not just an event; it is an experience where creativity knows no bounds. On October 26th, the campus transformed into a vibrant canvas, pulsating with energy and colour. Participants engaged in a myriad of activities, from spray painting the campus walls to hurling water balloons filled with coloured water. The sheer variety of artistic expressions on display was nothing short of astounding, showcasing the diverse talents and imaginative spirit of the attendees

Every year, the event serves as a platform for individuals to break free from conventional constraints and unleash their inner artists. It fosters an environment where imagination takes centre stage. Artopia has indeed solidified its status as a much-anticipated tradition at The Global Edge School, leaving a lasting impression on all who partake in its exuberant festivities.

Through these activities, Artopia not only celebrates art but also strengthens the sense of community, bringing together people from all walks of life in a collective creative endeavour. The legacy of Artopia continues to inspire and ignite the creative passions of its participants, ensuring that the spirit of artistic expression remains a vibrant and integral part of the Global Edge School community.

By Ishan Sejush



ARTOPIA

Every year in **The Global Edge School**, students have an art festival known as “Artopia”. Students have so much fun! As an art enthusiast, I love Artopia. My father and mother are great artists so they also had fun. My father painted a picture of Mickey Mouse. We ate fries while listening to the music on speakers. My grandmother and my mother made some Rangolis. We also threw water balloons on walls.

The ambience was too good and nostalgic making us remember the movie ‘Tare Zameen Par’. We thank our school director and entire school facilities for arranging this beautiful event where our family spent a memorable evening together.

By Raghavendra J Venkatesh 4E



SCIENCE SPECTRUM

The beauty within science:

In an ocean of knowledge is a subject science,
from picking up a pen to running an appliance;
it's a subject we use in our daily lives,
from drinking water from a bottle to giving high fives.
It may be a simple cell or a big blue whale,
snakes, sharks, rabbits, horses, male or female;
any plant or animal or their technology,
comes under the part we call biology
Then, of course, comes the math and numbers,
Hard for many, takes away their peaceful slumbers;
it is the reason we are so advanced,
with physics, the importance of an apple has been
enhanced.

Last of all, comes chemistry,
if you want to balance the equations, listen carefully;
for some interesting and others, boring,
it is through this field of chemicals we are soaring
It is only through science we can understand,
planets around us and inside us, organs and glands,
though we may not know what the future holds,
with science, a progressive future unfolds

By Aadhya Suneel 9A



Science Spectrum: A Celebration of Discovery

Some explored the laws of physics,
others studied reactions in chemistry,
Few delved into the life of one's soul,
others floated into astronomy.

No matter the exhibit, one thing remains true,
Scholars across grades had a vision, their own view.
Displays they put,

On the topics they love the most,
And judges, would inspect,
As they would host.

No matter the presentation, one thing remains true,
Scholars across grades had a vision, their own view.

Then comes the weekly quizzes,
Science spark as we folks call it,
And the lucky winner picked,
Is the talk for just a minute.

No matter the winner, one thing remains true,
Scholars across grades had a vision, their own view.

At last it comes to a finale,
A special assembly to close,
A week filled with gaiety,
Like the final petal on a rose.

And so it can be said, one thing remains true,
Scholars across grades have a vision, their very own
view.

By Ananditha Sreejit Warriar 9A



Teachers Oscars: Teachers Day 2024

Celebrated in India on the 5th of September to commemorate the birthday of Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, Teachers Day is a day to appreciate the hard work and efforts that teachers put into shaping the future of our nation.

In the Global Edge School, the event was carried out with great enthusiasm, with the theme of "Teachers Oscars". The event was first carried out for students of grades 1-3 and later followed by grades 4-10. The most enjoyable parts of the celebrations for both teachers and students were the cultural events. Students of all grades took to the stage to honor their educators, creating an atmosphere of excitement among the audience. The talented school choir performed various songs as a tribute to the teachers. The melodies were uplifting, and the lyrics deeply resonated with the audience. Students of grade 5-10 lit up the stage with their dances, with energy and style in every move. A particularly special moment was seen when students spoke about memorable anecdotes they shared with their teachers.

They were both humorous and heart-touching. The students of grades 5-6 and grade 10 also put together skits showcasing special qualities of their teachers and highlighting the daily events of the classroom.

Overall, the Teachers Day event at our school was a huge success with students of all grades coming together to display their talents and present our gratitude for our teachers. The event not only entertained the audience, but also strengthened our bond with our educators.

- Ankita Araliker 10A

HELLO NEIGHBOR

The series Hello Neighbour, the popular prequel book series to the Hello Neighbour game, was introduced to me by my friend, with suspenseful conclusions and twists hiding behind every corner. The book was written by the author, Carly Anne West, who is the author of many other amazing books, such as *The Murmurings* and *The Bargaining*.

This book consists of two main characters, Nicky Roth, the newcomer to the city Raven Brooks, and his maniacal neighbour, Mr. Peterson, who, as Nicky suspects, has kidnapped his own son, who was Nicky's friend, named Aaron Peterson and Aaron's sister, Mya Periah.

In the third book, *Buried Secrets*, Nicky has finally proven that Aaron and his younger sister, Mya, have gone missing. Nicky and his other friends have plastered the town with Missing Posters and have organized weekend search parties for the two. But Nicky can't seem to pry his eyes from Mr. Peterson's house, right across the street, especially after he sees an SOS signal from what used to be Aaron's room. After what happened in the winter and the warnings from their parents, Nicky's friends insist they can't help him investigate his neighbour anymore. If Nicky wants to find out the reason behind this, he's going to have to do it without help.

The mystery behind this book is intriguing, and hard to put down. This is only one of the seven books in the series, which, without any doubt, are as mystifying as the next. But from here, it's up to you to finish this amazing series, as just like you, even I am eagerly waiting to read the the other books of this series. This is, without doubt, one of the greatest wonders of Carly Anne West. Thank you.

By Ivan Sejush VB



"NOURISHING" KNOWLEDGE

Being a 9th grader studying at Global edge school, Kokapet, 2nd august, 2024 was truly a memorable day.

What's so special about this day? Well, 9th and 10th graders were taken to the National Institute of Nutrition as a field trip.

This field trip was awaited by the students for a long time now...And well-deserved considering how hard us and the teachers grinded throughout this year.

For me, having a class as crazy as 9A, I never once felt bored during the bus ride. From playing "anthakshari" with our class teacher, Sridevi ma'am to the boys cracking jokes about her in the form of songs, it was long yet heavily enjoyable bus ride to and from the National Institute of Nutrition.

Not to mention, we also came across a lot of unique buildings/monuments that were widely talked about in the bus.



When we got there, we were given a lot of knowledge to 'nourish'...We were sent to a hall where we learnt about different disorders caused due to nutrition deficiencies which was interesting and a good boost to keep our minds running for the rest of the field trip. This information was presented as pictures and diagrams on boards that made it easier for us to understand and absorb information.

After a quick photo session, we were headed into a hall where we were shown a video about the institute and were explained about the main objectives of the institution, itself.



Of course, visiting this very esteemed institution and given a tour around it was a honour to all of the global edgers present there.

We were spoken to a by a teacher about the necessity of having a balanced diet and explained important proportions of our meal. As a response, there were questions asked by our students which was hilarious yet informative. The question of "What foods should a person eat to grow taller?" was sure enough to send some crackles across the room. The rest was just coming back and enjoying ourselves in the bus.

Overall, I can definitely say that all students enjoyed one or the other part of the trip and that it was really knowledgeable.

Until the next excursion/trip, that's all...This is Aadhya Suneel from 9A signing off of this memorable topic! Ciao!

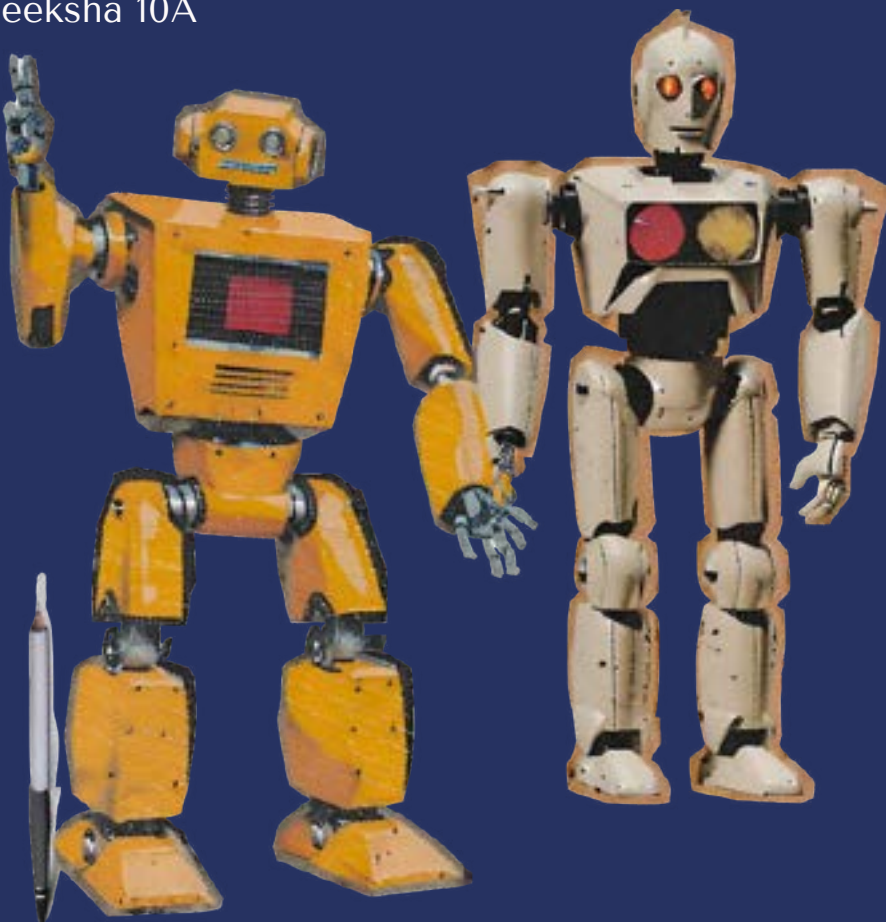
By Aadhya Suneel 9A

ROBOTICS



I recently had the chance to participate in the Vigyantram Technology workshop, a National Level Robotics and Drone Workshop cum Championship, hosted by The Global Edge School in collaboration with IIT Delhi. Over two days, students from Grades 6 to 10, including myself, got hands-on experience with advanced technology, pushing both our theoretical knowledge and practical skills to new levels. It wasn't just about learning the basics, we dived into real-world applications of robotics and drone-making, experimenting with cutting-edge tools and techniques. The guidance we received from experts really made a difference, and collaborating with peers who shared the same passion was incredibly inspiring. It felt like a unique opportunity to prepare ourselves for the future, right in the school setting.

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CREATIVE WRITING

Roshan's Promise to be good

Once there lived a boy named Roshan. He was very rude to everyone. He used to hurt his parents and friends with his arrogance. One day, while he was returning home from school, he saw a black cloud in front of him. A minute later he found himself being sucked into it. Then he saw a fairy. He begged her to show him the way to his home. The fairy replied, okay but on one condition. That he had to be kind to everyone and never hurt others with his words or actions.



The boy agreed to be kind to others. The fairy smiled and hugged Roshan. Immediately a white cloud appeared in front of the boy. He was pulled into the cloud and a moment later he was in front of his house. Roshan was happy and ran into his house and searched for his mother. He ran to his mother, hugged her and apologized for his rude behavior all these days. His mother was happy to hear that and made his favorite dishes. From that day onwards Roshan never misbehaved with anyone and became a good and kind person.

By Sri Vallabh 3B

CYBER CRIMES

You might have heard about the recent Microsoft Windows Cybercrime, in which a faulty software update led them into a big problem. Actually it's not a mistake, someone else took control of Microsoft's executive accounts and messed up the code. This is an example of CYBERCRIMES. But, what is a cybercrime? Who's behind all of this? Why is he/she doing this? How are we involved in this whole crime web? How can we prevent this? Today, we're going to find out.

Generally, you think that nobody can hack you because you have a VPN, antivirus. BUT, YOU ARE WRONG. SOMEBODY IS WATCHING YOU THROUGH YOUR PHONE, YOUR LAPTOP, EVEN YOUR PLAYSTATION 5! That somebody is called a CYBERCRIMINAL. They are those people who doesn't leave you alone. They are in your phone, your smart watch, anything! If they are in your computer, they can do anything. Like:



- Email and internet fraud.
- Identity fraud (where personal information is stolen and used).
- Theft of financial or card payment data.
- Theft and sale of corporate data.
- Cyberextortion (demanding money to prevent a threatened attack).
- Ransomware attacks (a type of cyberextortion).
- Cryptojacking (where hackers mine cryptocurrency using resources they do not own).
- Cyberespionage (where hackers access government or company data).
- Interfering with systems in a way that compromises a network.
- Infringing copyright.
- Illegal gambling.
- Selling illegal items online.
- Soliciting, producing, or possessing child pornography.



They can do anything, unless you
use these tips for preventing cybercrimes:

1. Keep software and operating system updated
2. Use anti-virus software and keep it updated
3. Use strong passwords
4. Never open attachments in spam emails
5. Do not click on links in spam emails or untrusted websites
6. Do not give out personal information unless secure
7. Contact companies directly about suspicious requests
8. Be mindful of which website URLs you visit
9. Keep an eye on your bank statements

By Aarush 7c



IMPORTANT EVENT

Autumn Happenings

~By Ananditha Sreejit Warriar

A lot has happened in these last few months, from Best Class Awards in September, till Science Spectrum in October.

We had Teachers' Day celebrations; to appreciate the dedication and support we get from our teachers. Then came the Symposium, meant for the higher grades. Here, students learnt about the importance of staying away from illicit substances, and how the human brain reacts to it, having a highly negative impact on our health. Next, we had Best Class awards, creating healthy competition between classes, ensuring proper discipline, academic participation, and cleanliness throughout the school. Classes with the highest points were awarded with trophies with 1 star, 2star and 3 stars, for positions 3rd, 2nd and 1st, respectively. Then we had Social Studies Week, to appreciate the diverse cultures, history, the geography, and rich heritage of our country, India. A preliminary quiz was held for all grades, and those who passed it, reached the final round. A Special Assembly, concluded this week. After this, came our Half Yearly Examinations, though of course even after that the learning has not ended. To add a fun twist to learning, came our Science Spectrum. Students from all the grades put up exhibitions, and projects relating to scientific topics they enjoy. This week was closed with a Special Assembly. Then came, the very much well known, Daan Utsav. A day where students from various grades come together, put up stalls and raise money, not for themselves, but those who are in need of it. Such charitable acts most certainly do not deserve to go unnoticed. Shortly after, came Artopia, a day which brings so much excitement and joy to us all. Students wielded out their paint brushes, crayons and pencils, letting their artistic side shine. Finally comes the most recent happening, the Vigyantram Technology Workshop. A two-day workshop, cum championship where students from grades 6 - 10, got to deal with advanced technology and got to learn about the real world applications of robotics and drone making. A wonderful opportunity indeed.

To sum up, the past two months have been filled with nothing but learning and joy. Of course, the journey doesn't end here just yet, for there are so much more fun activities, and programmes to look forward to. As of October 2024, this year has been most certainly a successful one!



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Thank you for reading!



-Literary Secretary