



Report on the Orientation Programme
Elementary Years Programme (Juniors)

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“Learning is the product of the activity of learners.” -John Dewey

Suncity School, Sector 54, Gurgaon, organized the **Orientation Programme** for new parents on Saturday, 24th February 2024, which emphasized the role of curiosity, experiential learning and skill-based learning in education. Headmistress of the Elementary Years Programme, Ms. Sangeeta Bagchi addressed the gathering.

During her address to the parents, Ms. Bagchi began the session with an interesting activity which aroused the curiosity of the audience. The programme emphasized the importance of parenting for a child’s overall development and compassion, understanding the importance of ‘Trinity Triangle’. It also gave parents an insight into the integration of different disciplines with **multiple intelligences, design thinking (VUCA) and the Sustainable Development Goals**. Through examples, Ms Bagchi also explained the importance of stimulating interest among the young minds.

Thereafter, the gathering was addressed by our passionate Director, Ms. Rupa Chakravarty. She addressed the gathering by talking about ‘sanskars’ and values. She talked about the pedagogy followed at Suncity school and also shared about the achievements of our young learners and authors.

This was followed by a mesmerizing performance by the students of Kindergarten C. The children showcased their class assembly based on a famous book, ‘The Gruffalo’. It was followed by a captivating dance performance. The programme in the auditorium culminated with the rendition of the National Anthem.

Following this, parents were provided **insight** into the teaching approach, where a routine lesson plan was presented through demonstrations. Hands-on activities, multiple intelligences, Sustainable Developmental Goals and design thinking were incorporated in the lesson plan, which helped parents gain confidence in the things shared by Ms. Bagchi’s earlier reference to Suncity school.

Parents were well engaged in the classrooms and enjoyed the demo sessions. They participated enthusiastically in all activities. One of the parents even said, “This is how I envisioned a day for my child.” Another parent mentioned, “Today, I revisited my own childhood days. I am delighted to understand and go through a totally different and impressive methodology as compared to my own time.”

They enjoyed the day as much as their children would, the whole day putting faith in the institution, the teachers and the school’s approach. Their shared responses supported this fact.

Overall, 65 parents attended the Orientation Programme. They were **happy and satisfied to witness and learn more about the school**.

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