

Dear Parents,

Another wonderful year has just ended beautifully. This year, what stood out the most to me and made me reflect deeply is how different we are as a Pre-School, dedicated to doing the right things for children. One particular aspect that profoundly impacts me is the presence of parents in their children's lives. The majority of our parents actively participate in dropping off and picking up their children, recognizing its importance. It's rare to see nannies or drivers coming alone, except when necessary.

Parents, believe me, your children will remember this the most. While they may forget about us, the school, and the activities, they will always cherish the time spent with you. It's crucial to be there when you drop them off at school because it marks their journey into the world from their safe haven. The pick-up time is when they eagerly share stories about their day and activities. The bond you're building during these moments will benefit you in the teenage years and beyond. Thank you, parents, for nurturing this strong emotional foundation for our children. We need emotionally resilient individuals to navigate this already fragile world, and this strength they acquire from you is crucial, especially during their preschool years. Once they transition to a bigger school, opportunities for such moments may diminish as they might travel by bus or insist on going alone. So, make the most of this time as much as possible.

In addition to our regular school activities and curriculum, we added several new events to enrich our already holistic curriculum. For example, we had a mithai vendor come to make jalebis in school, which the children enjoyed during snack time. Similarly, we had sugarcane juice and popcorn vendors, and the highlight was the petting zoo with a huge iguana and other animals visiting the school. We also enjoyed an AC train ride this year from Churchgate to Mumbai Central, and the finale with our mud kitchen added to the year's excitement and fun.

This year, we hosted 21 second-year undergraduate ECE students from Smt. P.N. Doshi Women's College in batches for observation at Saifee Nursery. We were also delighted to have the founder of Ronak Global Academy visit Saifee and leave feeling inspired.

We will be sending a list of activities that can be done at home to keep the children busy during the summer break. Additionally, the link to the class photo will be shared below; please download it.

Thank you,
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Principal