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Nurturing Minds For Sustainable Development
A Newsletter from the lives and hearts of Kabirites of STK-IIS

Excellence is not a skill it is an attitude

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The winner is...
'Nehru' house



Little hands...
Big achievements...



Art & Music integration

In order to scale the heights and reach the pinnacle of success, St. Kabir IIS, Vadodara, always strives to inculcate a sense of responsibility and commitment among the students with their heads held high, ready to shoulder responsibilities as leaders. To mark this, an Investiture Ceremony for the academic session 2019-2020 was organised with great pomp and dignity in a special ceremony on 6th July 2019.

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Pratishtha was held with true glory which did justice to its name. The categories included academics and co-curricular activities apart from the best student, best house and Kabirite awards. Every child chosen represented the pride and spirit of being a true Kabirite. The performances of the awardees of the co-curricular awards were the icing on the cake.



Hail the new student council



With power comes responsibility



Thanking the Chief Guest,
Col. Naveen Kumar

Leadership is about vision and responsibility, not power

ACHIEVEMENTS

“**CHAMPIONS** keep Playing
Until they get it Right”



Saloni Gupta

Athletics

Saloni Gupta (8A)

District - 3rd Position (600 mt)

Ananyaa Verma (9A)

District - 1st Position (200 mt)
2nd Position (400 mt)
Selected for State level



Vatsal Kamdar & Dhyy Belani



Ananyaa Verma

Athletics Inter District Nationals

Ananyaa Verma (9A)

2nd Position (200 mt)

Saloni Gupta (8A)

3rd Position (600 mt)



Upasana Pillai



Ravinder Sondh

Ravinder Sondh (8A)

2nd Position (Long Jump)

Shreya Malhotra (7A)

2nd Position (Shot Put)



Vrisha Modi

Athletics

Jaumeet Soni (5A)

District - 2nd Position (50 mt)
Selected for State level

Yuti Patel (3C)

District - 2nd Position (30 mt)
Selected for State level



Shreya Malhotra

Table Tennis

Vatsal Kamdar (6B)

District - 1st Position

Dhyy Belani (6B)

District - 2nd Position

Upasana Pillai (6B)

District - 1st Position

1st Open Baroda Table Tennis-
2nd Position

2nd Open Baroda Table
Tennis-2nd Position

Vrisha Modi (6B)

District - 2nd Position

All Selected for State level



Kabir Tandon



Jaumeet Soni

Chess

Kabir Tandon (5B)

District - 1st Position
Selected for State level

Megh Padmani (5B)

District - 2nd Position
Selected for State level



Megh Padmani



Yuti Patel

ACHIEVEMENTS

Athletics

Veer Bhavsar (4B)
District - 3rd Position
(Standing Broad Jump)

Vanya Korde (3A)
District - 1st Position
(Standing Broad Jump)
Selected for State level

Dev Padmani (2A)
Chess Association of Vadodara - 3rd Position

Aastha Patel (7B)
District - 1st Position (Karate)
Selected for State level

3rd Position (Gujarat State Open Karate
championship) at Himmatnagar

Krish Solanki (8A)
Selected for State level (Football)

Khyati Verma (4B)
District - 2nd Position (Swimming)
Selected for State level

Pratham Patel (5A)
District - 2nd Position (Skating)
Selected for State level

Bhavya Shah (2D)
1st Position - CBSE Cluster West Zone XIII



Veer Bhavsar



Vanya Korde



Dev Padmani



Aastha Patel



Krish Solanki



Khyati Verma



Pratham Patel



Ayaan Maheshwari (4A)
Trophy from SOF
for extraordinary
performance in
all Olympiads



Bhavya Shah

At Nalanda Expressions this year, the different categories were Magical Medley, Card Making, Hindi Kavita Lekhan and T-Shirt painting competition.

In T-Shirt Painting competition **Dipankar Sah** (Grade-8A) and **Keya Jeni** (Grade-7A) got consolation prize. In Magical Melodies **Grade-3 & 4 students** secured 3rd position.

New Era Senior Secondary School invited the students to participate in their 'LITERARY FEST,' an inter-school literary festival on 15th June, 2019.

In THE ENSEMBLE- **Kabir Tandon** (Grade-5B) won the 1st Position and **Aakansha Panda** (Grade-4B) won the 2nd Position. In the Rhyme & Rhythm category- **Kalista Joshi** (Grade-7B) bagged in 3rd Position. In THE THEATRICALS **students of Grade 8th and 9th** bagged in the 2nd Position. The prestigious moment for the school was indeed when **The Rolling Trophy** was bagged by the **St. Kabir Indian International School**.



GR-3 & 4
Students



Aakanksha Panda
Kabir Tandon



The Rolling Trophy



GR-8 & 9 Students

Dipankar Sah
(2nd from left)
Keya Jeni
(3rd from left)

COMPETITION is a good thing; it forces us to do our best.



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Inter-house competitions offer a chance for participants to gain substantial experience, showcase skills, analyze and evaluate outcomes and uncover personal aptitude. Competitions also encourage students to adopt innovative techniques and develop their ideas and skills.



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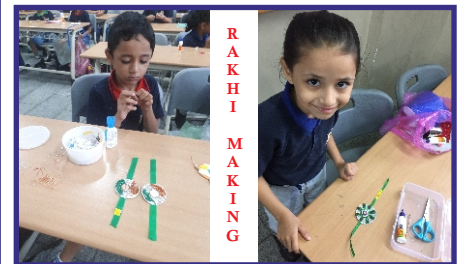


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Benefits of Educational Competitions:

1. Improving Teamwork and Collaboration
2. Enhancing Social and Emotional Learning.
3. Increasing Intrinsic Motivation.
4. Strengthening Academic Self-Concept.
5. Facilitating Growth Mindsets.
6. Building Mental Toughness.
7. Improving Risk Analysis.



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The morning of 21st June 2019 echoed with the vigour of Kabirites who had all assembled in the school's sprawling lawn to celebrate the International Yoga Day. Acquainting the students with the importance of meditation as a panacea for mental fitness, Brahma Kumari Sister Pooja conducted a meditation session for all the students of classes I to X, which calmed the entire atmosphere. Later, the students were made to perform the Surya Namaskar and a few yogasanas with simultaneous explanation of the benefits of these asanas.



This day is observed every year to raise awareness about the importance of doctors and medical professionals in our life. The celebration of the Doctors' Day is an attempt to emphasise the value of doctors in our lives and to offer them our respects.



Guru Purnima is the day to felicitate gurus for they are the ones who prepare students to take on the task of nation building. This year, on July 15, it was our privilege to have Mr. R. D Patel, an experienced Maths Faculty amidst us.



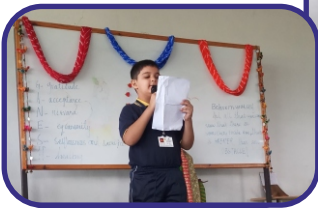
The students of St. Kabir IIS celebrated Janmashami as a special assembly. The program began with shloka and prayer song 'O palenhare', followed by energetic sanskrit recitation 'Ashtkam', mesmerising 'Radhe Krishna' song, vibrant Raas garba and Matki phod.



Little Radhas & Krishnas



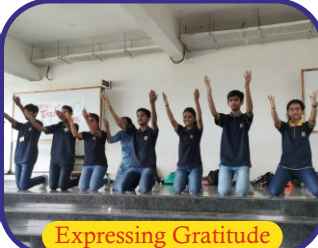
Matki Fod



Ganesh Chaturthi



Teacher's Day



Expressing Gratitude



Culture in our blood



Joy of celebration

Combining Education with Fun...

Field Trip!



St.Kabir IIS has always believed to be close to nature. As part of ISA project a field trip was organized for grade 1, 2 & 4 at a farmhouse in village Chapad.

As the theme for the ISA project is Life on Land - 'Animals around the World'. Students were able to know about different types of animals.

The external resource persons – Mr. Ilesh Vyas and Ms. Khyati Vyas shared with them about various aspects of animal life, showing compassion towards animals and how we need to be grateful for the good things in our life. It was great for students to observe animals and feel a connection with them. Children also observed different types of plants. They were shown cowdung, dry dung cakes and were made to understand how these were used to make soil fertile and how they are burned to produce biogas which is used as fuel. Children were delighted by this field trip as they saw and experienced various new and unusual things.

A tete - a - tete with Nature



A step towards humanity



Earthy connections



Humanity in progress

From Fibre to Fabric - The World of Garments



Inquisitive Kabirites

A field trip to the Clothing And Textile faculty at MSU was organized for grade 3 students in coherence with the ongoing lesson Clothes We Wear. The field trip provided lot of insightful messages and learnings that students carried back with them. They visited the different departments within the Clothing And Textile faculty to witness the entire process from choosing the correct fabric to the final product. The Eureka Moment was when a few students shared their desire to come back and be a part of the faculty as future students.



Age old Charkha... Still in demand



Future Fashionistas



Creativity in simplicity

On a tour to Eco friendly practices...



'Solar dryer-blissful heat'



'Vermicompost'-a gift of farmer's friend



'Biogas-that's not really a waste'

MYSELF TO PAINTS

Dear Paints,
 You bring brightness to a blank papers,
 Make the world colourful with your magic,
 Make an ordinary cupcake attractive 🍰,
 You show yourself in multicolours colors,
 Each mixes with each other to make another,
 Gets a smile on a child's face,
 Without you every bit of us is incomplete.

~ REMANIKA TANDON

COLORS are a power
 which directly influences the soul..

Remanika Tandon - 8A

English

The Rainbow

Ritisha Patel - 2C

Visit to the farm house

- I saw the earthworm.
- The kitten was blind.
- The calf was 3 days born and her name was yogi.
- I saw the bed of cows in which earthworm were present.
- When we all screamed then the blind kitten got scared.
- I was very excited to go Khyati malani's farm house.
- I saw monkey on the tree.

Darsheel Patel - 2A

SUMMER IS FUN !!

Summer is fun,
 The hot days begun.
 Eating cold ice-creams,
 With lots of fun.
 See the sun shine,
 Look at glasses shine,
 Swimming in the pool,
 Drinking chilled juice.
 Playing in the sun,
 Getting tang up.
 Summer is fun,
 Summer is fun!!

Aarna Ranjan - 5B

Summer Days

In the summer when days are hot
 I like to find a shady spot and hardly
 move a single bit and sit in an AC room.

Aadhya Ranjan - 3C

9 AM

I am honest and truthful I wonder if anyone else is truthful too. How many whips and lies I received. Untrusting people I want happy smiles again. I am honest and truthful I pretend like lies don't bother me I feel bad for others I touch peoples hearts I worry about their disturbing lives I cry if lies ruin my friendship with others. I am honest and truthful I understand how lies can really hurt inside I stay truth makes a friendship stronger I dream a world with worthy people.

Poem 🤪

Vihana Shah Anshu L.B.

Vihana Shah - 4B

- Giraffe is my favourite animal.
- it lives in forest of south-Africa
- Giraffe primary eats the leaves of trees.
- it has long neck to help eat.
- i love to see giraffe.

Raavya Patel - 1B

SEHRISH PATEL

Date: 14 AUG 2019 Page: _____
 Topic: Animal Slogan

"Don't treat animals as animals.
 Treat them as living beings.
 That's what they are..."

Animals are our friends;
 love and care for them...

Sehrish Patel - 2B

48A Project

My right to right water

RAIN, FROM RAIN

SAVE EVERY DROP OF WATER

Bharyaa Patel - 3B

NEVER GIVE UP!

All the famous personalities which I saw till now, faced failures; but never gave up and got success. There are many people also in the world, who face failures and get depressed or sad. I would like to describe some of the personalities or legends whose lives always teach something or other and inspire many people. Firstly, Lionel Messi, who had a growth defect in his childhood, had to take injections every day. There was a therapy which would cure his illness but his family could not afford the cost of the therapy. But he never gave up and always showed his love for football and played incredibly. By looking at his talent of playing football, a club signed him and bore the cost of his therapy. Today, he is one of the best players, just because he never gave up. Secondly, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam is also a personality who never gave up inspite of facing many obstacles.

These personalities always inspired and motivated millions and millions of people.

Stuti Dabhi - 9A

THE BEST VERSION

Due to my life's burden I cried,
Which meant that my weaker version died.
This gave birth to a better version of me,
And felt as if I became free.

I realized that life is a game,
Wherein we are all trying to make our name.
In this game, you will be tested in every way.
Which will eventually lead you to the contentful way.

You may not win sometimes,
But you will learn at all times.
Mentally strong you should become,
To say, "The best version of me is yet to come".

Aaditya Patel - 9A

EXAMS 2019-20

Exam is a race.
You have to face!

The people say,
Giving a stern gaze!

But! But, But, But!

Exams are fun,
As, No one needs to run!

Please don't summon
As, you're not at the gun!

Exams test your IQ,
With a page of Q's!

Answer all your doubts.
With, having 'No doubt!'

So, please feel proud,
To test yourself amidst the crowd!
Happy Exams 2019-20



Ayan Khan - 9A

NATURE'S GLORY

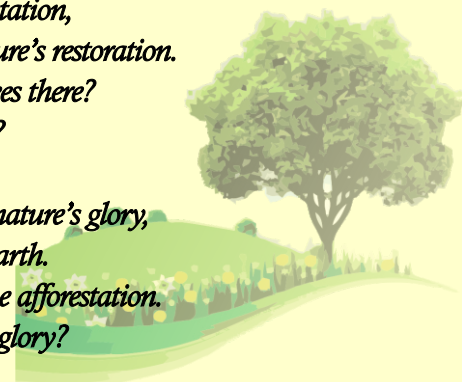
I went to a place,
To see nature's glory.
There were mountains above the clouds,
It was drizzling when I went.

Is this nature's glory?

Jami mosque was oldest of all,
There was a waterfall and a ropeway too.
Near a lake were wild plants and flowers.
Is this nature's glory?

There was no deforestation,
Everywhere was nature's restoration.
Have you planted trees there?
Is this nature's glory?

Now you have seen nature's glory,
So, please save this earth.
Everywhere should be afforestation.
Will this be nature's glory?



Inaaya Khan - 4B

POWERLUST

A wise man once said "The powerful should not suppress the people; they should make the people powerful". Humans have a constant need to be in power. They use all their means to get to power and remain in power. Whether it is correct or incorrect we all know that animals came before humans but when humans came we took over, we thought that we were a special race and every other animal is not intelligent. But the fact remains that we are also animals. The worst part is we did not stop at animals; we created sharp divisions in the society, so that some people can come to power. This happened in many ways, whites considering themselves a superior race. The caste system in India, males overpowering females and not accepting other genders. Humans today have grown into monsters who are mad for power. They have developed a power lust. But I think there is hope. Do you think we can become humans again?

Arnav Tanna - 9A

PRIDE GOETH BEFORE A FALL

Pride goeth before a fall. This proverb unleashes a great moral in the life of a human being. Pride makes a person think that he is superior to others. Our achievements in life are due to our pains and hardwork. But we should never be proud of accomplishments in life. Who has pride will definitely suffer defeat and meet a shameful end. History is full of examples of powerful monarchs who came to ruins as a result of their conceit. Hitler, an influential ruler was proud of his valour and power. This false pride of his power finally led to be the source of his death and downfall. The British as well were proud of their influence and power and took control over India. The British used to proudly state, "The sun on no occasion sets on the British empire." But where is that pride now? Being overconfident usually ends in destruction, but confidence is a necessity. As we attain high position in life, we should become more humble. There lies our true worth. A proud man should be aware of the reality that a day will come soon when the happiness and comfort given by pride will give way to pain of humiliation. In short, the true quality of man is humility not pride. Pride is a spiritual cancer. It eats up the very possibility of love, contentment or even common sense. Pride dulls our ability to learn, to adapt, to be flexible and to build relationships.



Stuti Dabhi - 9A

POVERTY

What is poverty? Poverty is the condition where people's basic needs for food, clothing and shelter are not being met. Poverty can be caused due to political instability, natural disasters, corruption, lack of access to education etc. We can eradicate poverty by creating jobs, by raising the wages of laborers, provide paid leave and paid sick days, established work schedules etc.

Here are some measures initiated by the government to alleviate poverty.

- Minimum support prize for farmers.
- Other employment generation programmes.
- Government sponsored schemes.

As we can see above the government is taking so many steps for fighting poverty, we as responsible citizens should also participate in eradicating poverty and bringing equality. For the development of humankind it is necessary that poverty is overcome and all should get equal opportunity.



Aakanksha Panda - 4B

THE CLEVER DEER

Once there was a clever deer. One day, he saw some apple trees with juicy apples across the river. He wanted to taste them. But that was not easy as the river was full of crocodiles. Yet, the deer did not give up. He had an idea. He called out a crocodile and said, "The king has ordered me to count the crocodiles in the river as he is having a feast. All of you are invited. But don't try to eat me while I am counting you all". The excited crocodile told the other crocodiles. Soon, all the crocodiles lined up across the river. The deer stepped on top of the first crocodile and counted one. He kept on counting till he reached the other side. Then, he turned to the crocodiles and said, "Thanks for helping me to cross the river." The outwitted crocodiles could do nothing but lament.

Moral - Cleverness always pays.



Daksh Sheth - 2C

महाभारत

सहस्र जन्मों से चली आ रही है एक ऐतिहासिक कहानी,
वेद व्यास जी की प्रसिद्ध, यह रचना है बड़ी प्यारी।
थी कथा संग्राम की विश्व के कल्याण की,
जहाँ अधर्म, कपट और स्वार्थ की परिभाषा हमने जान ली।
महाभारत युद्ध की वह बड़ी प्रेरणादायक थी कहानी,
जिसे आज भी कुरुक्षेत्र की रणभूमि है सुनाती।
कौरव - पांडव का वह अनंत द्वेष,
द्रौपदी के अनगिनत आँसू न रहे शेष।
भीष्म के बलिदान से आज भी यह किस्सा है जीता,
श्री कृष्ण और अर्जुन की मित्रता ने रची "भगवत गीता।"
बना एक इतिहास, यह सर्वोत्तम कथा,
जिससे गूँज उठी द्वापर युग की प्रथा।

Aashwi Pandya-8A

क्रिकेट

खेल है यह स्फूर्ति का,
नाम है इसका क्रिकेट।
खेल कर नाम कमाता वो,
जिसकी न उड़े विकेट।



दो टीम खेलती एक साथ,
जो जीते उसकी बन जाए बात।
वर्ड कम चाहिए सबको हरदम,
एक पल में उम्मीदे हो जाए कम।
बैटिंग का राज है कोहली,
बुमराह डाले गेंद जैसे गोली।
क्रिकेट है एक ऐसा खेल, जिसे लाए थे अंग्रेज़,
भारत के इतिहास में कर लिया है इसने प्रवेश।

Tasmaiy Upadhyay -9A

डर और जिंदगी

मुश्किल नहीं है दुनिया में कुछ,
तू ज़रा हिम्मत तो कर।
सपने बदलेंगे हकीकत में,
तू ज़रा हिम्मत तो कर।

मुश्किलों से भागना आसान होता है,
ज़िंदगी की हर सीढ़ी पर एक इस्तहान होता है।
डरने वालों को मिलता नहीं कुछ जिंदगी में,
लड़ने वालों के कदमों में जहान होता है।

डर के सामने जीत जाओ, तो वाहवाही मिलती है,
और यदि हार जाओ तो सीख मिलती है।
कभी हार जाओ तो निराश मत होना,
क्योंकि शेर भी ऊँची छलाँग मारने के लिए
एक कदम पीछे जाता है।



तो समझिये जिंदगी बड़ी छलाँग देने के लिए तैयार है,
आखिर हारकर जीतने वालों को ही तो बाज़ीगर कहते हैं।

Skand Singh - 9A

होली आई

होली आई -होली आई,
रंगों से भरी टोली आई।
नाचों गाओ खुशियाँ मनाओ,
रंग बरसाओ गुलाल लगाओ।



मीठी-मीठी मिठाइयाँ खाओ,
दोस्तों से मिलने जाओ।
सबको प्रेम से गले लगाओ,
सारे झगड़े को भूल जाओ।

Students of 2B

बचपन

यह है मेरा प्यारा बचपन, भोलाभाला बचपन,
खेल खिलौने मुझे हैं भाते, गुड्डे गुड़िया मुझे लुभाते।
और फिर एग्जाम में रट्टे लगाते, फिर रिजल्ट के डर से घबराते,
मम्मी आँसू पौँछकर हँसाती, पापा पिज्जाबर्गर लाते,
दीदी सीने से लगाती, यह है मेरा प्यारा बचपन।
टीचर फिर रिजल्ट बताती, गलती मम्मी पापा को दिखलाती,
उन्हें सुधार हम जब आगे बढ़ते, कई रंग फिर जीवन में भरते।



Kanika Maheshwari - 3A

TERM-1 GLIMPSES

ISA Projects



Back to School Program



Reliving the reminiscences of school life; Mothers were invited to spend sometime at school and revisit their childhood days by participating in various activities conducted at school.

Election



Gyan Sarovar Sahodaya Workshop



Gyan Sahodaya workshop organised at IIS chapad, in its maiden effort, witnessed a gathering of 160 teachers from 93 schools all over Gujarat to collaborate and enrich themselves with social science pedagogy.



PANORAMA



Navya Thakore - 3B



Durga Agarwal - 10A



Eva Patel - 8A



Abhirajsinh Devkar - 3B



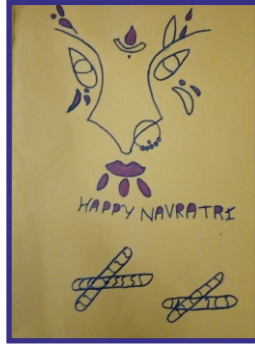
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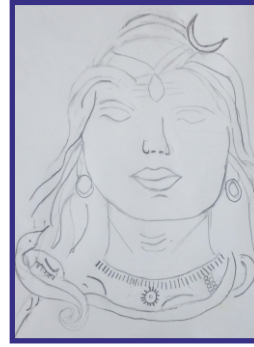
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Kanika Maheshwari - 3A



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Darsheel Patel - 2A



Hitarth Patel - 1B