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Connecting Hearts.....Connecting Minds...

From the Principal

"Educating with Purpose, Guiding with Heart"

"Children are like kites-you spend years trying to get them off the ground, running alongside, holding tight... but if you never let go, they'll never learn to soar. Love gives them roots, but trust gives them wings."

Dear Parents and Students,

Every child who walks through the gates of our school carries within them a world of wonder, an inner light, full of potential, waiting to be nurtured with care, compassion, and trust. As educators and parents, we stand together in the sacred role of shaping not only minds but also spirits, character, and hearts.

In our desire to give our children the best of everything, we sometimes hover too closely; correcting every step, solving every problem, cushioning every fall. While this comes from a place of deep love, we must gently remind ourselves: over-parenting, however well-intended, can dim a child's self-belief and stifle their ability to make independent decisions. Confidence isn't born in perfection-it is born in trial, in effort, in the beautiful, messy act of trying and trying again.

Let us guide our children, but not grip them. Let us teach them not just to comply, but to question wisely, choose bravely, and stand firmly in their values. Let us allow them to grow into their own persons, learning not only what to

think, but how to think, feel, and live with purpose.

As a school, we are committed to nurturing not just academic excellence, but life-readiness. In a world that will challenge them in ways we cannot always predict, they will need more than facts. They will need resilience, empathy, relationship skills, conflict resolution abilities, and a deep respect for all life on Earth.

Let us also help them build future-ready skills that will allow them not just to survive, but to thrive in a fast changing world:

- Adaptability, to remain grounded amidst uncertainty.
- Emotional intelligence, to lead with empathy and build meaningful connections.
- Critical thinking, to navigate complex problems with clarity and confidence.
- Digital responsibility, to use technology wisely, ethically, and creatively.
- Collaboration, to work across cultures, ideas, and differences with openness.
- Curiosity and lifelong learning, to stay eager, humble, and ever-evolving.

These are not lessons taught in a single day, but gifts we offer through our daily actions, conversations, and examples. It takes a village to raise a child; and what a privilege it is to be part of this village.

Let us, together, raise children who are not just prepared for exams, but for life. Children who know how to listen, how to love, how to lead, and how to live with grace.

Love & Regards
Dr. Sheela Menon
Principal



Highlights of the Month

INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2025



'COMM QUEST- 2.0 ' 2025



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH

INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2025

'Real leadership is about transforming limitations into possibilities.'- Robin Sharma
9th May was a Red-letter day for the newly elected Student Council brigade of Ambassador School Dubai. The enthusiastic members braced themselves for this August gathering, for the new academic session 2025-26.

The event commenced in the traditional manner with the National Anthem, the recitation of the verses from the Holy Quran followed by a brief outline of the election process and the fervor attached each step of the way. The formal investing procedure witnessed our young Ambassadors receiving their sashes and badges from our Respected Principal, Dr. Sheela Menon, Associate Vice-Principal, Mr. Unni Jose and members of the Senior Leadership Team, amidst cheers and applause.

The Ceremonial Oath was administered by Principal Ma'am, where they pledged to uphold the values and principles of the Alma Mater. Ma'am addressed the gathering, emphasizing that leadership isn't about being the loudest voice or the most popular face. It's about being the steady flame in moments of challenge, the one who brings clarity, courage, and care with empathy. The event concluded with a vote of thanks expressing gratitude to all those who contributed to the success of the ceremony, followed by the school song. The ceremony was yet another landmark in the ASD calendar.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH

'COMMQUEST- 2.0'

“Talent wins games; but teamwork and intelligence win championships.” — Michael Jordan

CommQuest 2.0, hosted by ASD's Commerce Department, was an exciting inter-school event that showcased creativity, critical thinking, and collaboration. With tasks designed to challenge the best minds, students demonstrated innovation and skill across every round.

Top schools including Indian International School, DSO; Delhi Private School, Dubai; JSS Private School, Dubai; and Ambassador School, Dubai competed fiercely. With impressive performances all around, judges had a tough time choosing the best. The Overall Winner's Trophy was proudly claimed by Ambassador School, Dubai.



KINDERGARTEN CAMPUS



Our little learners at Ambassador School, Kindergarten campus dived into the world of textures, colors, and creativity with Messy Play! From squishing to splashing, every moment was filled with joy, curiosity, and hands-on exploration. Messy play isn't just fun—it supports sensory development, fine motor skills, and creative expression



KINDERGARTEN CAMPUS



Our curious little explorers from KG1 at Ambassador School Kindergarten had a day full of wonder, learning, and laughter at OliOli, the interactive children’s museum. From hands-on exhibits to sensory play and imaginative exploration, every moment sparked creativity and curiosity. The trip was a perfect blend of fun and learning.



KINDERGARTEN CAMPUS



With love, laughter, and lots of happy hearts, we celebrated our incredible moms at Ambassador School, Kindergarten campus under the theme "Healthy Mom, Happy Hearts." A special felicitation honored our "Healthy Moms"—mothers who inspire their children by leading balanced, mindful lives.



KINDERGARTEN CAMPUS



Our PRE KG students from Ambassador School, Kindergarten campus recently embarked on an unforgettable adventure at Leo & Loona! Field trips play a vital role in early childhood education by bringing learning to life beyond the classroom walls. For our kindergarteners, these outings spark curiosity, foster independence, and build social skills in a real-world context.



KINDERGARTEN CAMPUS



Celebrating International Day of Light!

Our little scientists lit up the day with hands-on light adventures:

By exploring the science and art of light, our KG students learned how light helps us see, creates color, and powers our world. Here's to curiosity, creativity, and bright young minds!



International Day of Light
 KG2 B



KG2F



International Day of light
 KG2 D



International Day of light
 -KG2 D



CLASS MAGAZINE PRIMARY

Innovation & Creativity



MY SPACE

Solar Panels.

Solar panels are special tools that turn sunlight into electricity. They don't create pollution and use the sun's energy, which is clean and safe. It's also free of cost. By using solar panels, we can help keep our air clean and protect the planet from climate change.



Quick Check.

- ↳ Solar Panels use sunlight, not fuel.
- ↳ They help reduce air pollution.
- ↳ Sunlight is free.

**Go Solar,
Save the Planet. ☺**

KABIR CHANDNANI
Grade - 2A

The Century's Greatest Inventions

Mr. Watson, come here I want to see you

Here's How the telephone transformed over time




GUESS WHO?
Invented the telephone

Alexander Graham Bell was born in Scotland, moved to Canada. His wife and mother were deaf. He was passionate about deaf education and made a phonograph. He also invented a metal detector.

TRIVIA TIME
Thomas Edison suggested HELLO as the telephone greeting

QUOTES
About the future of Telephones, Alexander G. Bell said, "The day will come when the man at the telephone will be able to see the distant person to whom he is speaking."

ENYA AFFONSO
Grade - 2D

Riddle on Computers

1. You look at me to see everything on your computer. Who am I?

2. You use me to type letters and numbers. What am I?

3. I help you move the arrow on the screen. what am I?

4. I store everything on the computer — like a big brain!. what am I?

5. I make the computer turn on and run. I'm usually a box. What am I?

6. I'm a long key at the bottom. I help you make spaces. what am I?

7. I'm the key you press to erase letters. what am I?

8. I help you move to the next line when typing. what am I?

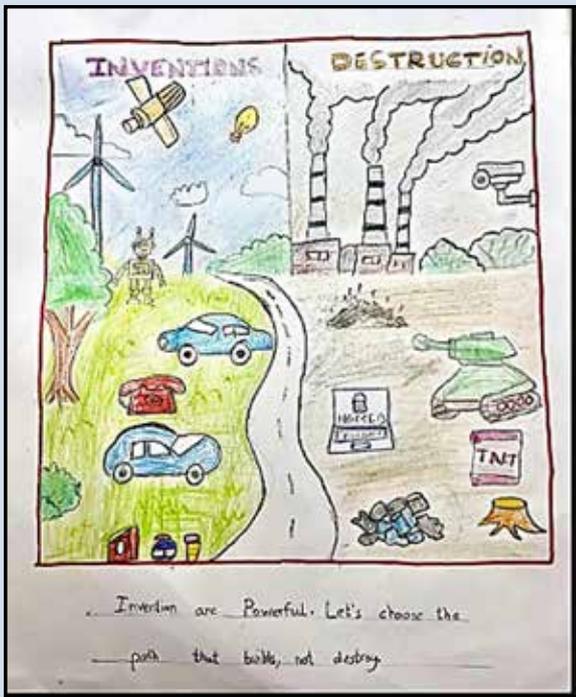
JOSHUA MATHEW
Grade - 2D

A CENTURY OF INVENTION

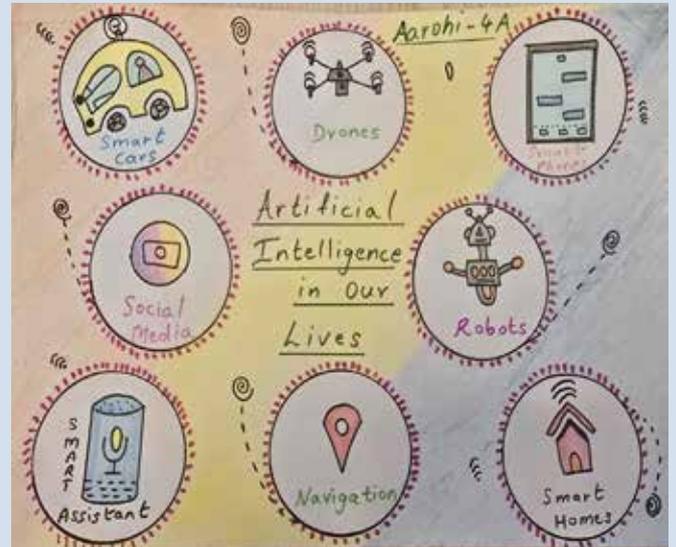
Television 1926 John Logie Baird - first Moving images on TV	Penicillin 1928 Alexander Fleming created first Antibiotic	Jet Engine 1930 Frank Whittle patented the first engine jet	Zebra Crossing 1951 First zebra crossing in the world in Slough - UK	DNA 1953 Francis Crick and James Watson found molecule DNA	Hovercraft 1955 Christopher Cockerill created without like transport - hovercraft
World Wide Web 1989 Tim Berners-Lee invented the WWW while working at CERN	Sight-Saving Medicine 1987 Maxley West and Dr. Albert Leckert	Bionic Ear 1978 Grouse Clark invented cochlear implant, a device	Supersize Screen 1967 Gerrone Ferguson made 6 times larger screens like IMAX	Portable Defibrillator 1965 Frank Partridge invented the device	Mini 1959 Sir Alec Issigonis developed compact car.
Wind-up Radio 1946 Treaser Baylis found a device that used sheep-dust used electricity	Animal Cloning 1996 Berlin Institute used sheep cloning	Harry Potter 1997 First fiction book by J.K. Rowling	Iphone 2007 Steve Jobs designed the advanced touchscreen mobile phone	Space Visit 2015 Tim Peake was the first to visit the ISS.	Space Tourism 2021 Richard Branson flew into space for 1 hour 40-min for tourism.

AANVI BHOSALE
Grade - 3C

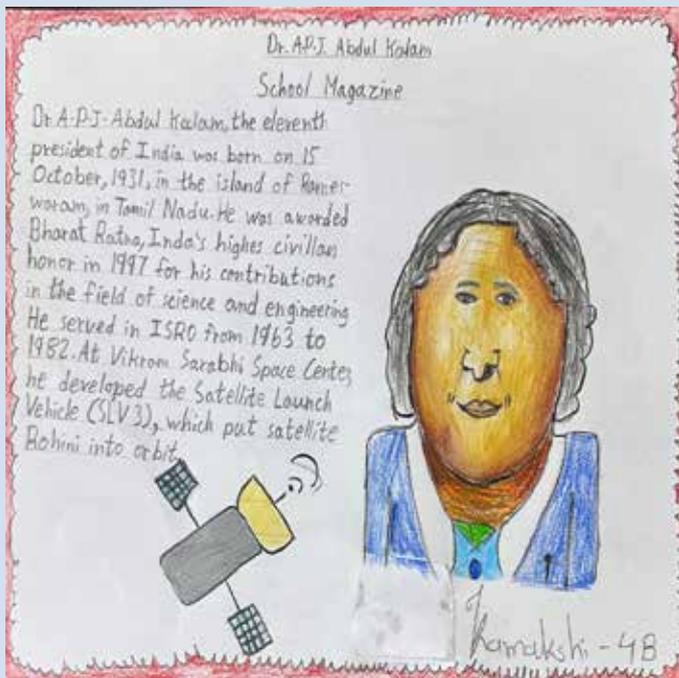
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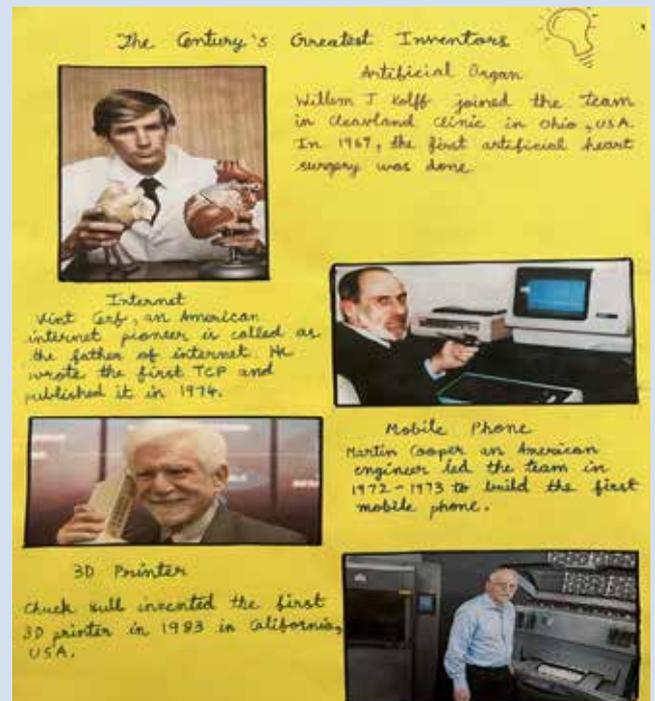
AHAAN PANT
 Grade - 2E



AAROHI
 Grade - 4D



KAMAKSHI JAYESHKUMAR
 Grade - 4B



ARYA SUHAS
 Grade - 4B

MY SPACE



YUVAAN CHOUDHARY
Grade - 4B

Robot Helpers in the Classroom

In the future, we might see friendly robot helpers in our classrooms! These robots will work alongside our human teachers to make learning even more fun. They can help explain things and provide extra support to students.

Together, robot helpers and our teachers will create an exciting place to learn and grow, making school an amazing adventure for everyone.

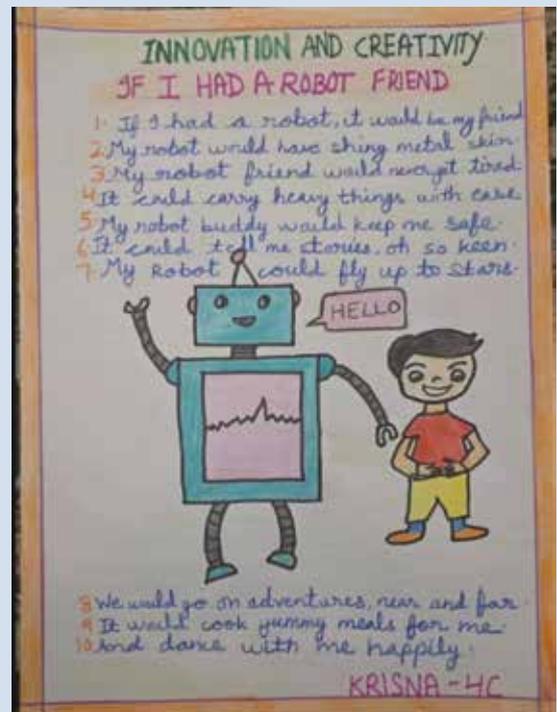


NYRA RATHORE
Grade - 4C

In the future, we will have flying taxis that use AI. These taxis will fly above the traffic so that we can get to places faster! The flying taxis will know how to avoid obstacles and find the best route. This means we no longer have to wait in long traffic jams! Flying taxis will make travelling super easy and fun. We can get to school on time and get home quickly after school. We'll also have more time to play with our friends. Our future will be exciting and full of fantastic opportunities.

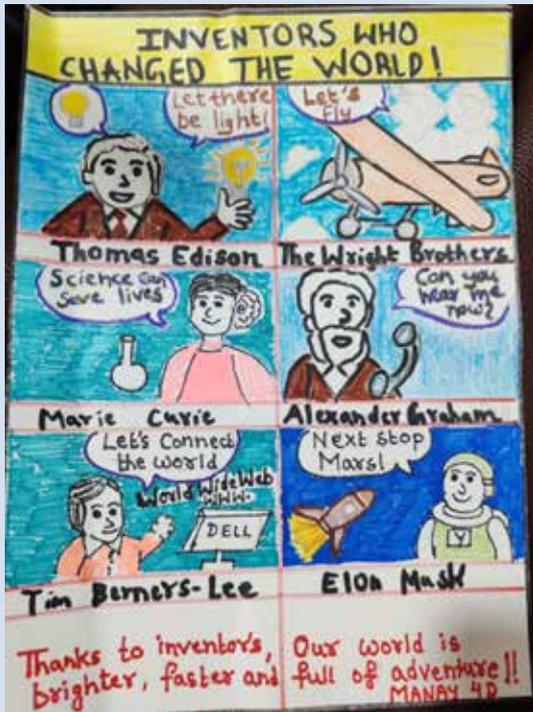


NAKSH RATHORE
Grade - 4C

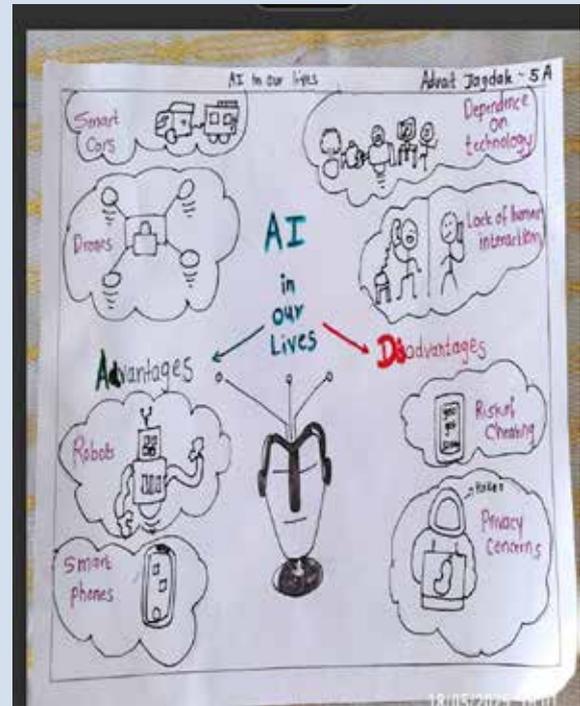


KRISNA
Grade - 4C

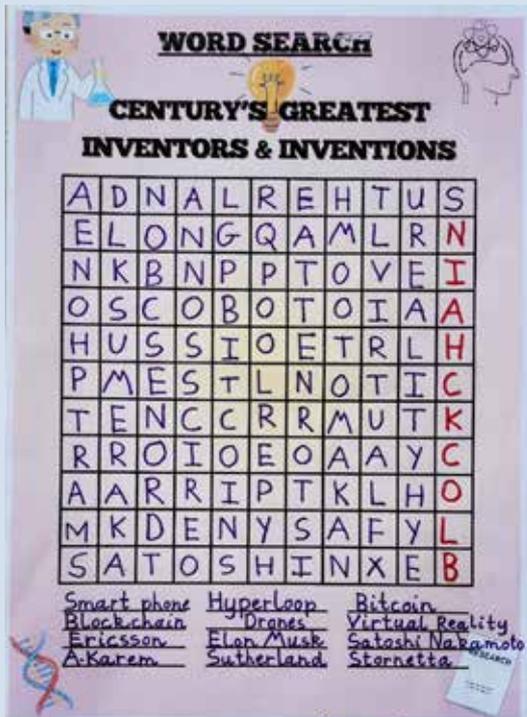
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MANAY PANDYA
 Grade - 4D



ADVAIT JAGDALE
 Grade - 5A

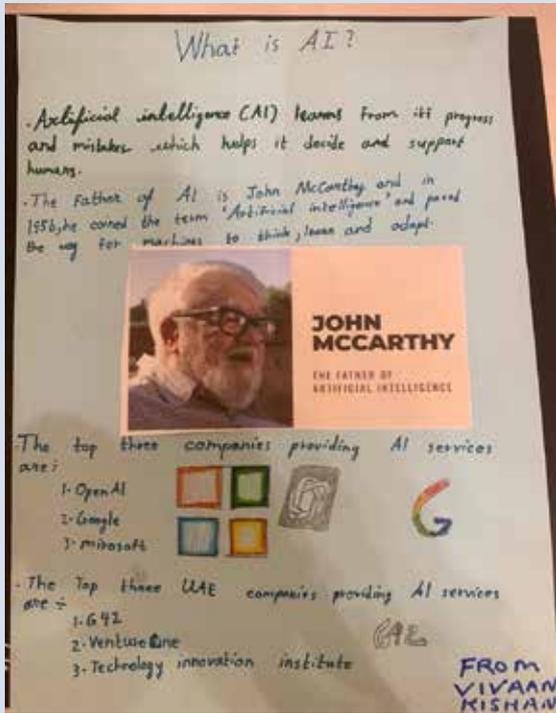


SAYURI MENON
 Grade - 4D

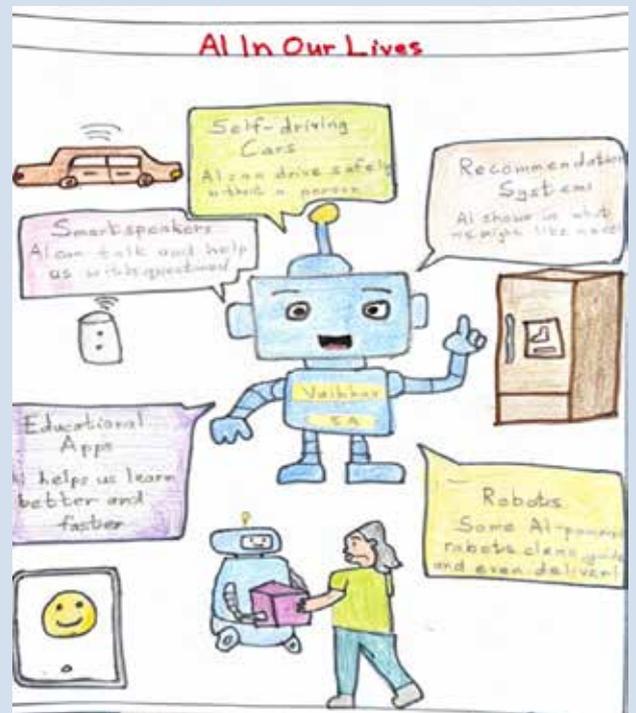


NIA WADHWA
 Grade - 5A

MY SPACE



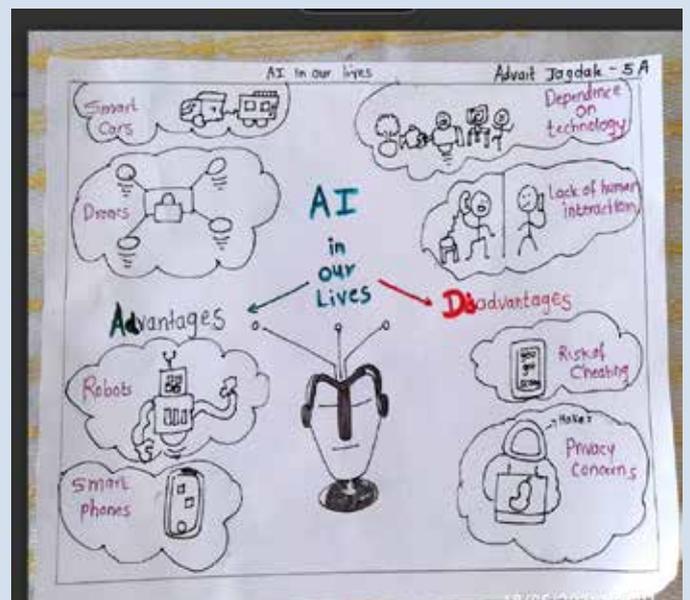
VIVAAN KISHAN
 Grade - 5C



VAIBHAV GIRISH
 Grade - 5A



EVA
 Grade - 5C



ADVAIT JAGDALE
 Grade - 5A

WORDSMITHS' WALL

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Invention vs. Destruction: A



Cosmic Comedy



In a world powered by imagination and undone by impulse, two eternal forces square off—not as enemies, but as wildly incompatible siblings: Invention, with a spark in his eye and a wrench in his pocket; and Destruction, with a smirk on her lips and dynamite in her handbag. Invention builds bridges out of bottle caps and dreams. He crafts cities that float, shoes that charge your phone, and robots that sing lullabies. He sees the world not as it is, but as it could be, and then rolls up his sleeves to make it so.

Destruction, however, doesn't ask if—she asks why not? She tears down the old to clear the stage for something new. Sure, she may burn down a library, but in the ashes, Invention finds a better way to store stories—clouds, chips, and neurons.

They clash constantly, but in truth, they need each other.

Without Destruction, Invention gets too comfortable.

Without Invention, Destruction is just noise. Together?



They're the heartbeat of evolution, the crash and crescendo behind every great leap—or glorious mess.

Because sometimes, to invent a phoenix, you first need a little fire.



AARYA SINGHANIA
8B

The Maker's Choice

We built the sky with fire and wire,
Lit up the dark, climbed ever higher.
With every code and crafted part,
We shaped the world with human heart.

But every spark that lights the way
Can scorch the night or save the day.
A button pressed, a drone in flight,
Can heal a field... or steal the light.

We write the rules, we cast the mold,
In hands so young, in minds so bold.
We build, we break — it's up to us,
To earn the future, hold the trust.

So carry power, sharp and bright
It births the dawn... or ends the night.

Radhika Kambadur (8B)

Invention or Destruction?

Since the beginning of civilizations, inventions have been created, easing the lives of people all around the globe. Let it be the wheel, the computer or the internet, these global inventions have affected all our lives. But, is this for the good or bad? Let's look at this prompt through the view of destruction.

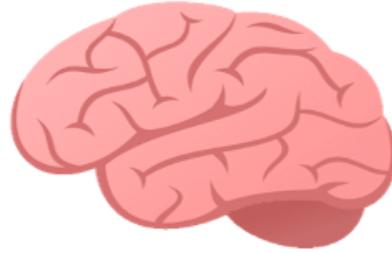
Yes, inventions have made our lives way easier. The invention of AI, for example. It has made segregating work, and brainstorming ideas faster and more efficient. But it is also leading to destruction, the dark side of inventions. Many people are misusing AI for many purposes. It is taking away people's jobs and using up too many resources. In fact, by 2026, it is estimated that the power needed to run AI will reach between 620 - 1,050 TWh. That's the amount of power Germany and Sweden use annually!

New inventions cause destruction if not planned properly. And for these problems the inventions are making, new inventions must be made. It's a cycle. Instead of that, let's break the cycle and take a moment to look around. Let's take small, simple steps. Simple doesn't have to mean insignificant. It can affect the planet positively too. Let's work together, taking small steps before taking a huge leap.

-Saikrishaa Saravanaganesh (8B)



Innovation VS Creativity



1. Elon Musk

- **Key Inventions/Innovations:** Tesla electric cars, SpaceX reusable rockets, Neuralink, Starlink.
- **Impact:** Revolutionized space travel, electric vehicles, and is pushing the boundaries of brain-machine interfaces.

2. Steve Jobs & Steve Wozniak

- **Key Inventions:** iPhone, iPad, Mac innovations.
- **Impact:** Reimagined consumer technology; the smartphone changed communication, commerce, and media.

3. Jeff Bezos

- **Inventions/Innovations:** Amazon's logistics system, Alexa, AWS.
- **Impact:** Transformed global e-commerce, cloud computing, and AI integration.

4. Shuji Nakamura

- **Invention:** Blue LED light.
- **Impact:** Enabled energy-efficient white LED lighting, revolutionizing global lighting solutions.

5. Sergey Brin & Larry Page

- **Invention:** Google Search algorithm.
- **Impact:** Redefined information access and knowledge discovery.

6. Katalin Karikó & Drew Weissman

- **Invention:** mRNA vaccine technology.
- **Impact:** Enabled rapid development of COVID-19 vaccines (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna).

By Zeyden 6D

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AI has an important role in our lives, it has become the most important part of our lives. AI has many uses and in this slide we will explore how AI

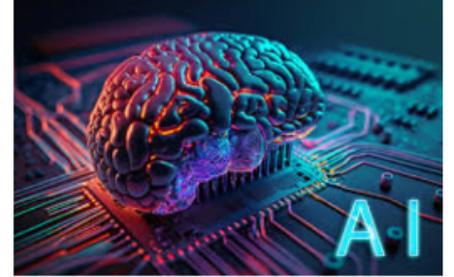
can be applied in our everyday lives.

- Digital assistants: When we have our hands full, we often use digital assistants on our behalf. Digital assistants also remind us of important days and meetings.
- Artificial intelligence is a powerful tool for solving problems. Artificial Intelligence can be used to solve all sorts of problems, from solving maths programs to finding new cures for diseases.
- Using AI map apps can predict traffic patterns, suggest alternate routes, and even provide personalized recommendations based on user preferences.
- AI can also fight crime through data mining, which allows crime patterns to emerge by collecting data points. By applying pattern analysis, authorities can determine where crime is occurring or where there is a high risk of suspicious activity.
- AI enhances decision-making by analyzing vast amounts of data quickly and accurately, identifying patterns and insights that might be missed by humans.
- Teachers can use AI to help with things like planning lessons, creating resources, marking work, giving feedback, and handling administrative tasks.
- The AI technology performs various tasks with voice instructions. AI virtual assistants like Alexa, Siri, and Google Assistant are managing many households. It allows you to just give a command to the AI and the AI takes care of all the operations and security of your home.



By Kavya Sethi (6B)

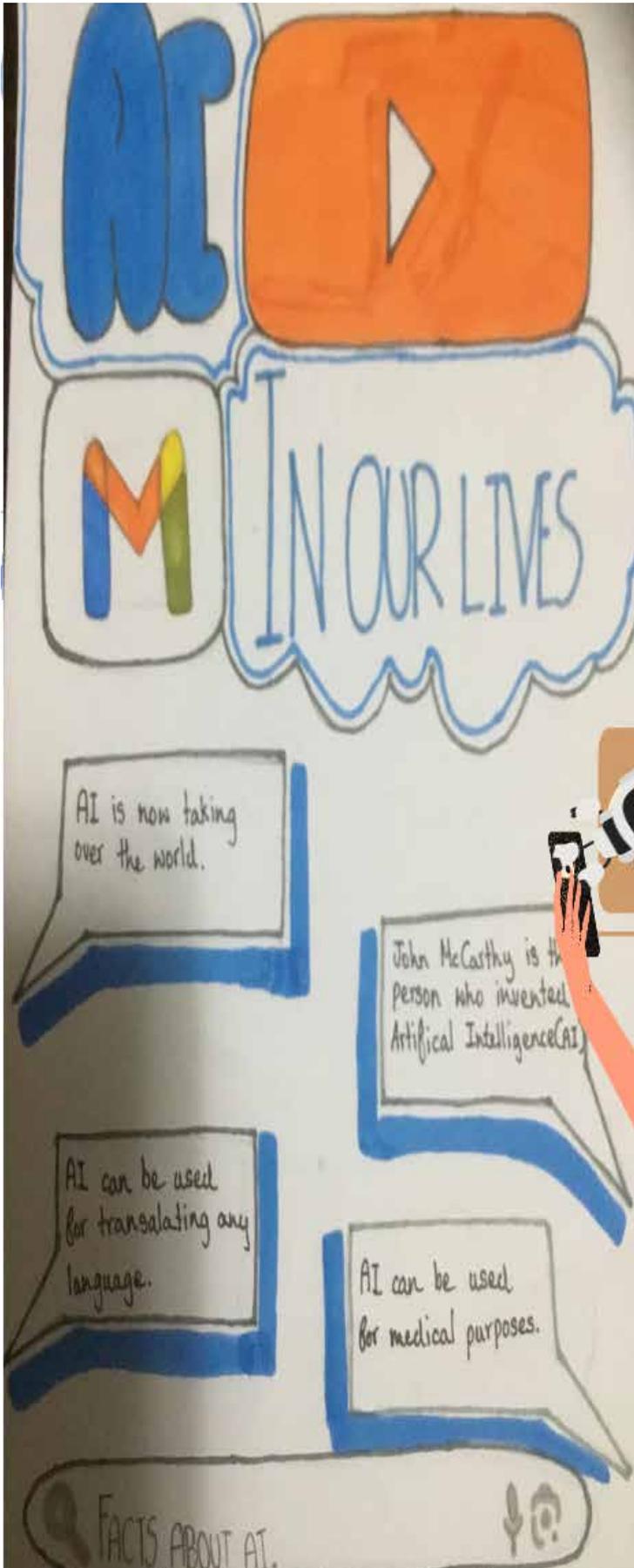
WHISPERS OF THE FUTURE



In circuits hum and silent code,
A world unknown begins to grow.
From morning lights that gently rise,
To cars that steer 'neath watchful eyes,
AI now walks where humans tread,
A quiet voice inside our head.
In doctor's halls and farmer's field,
But with each gift, a shadow falls—
A question echoing through the halls,
Will we command, or be confined By what
we've built to match our mind?
Yet hope remains in lines of code,

**BY - AZIZ
PATANWALA (8A)**

WORDSMITHS' WALL



By Ashvika
Dushyanth
(6A)



WORDSMITHS' WALL

AI in our lives - By Meera Yaazhisai (6A)

One day in AD 2189, way ahead in the future , there was a boy named Tom. On Sunday, there was breaking news , a scientist had invented a time machine ! Tom flew as fast as he could in his AI shoes to the science exhibition, and he couldn't believe his eyes ! The time machine was unguarded, not surrounded by a single person ! Tom got in and he wanted to travel to the year 9150, but he accidentally traveled to the year 1950!

In the year 1950 -

Tom was shocked ! He was in a random house , and there was a boy doing his homework , but he was writing it...on paper! Worse , he didn't make his workbot do his homework ! He asked the boy, "Why aren't you using a workbot?". "Workbot?? What's that ? And who are you?" The boy replied.

"I'm ..Tom , quick question , what year is it?" asked Tom

" It's obviously 1950, and how did you get in my house ??" Asked the boy with a puzzled look.

"1950!!!!!! , Ok, this may sound crazy but I'm from the future , the AI teachers taught us about your time ! "

"What?! You are from the future !! The boy couldn't believe his ears!

"Can you show me around ?" Asked Tom

"Sure!"

Tom suddenly realised that he forgot his AI shoes ! " On second thought , never mind, I forgot my AI shoes ! "

"AI shoes? We can just walk barefoot !"

After hours and hours of exploring , Tom decided to go back , and the new friends bid farewell . When Tom came back to the year 2189, he realised how lucky he is to have AI in his life!

THE END



WORDSMITHS' WALL



• In a world defined by innovation, the 20th and 21st centuries have introduced visionaries who reshaped how we live, connect, and imagine the future. Names like Thomas Edison, whose lightbulb illuminated the world, and Nikola Tesla, whose alternating current powers our homes, laid the groundwork for a modern age. But the revolution didn't stop there.

• Alan Turing cracked codes and created the blueprint for computers. Tim Berners-Lee brought the internet to life, shrinking the world into our hands. Steve Jobs and Bill Gates turned personal computing into a household reality, changing entertainment, communication, and work forever.

• Fast forward to today, and innovators like Elon Musk are redefining transport, space travel, and sustainable energy, while Katalin Karikó's mRNA research helped create life-saving vaccines in record time.

• These inventors didn't just build gadgets—they shifted cultures, economies, and the very way we think. Their genius reminds us that imagination, paired with relentless drive, can transform the impossible into the everyday.

• So when we stream, swipe, or send a message—remember, it all started with a spark of invention.

Riya Kakalia-9A

WORDSMITHS' WALL

Whisper s of Tomorr OW

In circuits hum the dreams of minds,
Electrons dance through pathways, intertwined.
Innovation blooms, a tech-born flower,
Breaching the limits of human power.

From silent code, a spark ignites,
Machines awakened to endless heights.
They learn, they grow, they seek to know,
Through layers of data, their insights flow.

-Taha 9B

Digital Dementia

Today, we are living more and more with the aid of technology to accomplish things that our brains used to do so easily. We use GPS to find the shortest routes and ask voice assistants for simple facts. We are slowly outsourcing key thinking tasks, like remembering things, navigating, and deciding, to our devices. This effect, which is sometimes referred to as "digital dementia," is the result of over-reliance on technology damaging our brain's inherent capacity for recalling and comprehending information. In contrast to previous generations that memorized telephone numbers, routes, and significant dates, a lot of individuals nowadays instinctively reach for their phones - converting what once required mental effort into simple usage.

Neurological research has already corroborated such concerns. It shows that constant multitasking on electronic devices is liable to reduce grey matter in parts of the brain related to memory and attention. Young adults, as a whole, may be at risk of neglecting to develop key thinking and problem-solving skills as a result of the convenient technology workarounds. Technology can make us work more efficiently and simplify life, but overusing it can deplete our capacity to think and learn. The solution is to achieve a balance - utilizing technology as a useful tool, not as something we're addicted to - so that our minds remain active, versatile, and robust in an increasingly automated world.

Advika – 10A

LIFE WITH ROBOTS

THE WORLD IS FULL OF LIGHTS AND SOUND,

WITH ROBOTS MOVING ALL AROUND.

THEY HELP US WORK, THEY HELP US PLAY,

AND MAKE THINGS EASY EVERY DAY.

NO NEED TO DIG OR LIFT OR DRIVE,

THE MACHINES HELP US STAY ALIVE.

THEY CLEAN OUR HOMES AND COOK OUR FOOD,

AND ALWAYS STAY IN A GOOD MOOD.

BUT EVEN WITH THIS SHINY LIFE,

WE STILL WANT LOVE, AND JOY, NOT STRIFE.

SO LET THE ROBOTS DO THEIR PART—

BUT KEEP SOME SPACE FOR HUMAN HEART.



Jayden D'souza | 11A

Creation is the child of necessity ~ Arjun Chandrasekar(12A)

Creation is the child of necessity - a timeless truth that echoes through every era of human history. When faced with obstacles, it is often not comfort but challenge that ignites innovation. From the invention of the wheel to the birth of the internet, each breakthrough was driven by a need to survive, to adapt, or to thrive. In scarcity, the human mind doesn't falter - it imagines. It builds. It overcomes. Whether solving everyday inconveniences or responding to global crises, necessity fuels our most inventive moments. It reminds us that within every problem lies the potential for profound creation.

Necessity strips away the excess, leaving only the urgent question: What must be done? In that space, ingenuity is born. It's why the cold gave us fire, distance gave us the wheel, and isolation gave us digital connection. Necessity clarifies purpose and demands action, turning ordinary people into problem-solvers, inventors, and pioneers. It transforms limitation into opportunity, forcing us to think differently, to adapt creatively. Across cultures and centuries, this pattern holds true. Creation doesn't wait for ideal conditions-it thrives in the absence of them. And in every solution sparked by need, we see the incredible resilience of the human spirit.

In the end, creation born of necessity is more than a response to hardship - it's a testament to the boundless potential within us. It proves that when faced with urgency, humanity doesn't just endure; it innovates. The challenges we encounter are not just trials to survive, but catalysts for growth, progress, and transformation. As long as needs exist, so too will the drive to create, to solve, and to build a better future. Necessity may be the mother of invention, but human resilience is its heartbeat -steady, unyielding, and endlessly creative.

Eggless chocolate cupcake

Ingredients

- ¼ cup vegetable oil
- 1 + ¼ cup superfine sugar
- 1 cup yogurt/ hung curd
- 1 + ½ cup maida / all purpose flour
- ¾ cup cocoa powder
- 1tsp coffee powder (optional)
- A pinch of salt
- 1 tsp baking powder
- ½ tsp baking soda



Note: Top it with BUTTERCREAM FROSTING to make it more enjoyable!

Cocoa Buttercream frosting

½ cup soft butter

Beat it well till fluffly and white.

Add 1 cup of sugar powder , ¼ cocoa powder and beat well till combined.

Fill it in a piping bag and swirl a design on the cooled down cupcakes.....

Innovation and Creativity



Instructions

- Preheat your oven at 180 degree celsius and line your cupcake tray with cupcake liners.
- In a bowl add in oil and sugar. Make sure to whisk these two really well, till the mixture becomes light and pale.
- In the same bowl, add in yogurt. Mix this in as well.
- Put a large sieve over the same bowl and sift flour, cocoa powder, salt, baking powder, baking soda, and coffee powder. Adding in coffee powder is completely optional. You can choose to leave it out.
- Once sifted, fold in dry ingredients into the wet ingredients and mix well.
- Now add in milk, mix everything really nicely and ensure there are no lumps in the batter.
- Using an ice cream scoop, fill ¾th of each cupcake liner and bake these at 180 degree celsius for 20-25 minutes or alternatively use a microwave at full power for 4 to 5 minutes till done (check the power level of your microwave).

ENJOY.

Note: Top it with BUTTERCREAM FROSTING to make it more enjoyable!

- Maegan M – 11B

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A NOTE FROM THE MOMS

A NOTE FROM THE MOMS - TO THE CLASS OF 2026 - FROM YOUR BIGGEST FANS (YES, ALL OF US MOMS)

Dear Class of 2026,

Well, here we are, your final year of school. Graduation might still seem far off, but trust us, it's coming faster than you think. You're in the "don't blink or you'll miss it" stretch. It's exciting, nerve wracking, and a little emotional, and that's just us parents!

Over the years, many of us have had our share of late-night worries, question-filled chats, and the occasional meltdown over schedules. Some of us even had heartfelt talks with the Principal, who, thankfully, always managed to calm us down. Through all of it, we've watched you grow, sometimes with awe, sometimes with disbelief at how fast it's gone. And now, as you take this final lap, we wanted to share a few thoughts from the side-lines.

Here's what we hope you carry with you this year:

1. Pace Yourself

This is a marathon, not a sprint. It's tempting to try and be everywhere, do everything, and ace every assignment all at once. But burning yourself out doesn't prove anything. Trust us, we've learned the hard way that pushing past the limit isn't a badge of honour.

Rest matters. Consistency matters. Building habits, taking breaks, and knowing when to step away from the desk matters just as much as the studying itself. And yes, sleep is not optional. We're officially giving you permission to nap (just not during double periods, ok?).

2. You Are More Than Your Marks

Of course we care about your grades. You care too, and that's a good thing. But please remember that your value is not measured in percentages. Your kindness, your creativity, your ability to bounce back after a rough week, the way you treat others, your sense of humour, those are just as important. Maybe more. A result can tell us something about how you did on one day, in one subject. But it doesn't tell the whole story. You do.

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3. Change Is Good (Even When It's Uncomfortable)

This year, you're going to change. You're going to learn more about yourself than you expect. That might feel strange sometimes. You may shift friendships, question plans, or feel like you're outgrowing things you used to love. That's okay. That's growth. You don't need to have it all figured out right now. Honestly, many of us still don't. And we turned out okay (mostly). So, give yourself the space to explore, to shift, to stumble and get back up again. That's how real growth happens, not from playing it safe, but from being brave enough to step into the unknown.

4. Take Care of Your Mind and Body

Eat something green once in a while. Drink water. Take a walk. Laugh. Look up from your phone and really be present. Some of the best memories and genuine conversations happen when you're not scrolling. It's easy to let basic things like sleep and food fall down the priority list, but this year, your wellbeing needs to be part of the plan. You're not a robot, and no amount of coffee can replace rest or fresh air.

We know your schedule is packed. Just make sure there's room in it for you.

5. Ask for Help

Please, please don't try to do this year alone. If you're overwhelmed, confused, stressed or stuck, reach out. Ask a teacher. A friend. A mentor. Us. We're here, even if we're still not entirely sure what some of those math topics actually mean. (But hey, we'll happily Google them at 1 a.m. if it helps!) You don't have to wait until things are falling apart to speak up. And needing support doesn't make you weak, it makes you human. Sometimes you just need someone to listen, or to bring you snacks while you rewrite that essay for the third time. We may not always have the answers, but we'll always show up.

6. Get Started on Those Applications (We Know, We Know)

Yes, it's time to start thinking about what comes next, whether that's university, a gap year, or something else entirely. And yes, we know it's daunting. All those forms and statements and course options. Most of us didn't have to jump through quite as many hoops when we were in Year 12. Start early, even if it's just making a list of things you like or attending that

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Uni Fair to find a few more options. Don't wait until the last minute to figure it all out. This process can be confusing, but you don't have to tackle it alone.

Talk to your teachers. Use your school's resources. Ask us to read over your application (we'll pretend we're experts). And remember, what you choose now is a starting point, not a life sentence. Careers evolve, paths change, and that's ok.

To the Class of 2026

This is your moment. Your time to rise, fall, learn, and rise again. It won't be perfect, and it doesn't have to be. What matters is that you show up, do your best, and keep going, even when it's hard.

We're here, cheering you on through every deadline, every performance, and every late-night study session. We're bursting with pride already, and graduation isn't even here yet.

Some of us have already started crying, yes, before the speeches, before the suits and sarees, before the caps even get thrown. That's how much we love you. That's how proud we are.

You've got this. And we've got you.

With all our love,

On behalf of The Moms,

Sunita Natarajan (parent of Arjun Chandrasekar 12A)

CELEBRATIONS GALORE

EXPRESSIONS

It is not our differences that divide us. It is our inability to recognize, accept, and celebrate those differences." — Audre Lorde

Grade 5 students of Ambassador School presented Expressions, an event celebrating the theme Accepting Differences. Through a skit, dance, and song, students conveyed powerful messages of empathy, inclusion, and unity. The skit portrayed real-life scenarios encouraging kindness and respect, while the energetic dance emphasized how diversity enriches collaboration. A heartfelt song reinforced the spirit of togetherness.

Students showcased confidence, teamwork, and clear understanding of the theme. The audience appreciated the meaningful performances and the creative expression of such an important message.

Overall, Expression proved to be a successful and inspiring event. It not only offered students an opportunity to showcase their talents but also deepened their awareness of the importance of accepting differences. The event left the school community with a powerful reminder of empathy, unity, and inclusion.



MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

'Mental Health Awareness Week' @ ASD

Inspired by our wellbeing Team, we stand in solidarity dressed in Green.♥
Supporting mental health awareness week, we wish for a strong and supportive community!

In the words of our little ambassadors - "Healthy mind = Happy Life"💚



THE PERFORMING LINGUIST THIRD EDITION

"Language is the stage upon which the soul performs, where words become the actors, and expression is the art that brings every story to life." On Saturday, 10th May, 2025, the English Department of Ambassador School, Dubai proudly hosted the 'The Performing Linguist Third Edition', an Interschool event that brought together students from more than ten leading schools across Dubai, Sharjah and Abu Dhabi, to celebrate language, creativity, and expression. In the Language Lounge segment, middle school students crafted heartfelt poems that deeply resonated with readers, paired with vivid illustrations that beautifully captured the essence of their words. The innovative and reflective senior students demonstrated exceptional creativity and insight during their dramatic presentations in the Articulate and Act category. Each act presented was a demonstration of their diligent preparation and empathetic understanding of the theme. Schools namely Ambassador School, Sharjah, Ambassador School, Dubai, Our Own Girls High School, Sharjah, Delhi Private School, Dubai scored positions in the individual categories. Our Own English School, Sharjah, was declared the Runner-Up and the much-anticipated Winner Trophy was awarded to Ambassador School, Dubai for their outstanding overall performance. The jury panel appreciated the overall format and standard of the competition. Heartiest congratulations to all participants, mentors, and schools for their exceptional contribution to this inspiring literary celebration!



ICSE (CLASS 10) AND ISC (CLASS 12) BOARD EXAMINATIONS FOR THE YEAR 2025

Outstanding Performance by the Grade 10 & 12 students of Ambassador School, Dubai

ASD School is yet again a happy school; this time of the year the happiness and the feeling of fulfillment comes with the fantastic performances of our students. An entire year of hard work, strict discipline, extreme skills of time management and meticulous attention to the finest preparation for the Board Examinations finally culminated to publishing of results, every way meeting our expectations. Ambassador School Dubai has yet again proved its stand as one of the top most Indian Curriculum schools, leading in the UAE with an outstanding performance in the ICSE (Class 10) and ISC (Class 12) Board Examinations for the year 2025.

Nirvaan Desai topped with 98.4%, the second place taken by Vinaya Bhat with an impressive 98.2%, Jaden Dsouza taking the 3rd place with 97.6%, while the fourth place grabbed jointly by Hridansh Kumar and Advait Kalloor.

70% of students scored more than 90% which is a commendable feat! The ISC students also mirrored this excellence, with the first place taken by Antara Bhat, scoring 97.5%, and the second place taken by Subhdeep Choudhury with 97.25%, close at heels stand Aradhana Suresh at 97% while Yashvi Agarwal stands at 96.75%. The students gave each other a strong competition surely, as their minute differences in the score state so.

Congratulations to all our Students, Parents and Teachers, as your joint collaboration contributed to the joyous celebration of success and achievements at ASD. We are super proud of each and every child's achievement!

ICSE 2025
TOPPERS OF THE SCHOOL

NIRVAAN BHULL DESAI 98.4%

VINAYA BHAT 98.2%

JADEN AARAV DSOUZA 97.6%

HRIDANSH KUMAR 96.8%

ADVAITH HRIDHOY KALLOOR 96.8%

Congratulations
Best wishes from Ambassador School, Dubai on your achievement.

ISC 2025
TOPPERS OF THE SCHOOL

ANTARA ASHOK BHAT 97.5%

SUBHDEEP CHOUDHURY 97.25%

ARADHANA SURESH 97%

YASHVI AGARWAL 96.75%

Congratulations
Best wishes from Ambassador School, Dubai on your achievement.

THE YEAR OF SUSTAINABILITY SEAL

Ambassador School, Dubai awarded 'Plan to Action: The Year of Sustainability SEAL'.

"Sustainability is not a goal to be reached but a way of thinking, a way of being, a principle we must live by..."...Unknown

It is a moment of gratitude and pride that ASD has been recognized for its sustained commitment to sustainability and environmental stewardship. UAE's Year of Sustainability Team has recognized ASD's achievements with the Plan to Action: The Year of Sustainability SEAL.

This recognition is not just about recent actions, but the culmination of years of quiet, consistent effort, from integrating eco-conscious practices into daily routines to empowering our students to think and act for the planet.

With humility, we accept this recognition as a reflection of our shared vision: to contribute meaningfully to the well-being of UAE and the wider world. Thank you to every student, teacher, staff member, and parent community, partnering with us in this journey. Together, we will continue to plant the seeds of a better future.



STOGOCOMP

Under the patronage of H.E. Sheikh Nahyan Bin Mubarak Al Nahyan(UAE Minister of tolerance &co existence & Honorary President of esafe)

“STOGOCOMP use of AI & Robotics for the wellbeing of children”

The Finale and award ceremony was held at Dubai University on 29th April 2025.

Ambassador School is proud to announce that our FIT Buddy AI robot designed programmed by Guha Prabu & Farzeen M Ershad from 7B and Avni Mohan 7C won the third position. Out of 96 Projects, 20 were identified for the exemplary innovative exhibits for the Finale. Ambassador School, Dubai showcased 4 exemplary innovative working and still models.

All our participants have emerged as winners in a prestigious AI & Robotics Competition, showcasing the power of technology to enhance student well-being. Their projects demonstrated how artificial intelligence and robotics can be used to promote mental health, encourage positive habits, and create a more supportive school environment.

Through thoughtful design and teamwork, the students developed interactive tools—including AI chatbots and wellness-monitoring robots—that reflect their commitment to both innovation and empathy. This achievement not only highlights their technical skills but also their deep understanding of the importance of emotional and social well-being in education. We congratulate our young participants as visionaries for leading the way in using technology for good—and proving that meaningful change can begin in the classroom.

Congratulations to the STREAM team at Ambassador School for tapping the innate potential of the students and showcasing to the larger community.



KARATE CUP 2025

Ambassador School Shines at the Challenge Karate Cup 2025

We are absolutely thrilled to share the phenomenal performance of our students at the Challenge Karate Cup, held on 4th May 2025 in Sharjah. The event was packed with high-energy Kata (forms) and Kumite (sparring) competitions, where students from various age groups and belt levels competed with fierce determination and skill. ASDians rose to this challenge brilliantly.

With a total medal tally of 23, divided as 6 gold, 9 silver and 8 Bronze medals, ASD made a stupendous mark in Karate. In addition to these individual achievements, Ambassador School was honored with a special trophy for the Best School Performance, and our coach was also awarded a trophy for outstanding guidance and leadership.

Every move in this form of martial art, reflected discipline, focus, and unstoppable spirit in our students, as they made use of their dedicated training hours to the fullest.

Heartfelt congratulations to all our young champions! Your dedication, sportsmanship, and passion continue to inspire us all.

We also extend our deepest gratitude to the supportive parents who stood beside our students, encouraging them in every possible way. This victory is a shared celebration!



ASD'S FIRST GIRL - BLACK BELT

Namaha Sunil Tanna: ASD's first girl to get the Black Belt. Congratulations! ASDians are seen breaking barriers with strength and spirit! Congratulations to Namaha Sunil Tanna: ASD's first girl to get the Black Belt. She is a passionate and dedicated student from ASD's afterschool program ASPIRE to achieve this prestigious milestone!

Namaha's journey has been nothing short of inspiring. With unwavering determination and consistent effort, she has set a shining example of what focus, discipline, and resilience can accomplish.

Medal Achievements: 1 Gold Medals, 6 Silver Medals & 3 Bronze Medals (Across Kata, Team Kata, and Kumite).

Her remarkable performance across various competitions and categories speaks volumes about her talent and dedication. Namaha has truly raised the bar for all aspiring martial art enthusiasts at ASD.



BUDOKAN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Students from Ambassador School proudly participated in the Budokan Karate Championship held on 27th April 2025 at Al Ittihaad Private School, Al Mamzar, Dubai. This prestigious event, organized by Budokan Karate, brought together skilled karatekas from various regions, providing a platform to showcase their discipline, technique, and passion for martial arts.

Ambassador School students delivered a stellar performance, achieving a total of 20 medals:

6 Gold Medals, 5 Silver Medals & 9 Bronze medals

These accolades were earned in both individual Kata and Kumite categories, underscoring the hard work and high level of preparation by our students and coaches.

Hearty congratulations to all our young champion and their coach

We are proud of this remarkable achievement and applaud every participant for their perseverance, sportsmanship, and school spirit.



Well-being Calender June 2025



Week 1: Confidence

- 1
Draw yourself as a superhero
- 2
Share a happy memory of an achievement with a friend
- 3
Ask a friend what they think makes you as positive person
- 4
Write down 3 ways you could make a difference to the world
- 5
List 3 people you think are confident and why
- 6
Write a note to your future self and tell them how amazing they are
- 7
Remember to smile if you look in the mirror

Week 2: Communication

- 8
Make a plan to do something nice with your family tonight
- 9
Say something positive to everyone you meet today
- 10
Step outside and listen. What communication in nature can you hear?
- 11
Spread kindness by reminding someone of their strengths
- 12
Learn to say thank you in 4 different languages
- 13
Read a poem out loud
- 14
Take 5 minutes to be silent

Week 3: Resilience

- 15
List 3 things you want to do this week which will make you feel happy
- 16
Dance to as many songs as you can until you are tired
- 17
Stretch your arms and legs as far as possible
- 18
Take 5 deep breaths
- 19
Remember a time you overcame with a challenge in a positive way
- 20
Think of 3 people who you could talk to if you were finding something difficult
- 21
Be thankful for a small thing in life

Week 4: Self awareness

- 22
Use one of your strengths to do something positive today
- 23
Discover your creative side- draw a thank you card for someone
- 24
Write down 3 things you are grateful for that
- 25
Ask somebody what they think your greatest strength is
- 26
Find a positive response to something you are worried about
- 27
Note down 3 things you are feeling right now
- 28
Write down a quick positive action you can take everyday

Week 5: Self awareness

- 29
Send a positive letter or message to a family member or friend
- 30
List all the positive things that have happened this month