

# Epistemo Lemur's News





#### Dear Parent

#### Greetings and Welcome to the 2021-22 Academic Year at Epistemo!

We take pleasure in bringing to you the New Edition after the short break. This issue ventures to encapsulate the happenings of June.

"One child, one teacher, one pen and one book can change the world." - Malala Yousafzai

Everyone has that one teacher — or, if they're lucky, a few teachers — who helped unlock their potential and changed the way they see the world. Magical!

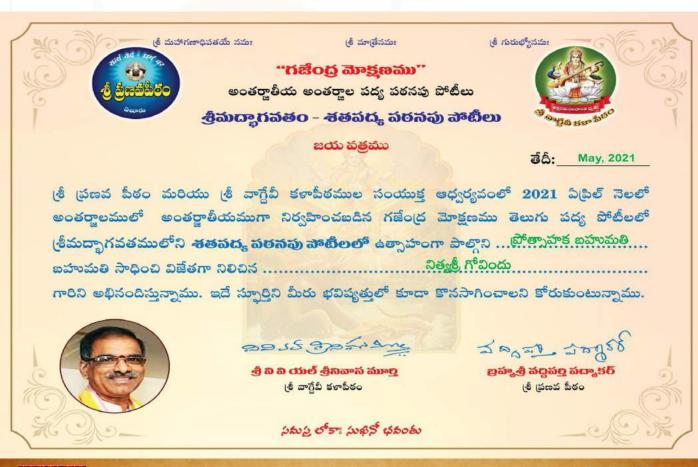
To unlock so many more Magical experiences we are back with a bang after the Summer break.

The school has become functional conventionally in the new normal and learning in classes is taking tiny steps to leap soon. Our new session has started with great excitement, enthusiasm, and exploration.



#### **Achievement**

We are happy to share that Nityasri Govindu (చి. నిత్యశ్రీ గోవిందు) has won a Consolation Prize as part of the Mega Competition event to recite 100 Bhagavatha Padyams in Telugu [భాగవతం 100 - పద్య పఠనపు పోటీలు] without looking at the Script in the same Order of the List Provided. This was one of the challenging programs that she attended so far organized by "Sri Pranava Peetham" [శ్రీ ప్రణవపీఠం] and "Sri Vagdevi Kalaa Peetham" [శ్రీ వాగ్దేవి కళా పీఠము]. We are very much honored/blessed to be part of this Competition being announced by the Great Personality "Dr. N. Jayaprakash Narayana" Garu in the presence of many Telugu/Sanskrit Scholars that participated On-Line through Zoom session.





#### **Gizmos Virtual Championship**

Gizmos Virtual Championship for teams of Grades 3 to 5 and 6 to 8 helped children join a virtual community of competitors, poised to learn, and demonstrate 21st-century skills. The participants competed under two categories, Category 1 - Grades 3 to 5 & Category 2- Grades 6 to 8. The contest was divided into three levels: School, Zonal and National.

Level 1 (School): 19th June 2021 Level 2 (Zonal): 28th June 2021 Level 3 (National): 7th July 2021

The journey of Gizmos started one month before by enrolling the students based on the consent forms given. Total 51 students from Grades 3 to 8 were enrolled for the School level Challenge. The sample challenge sheet shared by Gizmos was assigned to the kids for practice. The biology expert had taken a session to make students understand how to solve the sample challenge questionnaire after performing Gizmos Virtual Simulation. Gizmos Virtual Level 1 Challenge was conducted at 2 PM on June 19th in respective Science classrooms. On the day of the competition, Gizmos presented a challenge for the participants of different categories. The participants were given 60 minutes to complete the challenge. Evaluation of all the 48 submitted forms (Category 1 - 30, Category 2 -19) was done using the Category 1 & 2 Solution Document Rubrics shared by Gizmos with the support of a Physics expert. We got five students with the highest score under category 1 & two students with the highest score under category 2. The scores were released through personalized mail IDs.

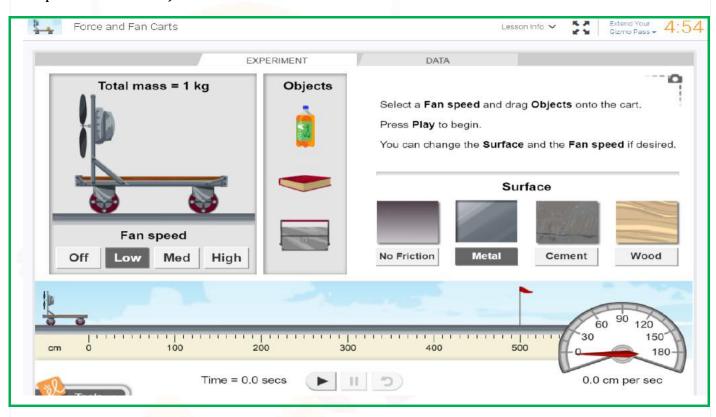
Students with the highest score under Category1	Students with the highest score under Category2
Diya (3B)	Purvi (7A)
Ritansh (3B)	Akankshya (7B)
Vivaan (3B)	
Ritisha (4B)	
Shalmali (5C)	

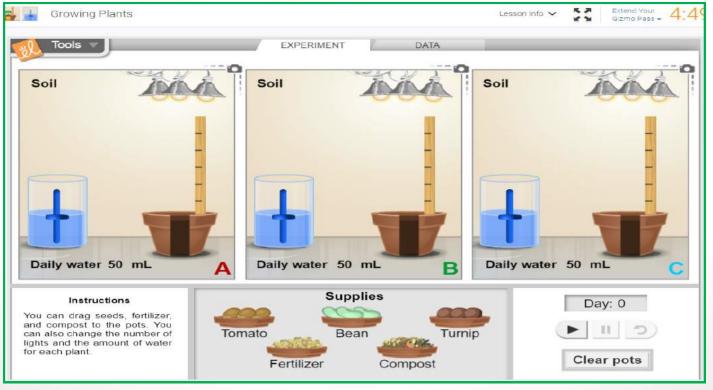
A tie-breaker challenge was arranged on 21st June using the chemistry Phet simulation link and a google form. The evaluation was done by Chemistry Expert. Purvi from grade 7A was selected under Category 2. Vivaan (3B) & Ritisha (4B) performed equally well under Category 1. A Rapid-fire round was conducted to select the final winner. Ritisha was the winner in this round. Our hearty congratulations to Purvi (7A) & Ritisha (4B) for winning the School Level Challenge.

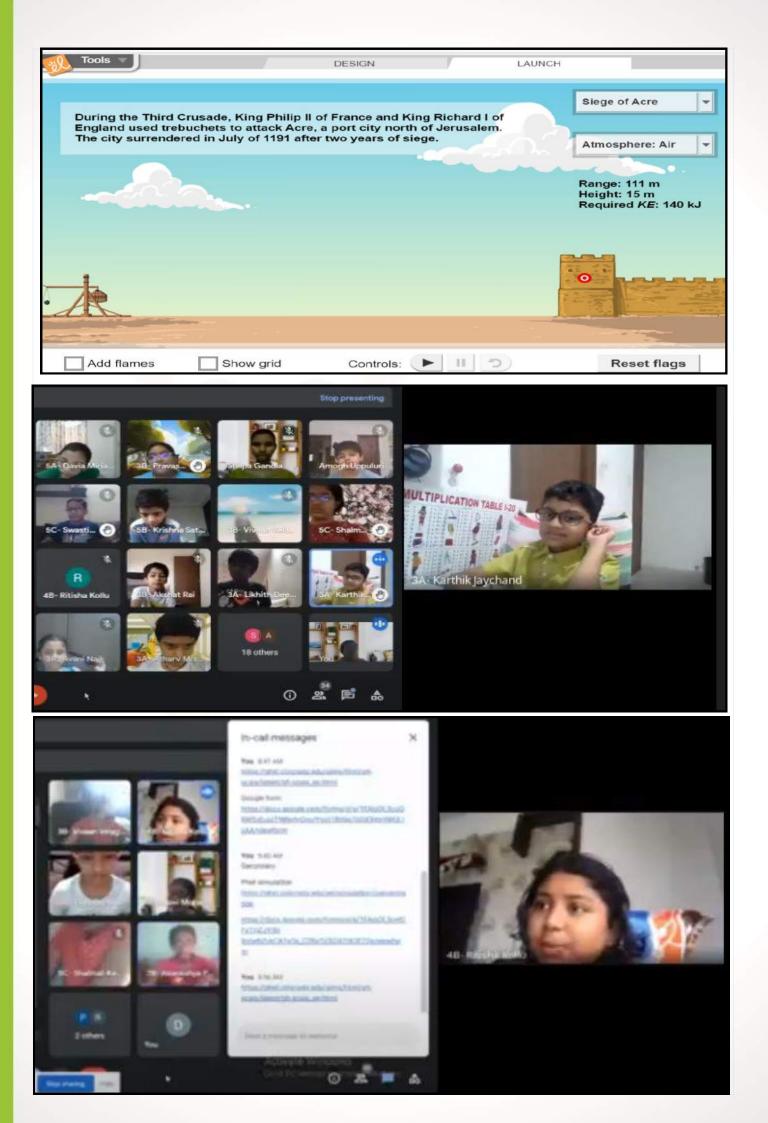
#### The entire journey in the winner's words:

**Purvi Sampathirao Grade 7A:** Gizmos is a great platform for learning and proving oneself. I am very delighted to be selected for the zonal level. We can learn new things and explore learning through Gizmos. Thank you so much Team Epistemo and Gizmos for providing me this golden opportunity.

We congratulate all the enrolled students for participating in Gizmos Virtual Championship and experiencing this competition that requires relevant knowledge of science/ math and good problem solving and data interpretation skills. The winners have the Zone level competition on 28th June 2021. All the best **Purvi** and **Ritisha**.









# HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

## **Pre-Primary Father's Day Celebration**

We are celebrating "Father's Day" along with "Blue Colour Day" on 18th June 2021, Friday. Request you and your child to be dressed in Blue attire on the day of celebration.

Photos Link: <a href="https://padlet.com/shwetha6/Fathersday">https://padlet.com/shwetha6/Fathersday</a>

Video Link: https://photos.app.goo.gl/2wJWryr5fbSZk8fG7





## **WORLD MUSIC DAY**

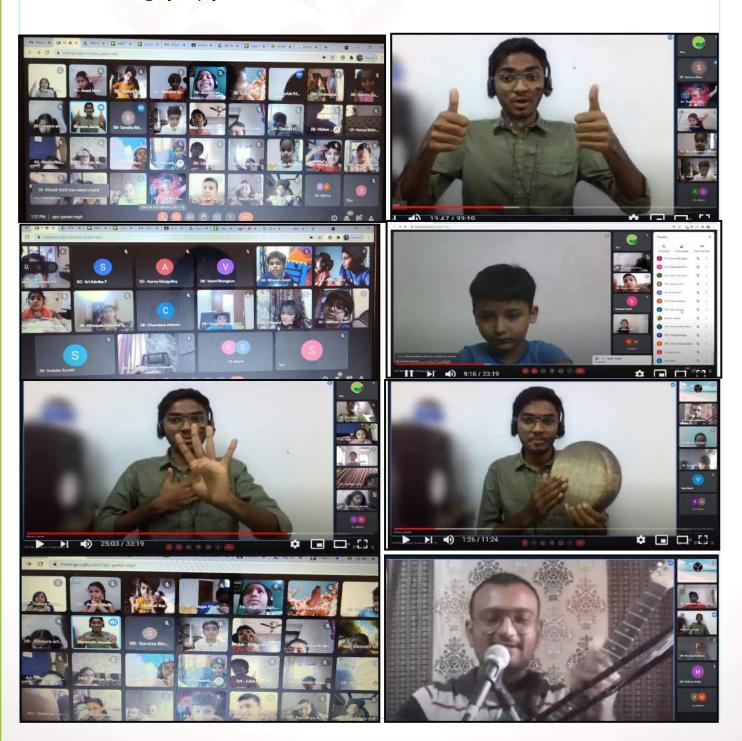
#### **World Music Day**

All over the world,  $21^{st}$  June is observed as "World Music Day" of Fete de la Musique to honour amateur and professional musicians a like.

To mark this day, we at Epistemo, had a Musical Event Where our Music Master Mr. Jacob Gipson, shared with students "the origin of music", how few instruments have come into existence.

The session was concluded with the body percussion activity on the son "We will, we will rock you".

Students thoroughly enjoyed the event.





## INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

#### **International Yoga Day Celebration (Grades 1 to 10)**

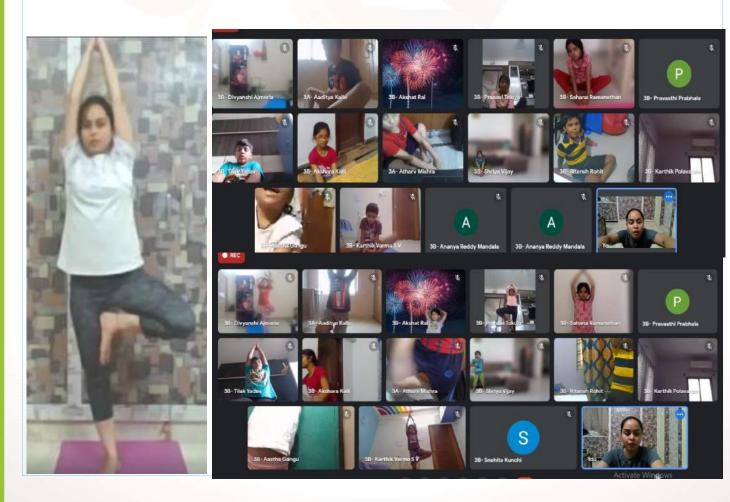
Since its inception in the year 2015, June 21<sup>st</sup> is celebrated as the "**International Day of Yoga**" all over the world. This idea was proposed by our Prime Minister, Mr. Narendra Modi. He said, "Yoga is an invaluable gift of India's ancient tradition.

It embodies unity of mind and body; thought and action; restraint and fulfilment; harmony between man and nature; a holistic approach to health and well being.

It is not about exercise but to discover the sense of oneness with yourself, the world and nature. By changing our lifestyle and creating consciousness, it can help in wellbeing". International Yoga Day was celebrated by the students and teachers at Indira National School with great enthusiasm.

Lemurs of Grades 1 to 4 demonstrated various asanas. Warm-up exercises were taken and all the Lemurs performed sitting and standing asanas, the importance of these were explained simultaneously.

Regular practice of yoga will surely help our students achieve a better life, physically, mentally and spiritually as well





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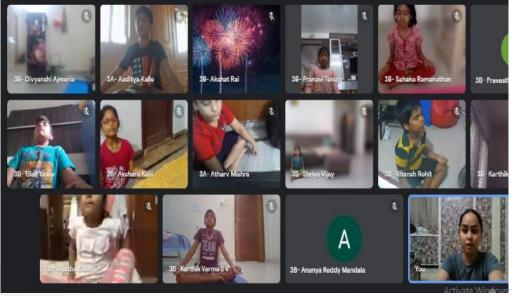


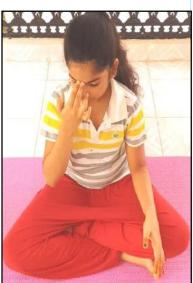












## **Activity Based Learning**

## **Pre-Primary Class Activities (Nursery to PP2)**

Learners enjoyed hands-on class activities!!

## Link: https://padlet.com/madhavidorepally/pre primary activities



## **Activity Based Learning**

## **Grade 1 Art Class Activity**

Learners enjoyed hands-on class activities!

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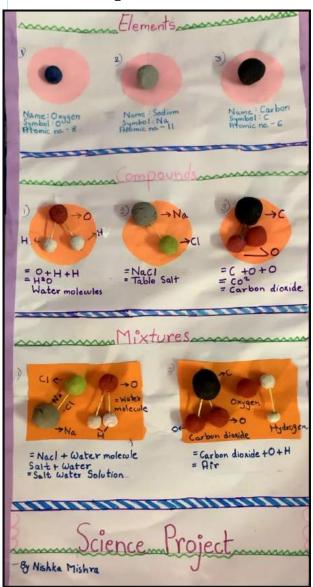


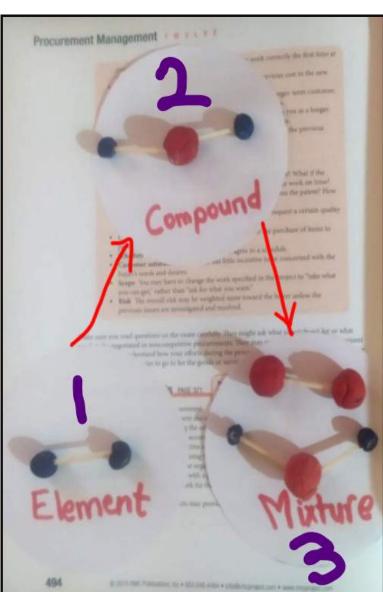
#### **ONLINE CLASSES**

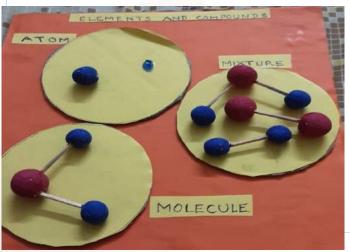
#### **Creative Innovators - Learning by exploration**

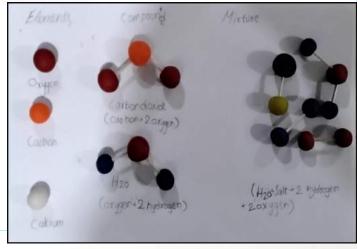
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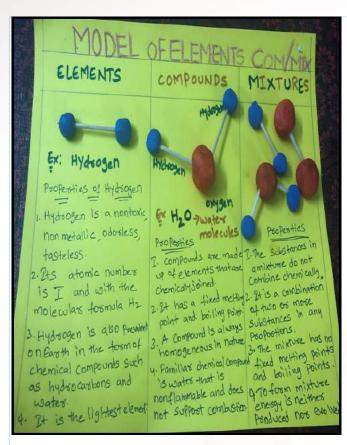
**Grade 6** – Students were assigned with an activity to do the "clay modeling" on the topic elements, compounds, and mixtures. This activity helps them to understand the concept and differentiate them. It helped the students to develop their creative skills, presentation skills, and understanding skills.

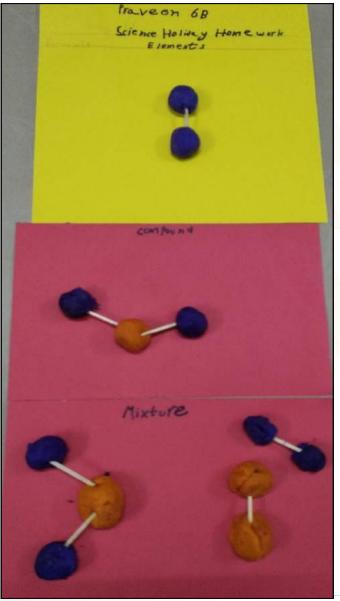


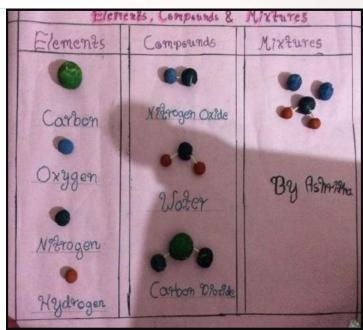


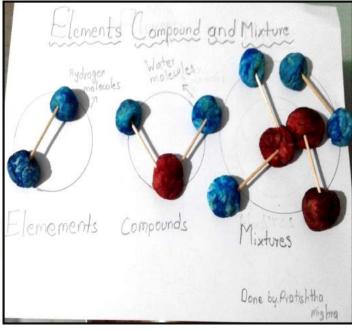


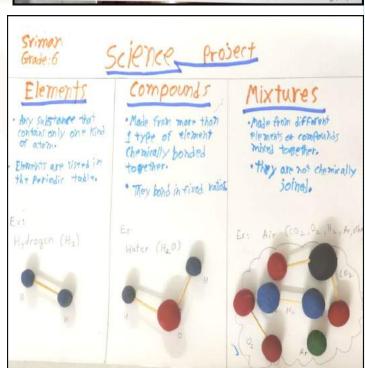


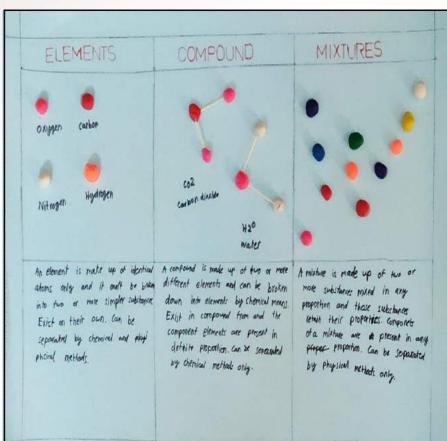


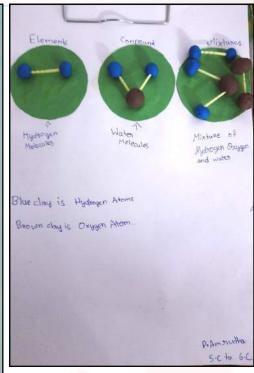


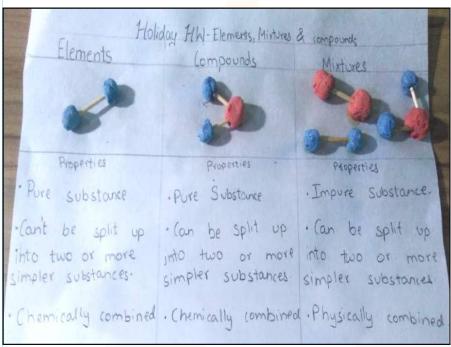










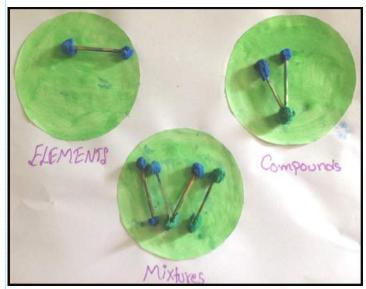


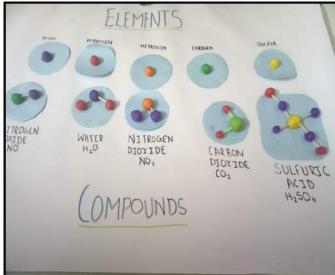




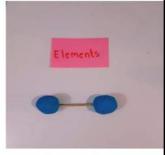
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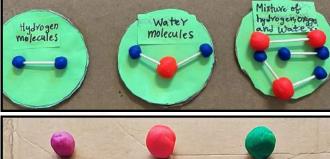
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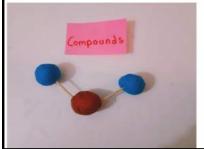




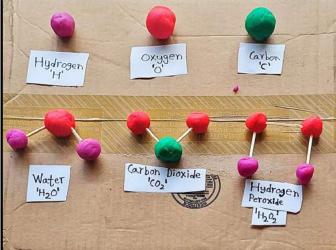


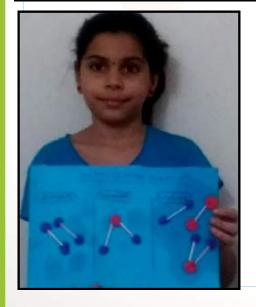




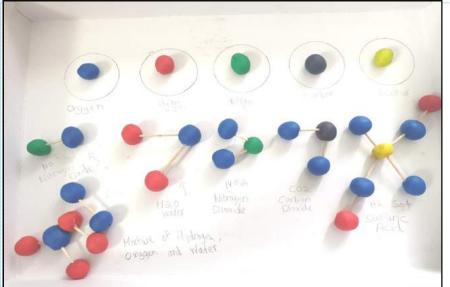


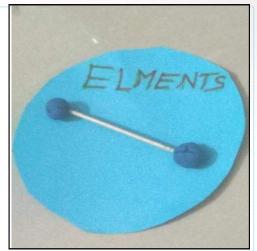




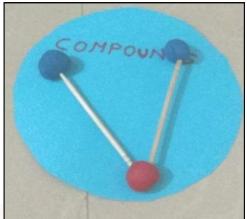


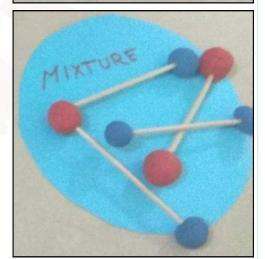












#### Grades 2 to 4

Lemurs of our Epistemo family learned and involve themselves deeply in Raised salt art, Elements of art, and Zentangle art this June month. By Raised salt art, relate art with science, learn about the salt hygroscopic property, and use the raised effect by applying white glue. Then started this year's base topic "Elements of Art" by making a poster on it. Use 1st Element of art -Lines as Zentangle Art (*is a technique used to meditate by using art as a medium. The Zentangle method was created by Maria Thomas and Rick Roberts in 2005 in Boston, in America.*) and relax their mind. Along with Zentangle art used water colors in their artworks.

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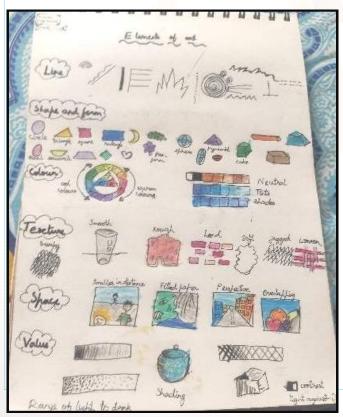


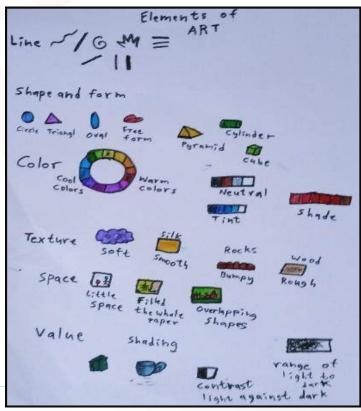




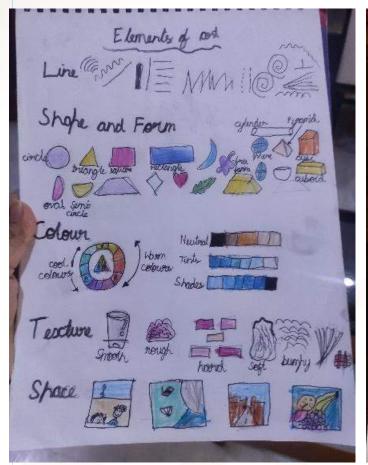


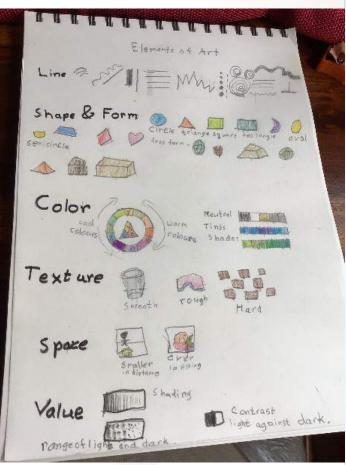
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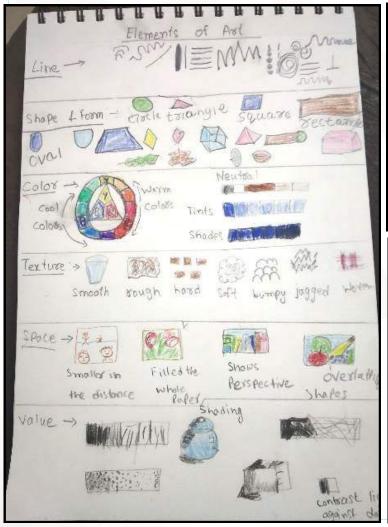


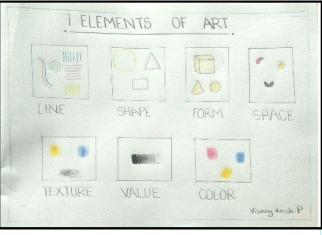


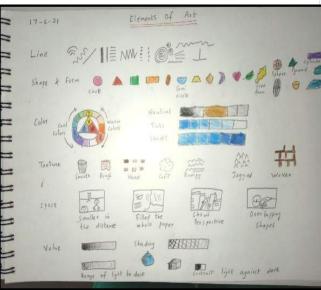
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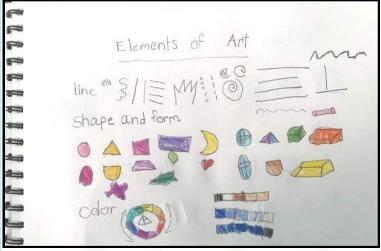


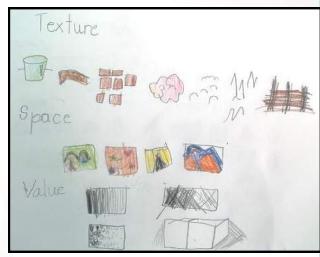


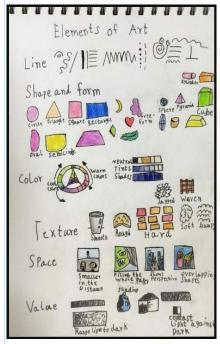




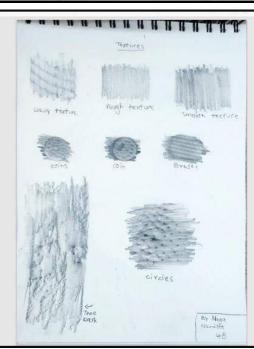
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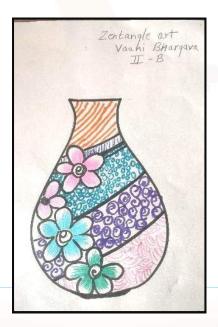






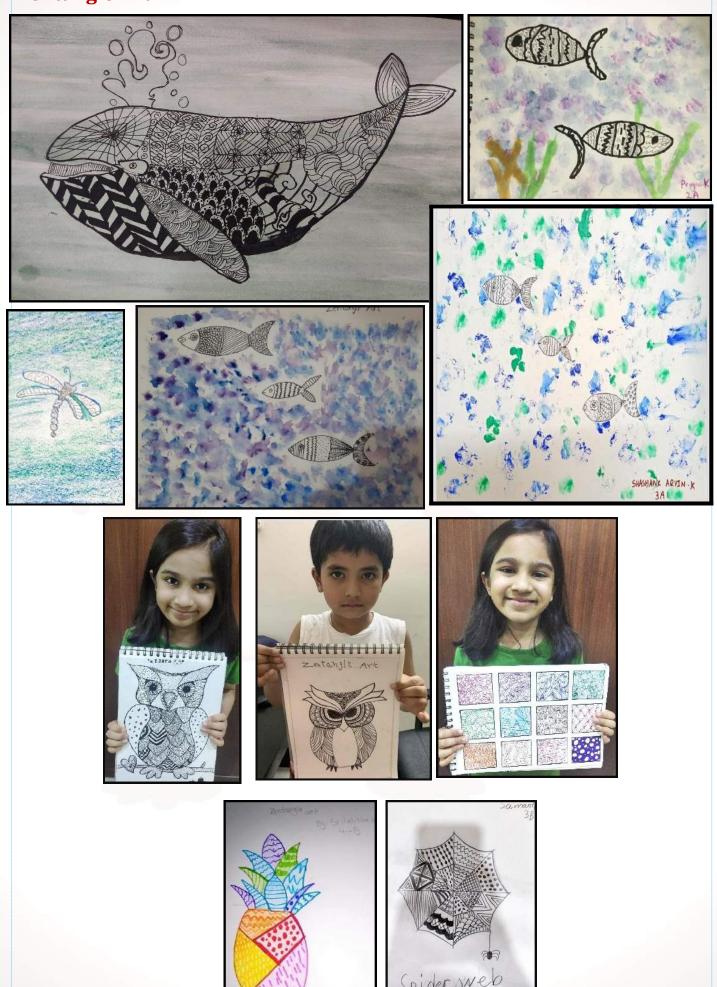
## **Zentangle Art -**



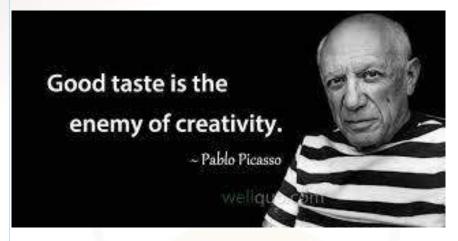




## **Zentangle Art -**



#### Grades 5 to 7



When we talk about art and artist Pablo Picasso plays a major role. Pablo Ruiz Picasso (25 October 1881 – 8 April 1973) was a Spanish painter, sculptor, printmaker, ceramicist, and theatre designer. Regarded as one of the most influential artists of the 20th century, he is known for co-founding the Cubist movement, the invention of constructed sculpture, the

co-invention of collage, and for the wide variety of styles that he helped develop and explore like Picasso's blue period, Rose period, African period, Surrealism art and Cubism art, etc.

Surrealism; the conception of painting served as an expression of his unconscious like a dream.

Cubism consists of capturing simultaneously the same object so it can be seen from different angles, this is achieved through the use of geometric figures such as triangles, squares, rectangles, and cubes.

Collage means a work of art that is made by attaching pieces of different materials (such as paper, cloth, or wood) to a flat surface or a collection of different things. Pablo Picasso and Georges Braque were the first to use collage as a method for creating innovative art. They came up with the name "collage" from the French verb "coller" which means "to glue" or "to stick".

So, complete month involved in depicting extraordinary artists' artworks and techniques and learn something new. Start with padlet activity on Pablo Picasso and make 2-5 min video and explain about him and his artworks along with other artworks.

#### Surrealism art







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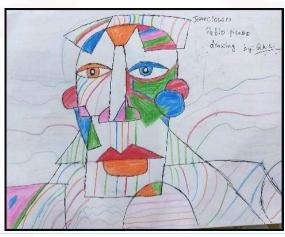






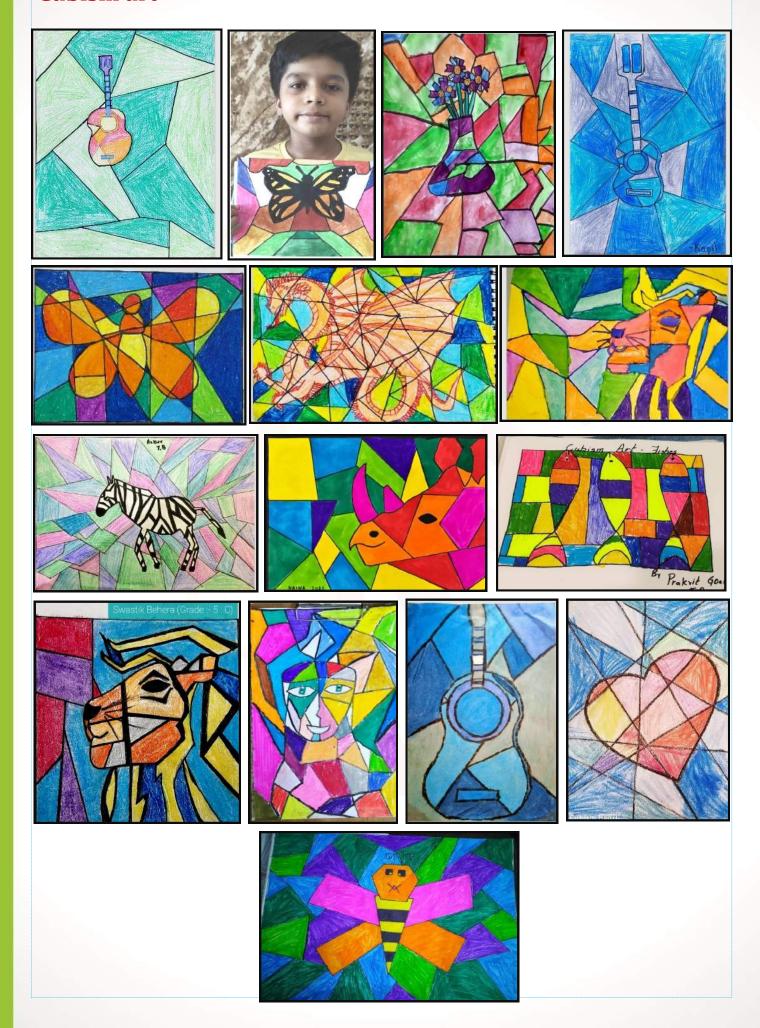








## **Cubism** art



# Collage







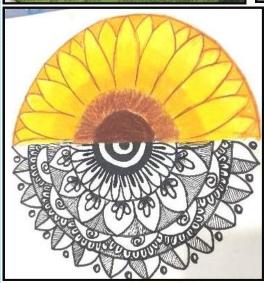


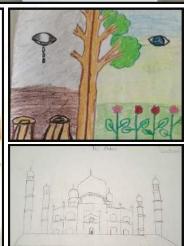
## Free time artworks





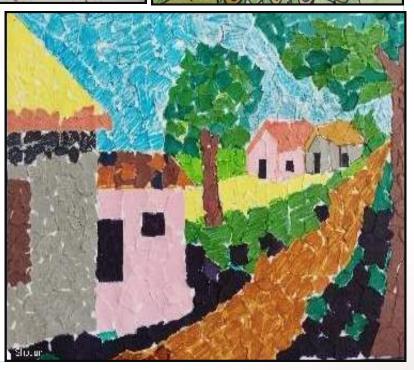




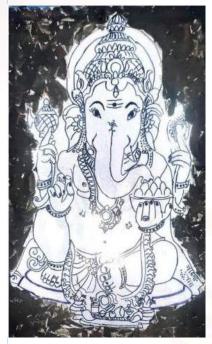






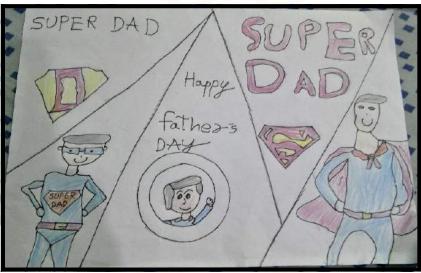


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Stay Home! Stay Safe! Stay Healthy!