

CANDIIDUS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

A World of Opportunities.

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Message from Principal



Dear Students, Parents, and Staff,
Greetings!

As we settle into the new academic year, I am delighted to see how quickly our students have found their rhythm — new faces have made friends, returning students have stepped confidently into their next grade, and classrooms across the school are already buzzing with energy and enthusiasm. This smooth transition is a testament to the warmth of our school community and the dedication of our teachers, who work tirelessly to make every student feel welcome and supported from day one.

I am also thrilled to share some truly momentous news with you all. After a rigorous and thorough evaluation process, I am proud to announce that our school has **officially achieved IB Diploma Programme (IBDP) Authorization**. This is a landmark achievement in our school's journey, and it reflects the collective hard work, vision, and commitment of our educators, leadership team, students, and parent community over the past several years.

Becoming an IBDP Authorized school means our senior students will now have access to a globally recognized, rigorous, and holistic curriculum that emphasizes critical thinking, intercultural understanding, and a genuine love of learning — preparing them not just for university, but for life as engaged global citizens. I am equally excited to share that our very first IBDP cohort has officially begun its journey in July month. These pioneering students are stepping into a rigorous and rewarding two-year programme, and we could not be prouder of their courage in embracing this new path. We also **have received College Board CEEB code** and we are allowed to administer PSAT, SAT and AP programmes.

These milestones did not happen overnight. It is the result of sustained effort in curriculum development, teacher training, infrastructure enhancement, and a whole-school commitment to the school's mission and values.

Thank you for being an integral part of this journey. Here's to a wonderful year ahead, filled with learning, growth, and many more milestones to celebrate together.

Warm regards,
Aruna Muddana
(Principal)

Fostering Well-Being

The Health Camp for Teachers reflected the school's commitment to the well-being of its educators. Comprehensive health screenings and expert medical consultations provided valuable insights, encouraging a proactive approach to health and fostering a culture of care and wellness.



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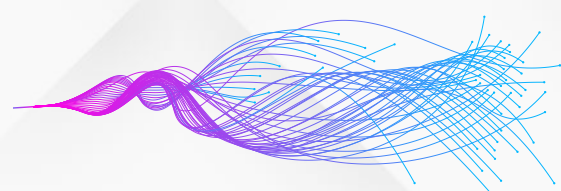
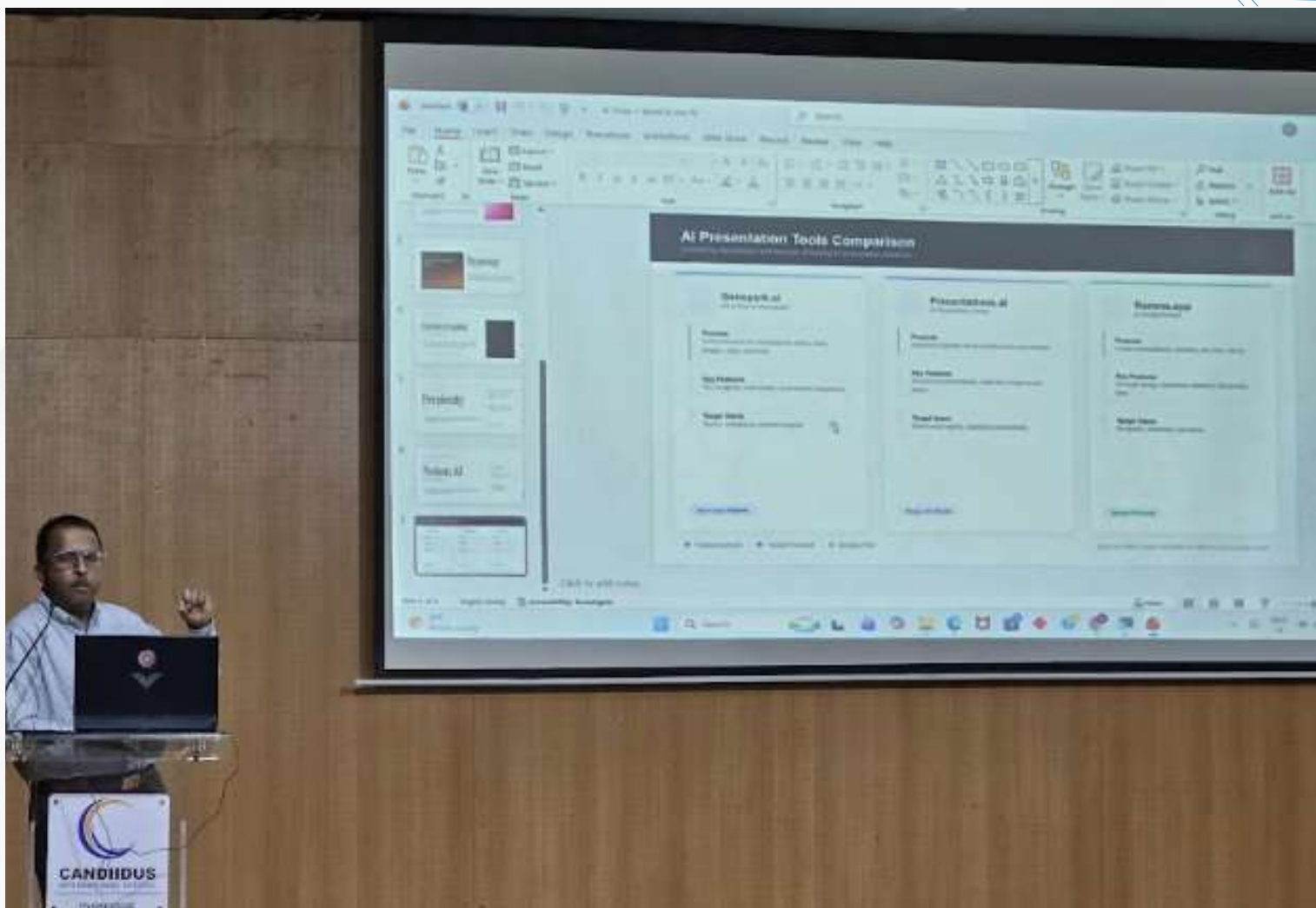
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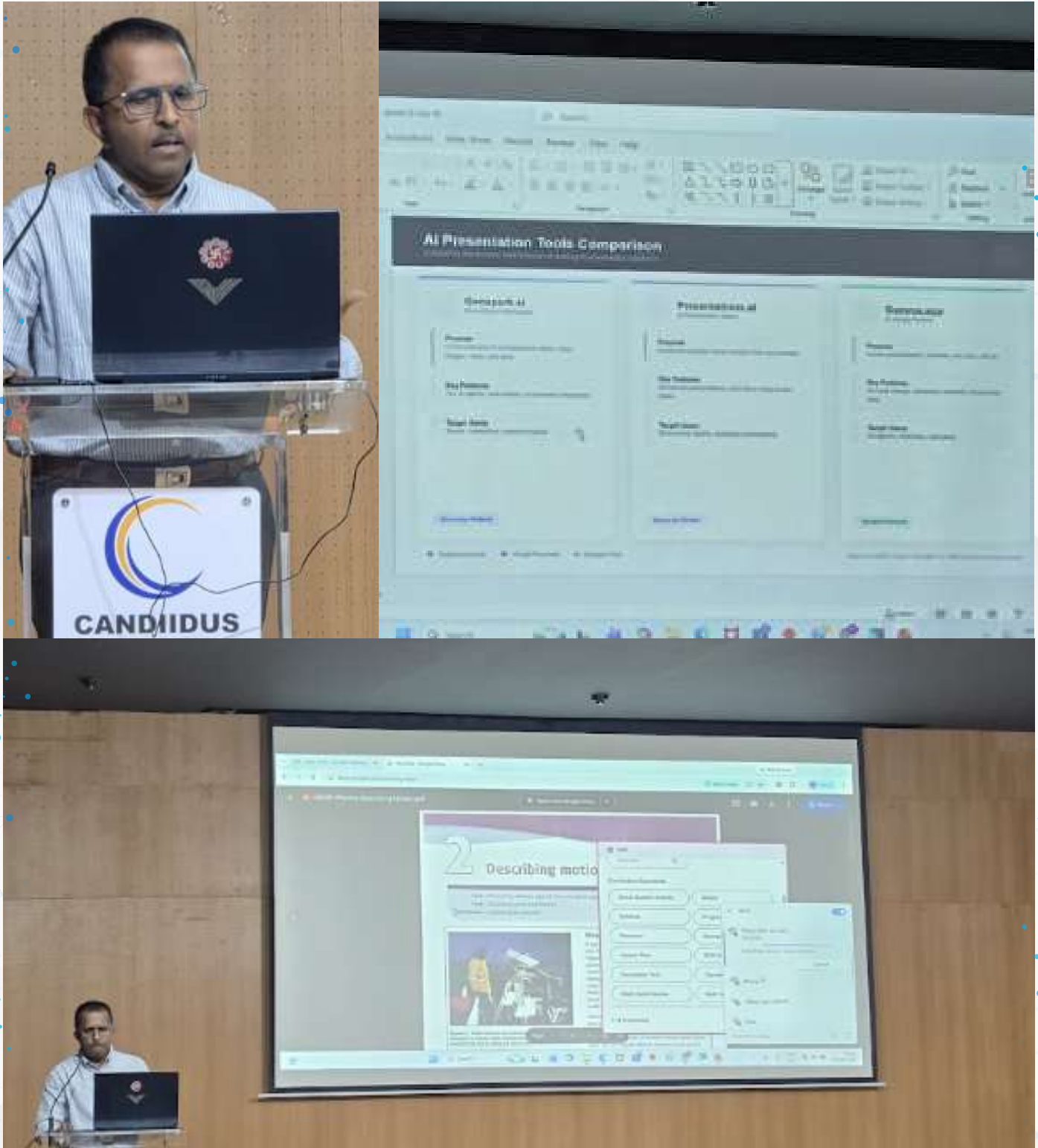
AI Applications Session by Mr. Deva Sudhakar

The session on AI Applications by Mr. Deva Sudhakar equipped teachers with practical insights into the effective use of AI tools in education. Through real-world demonstrations and hands-on guidance, participants explored innovative ways to enhance teaching, streamline classroom tasks, and enrich the learning experience.



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Insights into AI Applications by Mr. Deva Sudhakar



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Nurturing Well-Being

The Nurturing Well-Being session equipped teachers with practical strategies to foster their own well-being while integrating student well-being and positive teaching methodologies into everyday classroom practices.



Well-Being at the Heart of Education

The Well-Being at the Heart of Education session empowered teachers with well-being practices and effective teaching strategies to create supportive, engaging, and learner-centered classrooms.



Teachers Crafting Creative Ideas Together

Teachers collaborated to transform innovative ideas into creative posters, showcasing teamwork, imagination, and effective teaching practices. The activity encouraged the exchange of perspectives and reinforced the value of creativity in enriching the learning experience.



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Teachers' Creative Canvas



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Celebrating International Yoga Day

The celebration encouraged participants to embrace the timeless practice of yoga, promoting physical vitality, mental well-being, inner harmony, mindfulness, self-discipline, and resilience while reinforcing the importance of a healthy, balanced, and holistic lifestyle.



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Celebrating International Yoga Day with Mindful Meditation

The celebration of International Yoga Day inspired students to embrace meditation as a means of achieving mental peace, self-discipline, and emotional resilience. It reinforced the significance of holistic wellness in leading a balanced and fulfilling life.



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Nurturing Wellness Through Yoga and Meditation



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Embracing DEAR Day



DEAR (Drop Everything And Read) Day inspired students to pause their daily routines and immerse themselves in the joy of reading. The celebration nurtured a love for books, enhanced literacy and comprehension skills, sparked imagination and creativity, and encouraged students to develop reading as a meaningful lifelong habit.



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Celebrating Father's Day

Father's Day was celebrated to honour the love, guidance, and unwavering support of fathers and father figures. The occasion inspired students to express their gratitude and appreciation for the invaluable role fathers play in shaping their lives.



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Classroom Highlights

Grab the Ball, Read It All!

Our learners enjoyed the exciting "Grab the Ball, Read It All!" activity, where they tossed a ball into a basket and read the corresponding word aloud. This fun-filled activity strengthened their phonics, word recognition, and reading fluency while making learning active and engaging.



Number Estimation Activity

Our learners enjoyed a fun Number Estimation Activity in pairs, where they observed sets of objects, estimated the quantity, and matched it with a given number card. This hands-on activity strengthened their number sense, observation, estimation, and teamwork skills while making learning interactive and enjoyable.



Algorithm Sequencing Activity

Grade 1 learners enthusiastically arranged algorithm steps in the correct sequence, strengthening their logical thinking and problem-solving skills. This hands-on activity helped them understand the importance of following a sequence while making learning fun and engaging.



Convex Lens Investigation

Grade 10 students explored image formation by a convex lens through a hands-on laboratory activity, observing how image size, position, and nature changed with object distance. The experiment strengthened their understanding of optics while enhancing their observation and practical skills.



Plastic Awareness Discussion

Grade 8 CBSE students participated in an engaging discussion on the uses of plastics and their environmental impact. The activity encouraged critical thinking, collaboration, and environmental awareness while inspiring students to adopt more sustainable practices in their daily lives.



A Splash of Kindness: Our Hands-On Promise!

Grade 4 learners participated in a meaningful wellbeing activity, discussing the values that can make their classroom a happy and respectful learning space. To celebrate their shared commitment, each student created a colourful handprint and signed it with a value they pledged to uphold. The activity fostered teamwork, creativity, and a strong sense of belonging, leaving behind a vibrant reminder of their promise to build a positive classroom community.

A Splash of Kindness: Our Hands-On Promise!

My Grade 4 classroom transformed into a vibrant studio this week during a special wellbeing activity. We sat down for a heartwarming, interactive chat about how our personal values could make our classroom the happiest place to learn. The energy was electric, and the ideas were flowing!

To seal our promises, we decided to get a little messy. Cue the giggles and the glorious paint spills! We dipped our palms into bright, squishy paint to create a giant wall of handprints. Each colorful print was signed with a name and a chosen superpower value.

Looking around at the accidental paint smudges on noses and the chorus of laughter, my heart melted. We ended the day with the masterpiece on our wall and a beautiful reminder of our commitment to each other. I couldn't be prouder of these creative learners. They've proven that wellbeing isn't just a word—it's a joyful, colorful adventure!

Until next time!
Tanisha RY



Cell Structure Activity

CBSE Grade 9 students explored the structure of plant and animal cells through a hands-on decoding activity using fruits, vegetables, snacks, and leafy greens. This engaging activity helped them identify cell organelles and understand their functions through relatable, real-life examples.



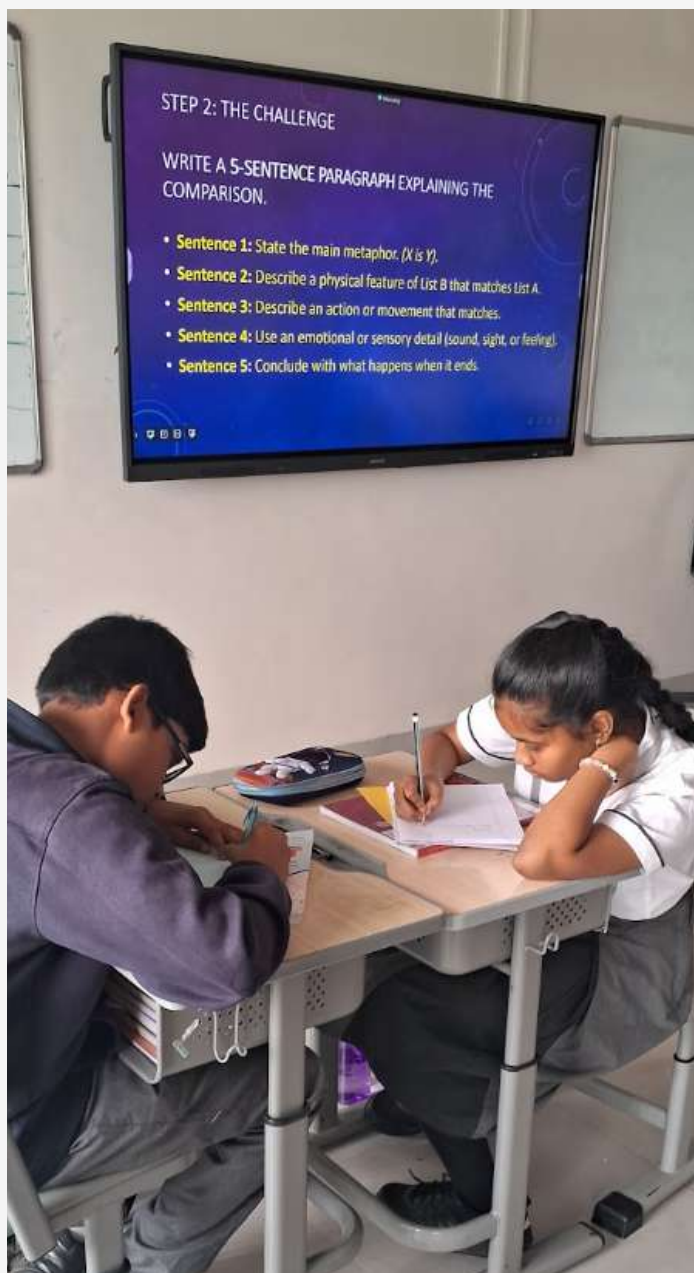
Place Value Lock Activity

Grade 2 learners enjoyed the Place Value Lock Activity, where they arranged hundreds, tens, and ones cards to form numbers. This hands-on activity strengthened their understanding of place value, number sense, and confidence in identifying place values.



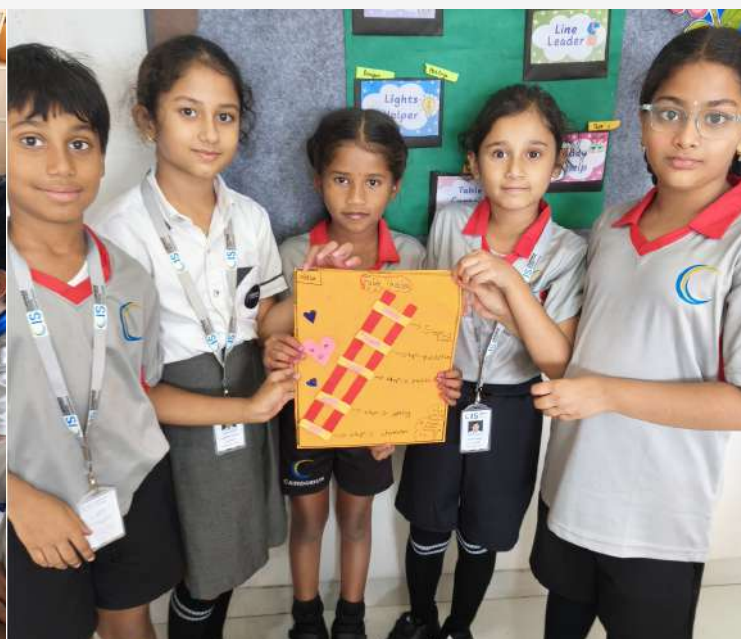
The Mash-Up Machine

Grade 8 CIE students unleashed their creativity through "The Mash-Up Machine," pairing everyday topics with imaginative concepts to create extended metaphors. Working in pairs, they developed engaging paragraphs that strengthened their creative thinking, collaboration, and descriptive writing skills.



Integrating Mathematics and Art

Grade 4 learners combined Mathematics and Art to creatively represent their understanding of a fable. Working in groups, they collaborated enthusiastically to produce imaginative displays, showcasing teamwork, creativity, and innovative thinking.



Discovering Number Patterns

Grade 5 students explored number patterns by creating sequences and identifying term-to-term and position-to-term rules. This hands-on activity strengthened their pattern recognition, logical reasoning, and early algebraic thinking skills.



With Gratitude from Team Candidus

As we pause for the summer break at Candidus International School, we reflect on a year filled with learning, growth, and meaningful experiences. We extend our heartfelt appreciation to our entire school community:

- ✨ Our students, for their curiosity, creativity, and enthusiastic participation
- ✨ Our teachers, for their dedication, innovation, and commitment to excellence
- ✨ Our parents, for their continued support, partnership, and trust
- ✨ Our support staff, for their invaluable efforts in creating a safe and nurturing environment

Every achievement this year has been a result of our shared commitment and collective spirit. As we step into the summer break, we wish everyone a restful and refreshing holiday.

We look forward to welcoming you back with renewed energy for another exciting year ahead.

One community. One vision. Endless possibilities. 🌱

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