

# St. FRANCIS SCHOOL ICSE

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Dear Parents / Guardians / Staff & Students, Greetings from School!

Our prayers to Almighty for good health and prosperity of all Francisian Families!

As we reach the end of the school year, I would like to take the opportunity to thank all members of the school community- our students, parents, guardians and staff for the fruitful completion of the academic year 2022-23.

"There is a powerful driving force inside every human being that, once unleashed, can make any vision, dream, or desire a reality."

-- Anthony Robbins

Our school's genuine concern ensures students emotional growth along with intellectual excellence. This empowers them to develop their self-esteem, self-awareness and self-confidence. Sharing ideas, analyzing situations and expressing them confidently are essential skills which are honed here through experiential learning.

We treasure dynamism and deem that one should be well prepared to adapt the global scenario and work on his learning accordingly. Besides rigorous scholastic programmes, we focus on developing both the mental and the physical abilities of our students. The activities provide holistic grooming to the students wherein each of them is able to explore his/her true potential.

My dear students, Time and effort can get you anything you want in the world. But nothing in the world can get you more time." "If we realize our responsibility before God for our life, we will understand how valuable time is for us."

Sunshine, Warmth, bright smiles and happy thoughts are my wishes for you this Summer. I hope your summer vacation is filled with fun and frolic and in cultivating new hobbies.

### Achievements that all of us can be proud of:

Association (KSCA) BTR Second Division Inter school Tournament St. Francis school ICSE secured 3rd place out of 35 schools in Bengaluru Zone. Boys performed well throughout the tournament. Sunny K was the highest wicket taker in this tournament. He took 30 wickets in 5 matches including two five wickets Haul... and his best figures in this Tournament was 7 overs 1 maiden 30 runs and 7 Wickets (7-01-30-7).







Students who participated in the BTR Tournament

SUNNY K -9 D	VAIBHAV S SHETTY- 6 A	PRAVINVIJAY M-8 D
HARSHAA VARDHAN S -7 A	VIGNESH SUBHRAMANIYAN- 6 B	ARYAN RAJESH NAYAK- 5 C
SATAYIU CHAKRABORTY- 9 C	CHINKUL KHANNA A A- 8 B	BHAVISH DAREN S – 8 E
SUDDHASHIL CHAKRABORTY- 9 C	SAI PREETHAM BUPUR -8 E	VINAYADITYA S S -8 E
MAHITH BANDI -7 B	LOHITH S – 8 A	

St. Francis Cricket Academy Under 14 and Under 12 team had visited Anantapur (RDT), Andhra Pradesh for tri series matches from 23<sup>rd</sup> February to 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023. Our boys had a great opportunity in Anantapur to showcase their talents. In this tour 4 teams participated, and our school team emerged as champions. Our boys received their best individual performance award. Our Principal, Bro. Antony D Vayalil visited to witness the match. He was the Chief Guest at the closing ceremony.



# KUDOS TO OUR BEST PLAYERS WHO BAGGED THE FOLLOWING AWARDS!

**MAHITH BANDI of class VII B THE BEST BATSMAN in UNDER 12 CATEGORY** 



#### SUNNY K of CLASS IX 'D' THE BEST BOWLER in UNDER 14 CATEGORY



HARSHAA VARDHAN S of CLASS VII 'A' THE BEST BATSMAN in UNDER 14 CATEGORY



ARYAN RAJESH NAYAK of CLASS V 'C' THE EMERGING PLAYER in UNDER 12 CATEGORY



# SATAYIU CHAKRABORTHY of CLASS IX 'C' THE PROMISING PLAYER in UNDER 14 CATEGORY



• NCC AIR WING students were invited to view the AERO SHOW 2023. Our students were accompanied by Mr. Anand, Physical Instructor and NCC Caretaker.



MANYA M – 9 C
VISMAYA A-9 C
BHAVANA JAGADISH – 9 B
PRAKRUTI V M -9 B
THARAHA SRI – 9 B

• NCC ARMY - It's a proud moment for our institution that Sargent Nikhil Matthew J of class 9th 'D' has been awarded with DG NCC Commendation Card.

Cadet Nikhil Matthew had attended Annual Training Camp (ATC) conducted by the Battalion in June 2022. He also participated in all training activities & did extremely well in firing and was selected for further training. He was selected for EK BHARATH SHRESTA BHARATH camp for good communication & cultural activities.



•15th National Senior Dodgeball Championship was held in Panipat, Haryana from 27th December to 30th December 2022.

Boys Karnataka Team secured 2nd place in which our students Mohammed Fouzan and Shashwath Dev of class 10 were the participants.

Girls Karnataka Team secured 2nd Runners up in which our student Tina Margaret of class 10 participated.







- Shreyan Nayak of Class I F is a gifted young student with a strong interest in science and natural curiosity about the world. He has designed an app and already demonstrated an impressive range of knowledge and skills, including:
- Memorizing all 118 elements of the Periodic table at age 6
- Learning multiplication tables up to 25 at age 5
- During his kindergarten years, Shreyan presented his teacher with various science experiments,
  including demonstrating the working of a Homopolar motor, generating electricity, and even levitating a
  pencil. This early passion for science shows that he has a natural curiosity and aptitude for exploring the
  world around him and understanding how things work.
- Knowing the names of all 206 bones in the human adult
- Showing a keen interest in space exploration and black holes
- Curiosity about the existence of infinity and fascination with very large numbers like googol, googolplex, Graham Number, Rayo's number and Utter Oblivion.
- Interest in atoms and their constituents like electrons, protons, and neutrons
- Learning about the life cycle of butterflies and the names of continents and oceans
- Knowing all 28 states and 8 Union territories of India and their respective capitals
- Designing apps using Scratch programming language
- In Silverzone Math Olympiad he is the Zonal topper and secured 4th position in World Ranking

#### **Working on the Homopolar Motor**

#### **Explaining how to generate electricity**



**Gaming App that he developed** 

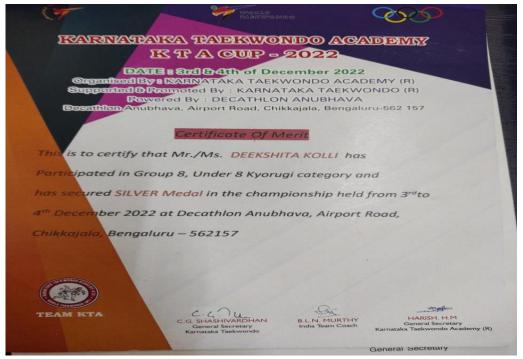


 Congratulations to SRI PAVAN of Senior K G section F who has won Silver Medal in the Taekwondo Championship 2023 conducted by Bengaluru Urban District level held on 5th February 2023.



• KOLLIDEEKSHITA of class I B has received the following certificates of Merit and Participation . We wish you ALL THE BEST in your future.





 Gouri B Jayaraj of class IV 'C secured Third Place in KISA UTSAV 2022 Poetry & Recitation Competition hosted by Bethesda International School.



• ADITYA SINGH of class 5 'E' was declared MAN OF THE MATCH and THE BEST BOWLER in the matches conducted by KARNATAKA LOGANS CRICKET ACADEMY (KLCA).



 ABIGAIL ANISH of class 5 'E' won the Runner up trophy in UNDER 11 GIRLS BADMINTON- SMASH IT UP at MACHAXI ACADEMY



 JOEWIN C BENNO of class 5 'E' won the Gold medal for the Football match held between Vicky Football Academy (VFA) Vs ATOM.



• GAYATRI KARTHIKEYAN of class 5 'E' has secured Second Prize in the DISTRICT LEVEL SKATING- SNIPPERS .



• HARDEEK R CHETTRY of class V 'D' who participated in FROSTY FEST organized by PURPLE WINGS held on 31st December 2022 won the following competitions:-

- 1. Story Telling -1st Place
- 2. Show & Tell 1st Place
- 3. Poem Recitation -2nd Place

• Summer Camp: St. Francis Sports Academy presents Summer Camp-2023. Students of other institutions are welcome to join. Activities and team play participation will encourage students enhance their ability which will prove advantageous later on in life. Kindly register before 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at the school office to join.

Kindly access the link to have a glimpse about the activities.

http://storage.stfrancisschoolicse.com/23-24/Summer%20Camp/Broucher.pdf

 Republic Day was celebrated on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2023. Major Ramya Venkat, a Senior Training Officer, Army was the Chief Guest on the occasion. Staff & Students expressed their Patriotism through variety of cultural events.







Valedictory Programme was held for Class X students batch 22-23 on Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023. Dr. Akkai Padmashali, a Social Activist and Rajyotsava Prashasti Awardee and Rev. Bro. Xavier Alexander, Provincial of St. Xavier's Province were our esteemed guests, who gave inspirational speeches to the valedictorians. Special awards were given to the deserving students for their talents showcased through out their schooling.







#### • Sports Day was held for classes 1-10 on Friday, 10th February 2023.

One of the traditions of beginning the Sports Day is lighting of the torch. The torch flame symbolizes the light of spirit, knowledge and life. By passing the flame from one person to another in stages, the Torch Relay expresses the handing down of this symbolic fire from generation to generation. The torch, symbolizing unity and celebrating a common message of sportsmanship, athletic superiority and artistic achievements.

Classes 1 and 2 had the celebration in the evening. Mr. Sanjay Raj, International Basketball Player was the Chief Guest. We can say that it was more a carnival as the students showcased the different types of Rural games such as Kabbaddi, Kalaripayattu and Skating were displayed. Traditional games played in the countryside of our nation were displayed. It was overwhelming to see the students dressed up in dresscode related to sports. All the students participated in different drills based on games using sports props.







Classes 3 to 10 had a grand celebration in the morning. Ms. Bharathi B L, International Athlete and Vice President of Karnataka Athlete Association was the Chief Guest. Team games and races are another great way of encouraging children to come together and work constructively to try to win. Games and races were conducted during the school hours in which students had taken part actively. Students displayed pyramid forms and drills. Prizes were given to all winners of the events conducted prior to sports day.







• <u>Pre-Primary Sports Day was held for classes Montessori to Senior</u> K G in the month of February 2023.

Sports is fun and excitement. Our Pre-primary students were eagerly waiting for a day out in the ground. They enjoyed the races with their props. Alert to hear GO to run and finish.





# **School Information:**

• St. Francis school website is having a column for News, where the important SMS sent are uploaded for information. Parents can view the gallery in the school website for the pictures of the events which are being uploaded.

Open Day for Montessori, Nursery, Junior K. G & Senior K. G will be held as follows. The schedule to attend the Open Day will be uploaded in the school website under common notification, so that the result file and certificates can be collected.

Montessori 1,2 & 3	Wednesday, 29th March 2023
Nursery A,B & C	Wednesday, 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
JUNIOR K.G. A,B,C,D & E	Thursday, 30 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
SENIOR K.G. A,B,C,D,E & F	Friday, 31st March 2023

Results of the Annual Examination for classes I-VIII: Marks card will be uploaded after the Open Day. Marks Card will not be uploaded if the fees for the academic year 2022-23 is not cleared. Dates for the Open Day are as follows. Timing for Open Day will be uploaded in the school website under common notification.

CLASS I , III & IV	Monday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2023
CLASS II & V	Tuesday, 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
CLASS VI & VII	Wednesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
CLASS VIII	Saturday, 18th March 2023

Class IX batch 23-24 will have full day school from Thursday,  $15^{th}$  March 2023 to Thursday,  $13^{th}$  April 2023. There will be no school from  $6^{th}$  April to  $9^{th}$  April 2023 on account Holy week/Easter. Timetable for the same will be uploaded in the school website under common notification.

Classes IX & X will have summer vacation from 14th April 2023 to  $21^{st}$  May 2023. School will reopen on Monday,  $22^{nd}$  May 2023 for classes IX & X batch 2023-24. Students will have to revise the portions covered till  $13^{th}$  April 2023 as the test will be held after the school opens.

Classes Montessori to VII will have holidays after the examination. School will open on Wednesday, 31st May 2023 for classes Montessori to class VIII.

#### **Timing**

<u>Classes Montessori to Senior K G</u> will be dispersed by 10:00 a.m. only for the first three days from Wednesday,  $31^{st}$  May to Friday,  $2^{nd}$  June 2023. Parents need to accompany the students for these 3 days. Students need to bring all their books covered and named to hand over to the class teacher.

<u>Classes I to VIII</u> will have half day school only on the first day-31-05-2023. School will disperse at 12:00 noon.

#### Thereafter the timings for the academic year 2023-2024 will be as follows:

Montessori - 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon Nursery to Junior K.G - 8:10 a.m. to 12:00 noon Senior KG to Std X - 8:10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

# <u>Transfer Certificate</u>:

Parents who have submitted application for the Transfer Certificate, can collect the T C on the Open Day Dates as mentioned above. It is mandatory to submit a letter from the Institution where the child has taken admission for the next academic year, applicable only for the students those who are taking admission within Karnataka.

Office Hours: The School Office will be closed on all public holidays. Office Timings from 6<sup>th</sup> April 2023 to 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023 will be 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p. m.

**Books & Stationery:** Books & Stationery will be issued on the dates mentioned below for both present students on roll and new admission students. Payment for books can be made through cash/card to the distributor in the school premises and collect the books. The books rate list will be displayed in the school notice board.

#### **BOOKS DISTRIBUTION DATES CLASS WISE 2023-24:-**

DATE	15 <sup>th</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>	29 <sup>th</sup>	30 <sup>th</sup>	31st	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
	March	March	March	March	March	April	April	April
CLASS	IX	New Admission Nursery	Junior K.G	Senior K.G	I	II, IV & V	III & VI	VII & VIII

Kindly co-operate and follow strictly the date and the slots mentioned above.

**Uniform**: 2023-24: The date and timings for payment towards uniform and measurement for those who wish to order are given below. Payment should be made by cash only in the school office and the receipt for the same should be shown to the tailor while giving measurement. Further dates for the same will not be repeated.

#### Uniform Payment & Measurement Dates-Timing 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

DATE	15 <sup>th</sup>	29th	30th	31 <sup>st</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
	Mar	Mar	Mar	Mar	Apr	Apr	Apr
CLASS	IX & X	Jr. K.G	Sr. K.G.	I	II, IV & V	III &VI	VII & VIII

There will be a change in the uniform for students promoted from Senior K.G. to class I and Students promoted from class IV to V. Blazer is compulsory for classes V- X.

#### **Uniform Payment & Measurement Dates for the New Admission students 2023-24**

DATE	TIME	CLASSES
11 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.	1 to 9 New Admission students
16 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.	Nursery New Admission students
17 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.	Jr K G and Sr K G New Admission students

Students who have paid and given measurements should collect their uniform in the month of May on the dates mentioned below showing the paid receipt.

Parents are requested to keep the uniform receipt safe as you have to produce the same to collect the stitched uniform from the store on the below mentioned date (classwise)

#### UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION -TIMINGS 9:00 -11:30 a.m.

DATE	19 <sup>th</sup>	22 <sup>nd</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup>	25 <sup>th</sup>	26 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup>
	May	May	May	May	May	May	May
CLASS	IX & X	Nur (New Adm.)	Jr. K.G & Sr. K.G.	I	II, III & IV	V	VI, VII & VIII

**School Shoes**: The Shoe vendors -United Colours of Benetton and PUMA will be available in the school premises on the issue dates of Uniform (22<sup>nd</sup> May to 27<sup>th</sup> May 2023). Parents need to pay to the vendor directly and buy the shoes.

**Transport:** The school transport registration forms for the academic year 2023-24 will be available in the office. Kindly fill the same and submit it at the school office. Please refer the notice board for the details on school bus routes, pickup and drop point.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." – Malcolm X

#### LOOKING FORWARD TO THE NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24

1. The management has decided to include Robomation as a part of school curriculum for classes 1 to 5 for the academic year 2023-24. The fees for the same will be included in the academic fees structure.

These subjects are a part of the Robomation curriculum

- 1) Electronics with Robotics
- 2) Coding
- 3) AR/VR technology

Note: Classes 6 and above can also enroll for Robotics as part of the Co-Curricular Activities on Thursdays. It will be optional.

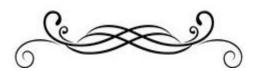
2. <u>School will be introducing Journal writing for classes 1-10 in this academic year 2023-24. This will facilitate critical thinking, to express their feelings and practice the art of writing.</u>

A Journal Book will be issued to all the students in class and teachers will guide them how to write. Cost for the same will be included with the books for the coming academic year.

- We thank the Parent Community for their continuous co-operation and support throughout the academic year 2022-23 and solicit the same in the years ahead.
- Parents can mail regarding leave request, queries and any other information, to the school official mail ID office@stfrancisschoolicse.com
- Feed back We encourage all parents to send us genuine feed back which will be confidential. Mail to principal@stfrancisschoolicse.com
- Parents can contact the PRO counter in the school office for any queries/appointment with Principal and Teachers.

PRINCIPAL

HAPPY HOLIDAYS



### **SUMMER CAMP ACTIVITIES 2023**

# **Activities to Choose**

- Cricket
- ► A Rifle / Pistol Shooting
- ► Hockey By JFHA
- ► Football
- ► Karate (Martial Art)
- Basketball
- ► Roller Skating
- **▶** Badminton
- Athletics
- ► Throwball (Girls Only)
- ► Handball
- Keyboard
  - **Drums**
- **→** Guitar
- ➤ Art & Craft/Calligraphy/Handwriting
- ► Chess / French Class
- ► Hindustani Classical Music(Vocal)
- ► Poster Designing using Adobe Photoshop
- ► Audio Visual Mastering Class
- Vbscript and Batch Programming
- ► Robotics and Coding
- Violin
- ► Public Speaking
- ► Bharatnatyam
- Dance
- ➤ Western Music Vocal

► Cajon



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