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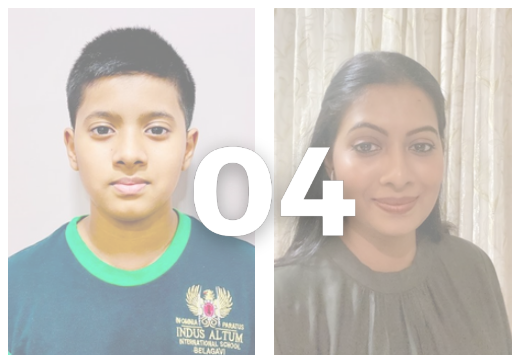
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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Parents and Students,
Nothing is greater than the first attempt - Holding to this maxim, Indus Altum International School, Belagavi completed its first academic year -2021-22 with great support from our founding team of parents, students, and teachers. Living and thriving in randomness was the gist of the first-year journey for IAIS.

Starting a supposed to be 'offline' school 'online' in the very first year of its establishment is what made IAIS unique. When we move to the second academic year, the family is expanded in terms of more teachers, students, and parents joining us-Yes, we are growing!

This is a symbol that we were able to help and support our stakeholders in every possible manner and we aspire to make it even better in the upcoming years. We are on the mission of preparing students for a future that is unseen and unpredictable. In a fast-changing world where everything is getting obsolete every minute and second, getting the future generation prepared for the challenges ahead is the focal point. In that endeavour, we ensure that our learners acquire 21st-century entrepreneurial competencies of creative and critical thinking, collaboration, communication, and design thinking. The school curriculum, activities, and learning processes are tailored to meet the needs of this focused competency building exercise.

DR PRASEEDHA SREEKUMAR
PRINCIPAL - IAIS

THE FIRST INDUS ALTUM DAY



Creating Climate Change Leaders' is one of the main aims and objectives at Indus Altum International School, Belagavi. To achieve this aim the 'Green Eagle' project has been carefully coined at IAIS in the year 2021-22.

To showcase the efforts and initiatives of our beloved students in this endeavour, Indus Altum International School, Belagavi hosted its first Annual Day on the 24th of April, 2022. The entire student community at Indus Altum participated in the event which was based on the theme: Climate Change.

The Indus Altum Day featured 'Green Eagles' in the form of a short play and various other performances depicting the relevance of this mission which would continue at IAIS every year in progression. With over 300 attendees, the power packed event was not only a delight to witness but also garnered tremendous feedback from the parent community. What made the occasion even more memorable was the presence of the CEO & MD, Indus Trust: Lt. Gen Arjun Ray, PVSM, VSM (Retd) at Indus Altum's first annual day. His powerful & futuristic message for the parent community, the teachers and most importantly students is one of the highlights. He was also joined by Mr. Rajeev Kaul, COO & MD, AEQUS and board member at Altum Trust. Keeping the maxim 'Thinking Globally and Acting Locally' close to their hearts, the Green Eagles of Indus Altum have already begun this journey.

IAIS QUEST SUMMER CAMP

IAIS conducted a 7 day long summer camp - Quest 2022. Astroscience , design thinking and adventure camp were the main highlights (From May 23rd to 30th May)



ASTRO SCIENCE

From group activities to telescope modelling sessions and a super interactive session with the renowned scientist, Dr. Ajay Saxena, the students had so much to take back from the Astroscience module of the Quest Summer camp.

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Design Thinking Workshop by StartUp You

This workshop gave a beautiful sight witnessing the students unlock their creative mindset through the design thinking process and developing competencies which would aid in their journey of life. The evening wrapped up with some leisure activities, games and loads of fun !



ISL CAMP



The purpose of the leadership camp conducted by the Indus School of Leadership was to help the learners go beyond academic knowledge and explore competencies which are critical to success and help them understand the importance of being a leader. Jumaring, rappelling, team building activities, trekking, making tents and star gazing before bedtime were some of the activities. In a nutshell, the camp was filled with lots of fun and experiential learning.

CURRICULUM ROAD MAP DAY



Indus Altum International School commenced its academic year 2022-23 with a 2-day Curriculum Road Map and Single Window for parents across grades. Through the Curriculum Road Map, the parents were made aware of the of IAIS mission, vision, purpose of education in today's context and how we would be instrumental in shaping the future of our students and preparing them for life in a VUCA+ world. The parents and students were excited to receive the new books and uniform during Single Window and start the year with new beginnings and opportunities.

FIRST DAY OF SECOND ACADEMIC YEAR



It was a delight to see the hustle-bustle, warm smiles, and excitement clubbed with the apprehension of what the academic year had in store on Day 1 of school. Each one of us was thrilled that unlike last year, we didn't have to commence the year online and were moving away from the 'new normal'. A healthy breakfast to kick start the day, followed by a warm welcome assembly by the Principal, Dr Praseedha Sreekumar and fun team bonding activities with teachers and peers were the highlights.

OUR STUDENTS SPEAK

Green Eagle's Retreat



Raising awareness about climate change right now is crucial, If we don't save Mother Earth right now, we will create an alarming situation for the next generation. The Green Eagles retreat rose the awareness about the situation amongst us and told us how Mother Earth is slowly dying. We all are fortunate enough to live on a beautiful and diverse planet. So we have to put in our personal efforts to mitigate climate change and to save Mother Earth, because our next generation deserves the same.

Climate change has an adverse effect on the environment and ecosystem. With the help of such awareness programs, we will get to know the causes and effects of climate change, and possible solutions.

Climate change may be a hard obstacle to tackle, but we can do it and we will do it! The ride might be bumpy, but the destination will be comfy.

Kriday Sainuche - Grade 6

OUR PARENTS SPEAK

Just a small note of appreciation to thank you for being such wonderfully supportive leaders and teachers. We chose Indus Altum school for my son Kriday with high expectations of getting the best possible education as well as exposure to extra-curricular activities. I am glad that we took this decision.

The principal has a very positive approach! The teachers are so helpful, full of support and encouragement. Queries are answered and addressed immediately. We feel extremely blessed to have found such a wonderful group of teachers and staff. Teachers' reports on Kriday's strengths and weaknesses show that they are paying close attention to the children and accurately assessing their positive areas and areas for improvement.

For non-scholastic activities, my impression is equally positive. The bus drivers and attendants are very careful and show concern for the safety of the children. Nice & big campus with all sports activities coming up.

I can be at ease when Kriday is at school knowing he is cared for, safe, and in a place that facilitates his future success. We could think of no better place to give my child a head-start on life.



**Shilpa Sainuche -
Mother of Kriday Sainuche**