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# SUBJECT LEAD'S MESSAGE



At Chettinad Vidya Mandir, we believe learning becomes meaningful when children experience it in the real world. Through internships, Green Education initiatives, educational trips, and hands-on workshops, our students don't just learn—they live what they learn.

We encourage our learners to collaborate, share ideas, and take charge of their own journey. When they organise and conduct events, you can see their confidence grow as they turn ideas into meaningful experiences.

These opportunities help them explore future paths, build environmental awareness, and understand the importance of sustainable living. As they step beyond textbooks, they develop practical skills, think independently, and gain a strong sense of purpose.

Whether they are leading initiatives, participating in events, or solving real-life challenges, our students grow into thoughtful, responsible individuals ready to face the world.

At the end of the day, we are not just preparing them for exams—we are preparing them for life. Because when children collaborate, think sustainably, and learn through experience, they truly come into their own.

**MS. K. SUJATHA**  
Subject Lead - Science  
Department





# PROUD ALUMNI ACHIEVES IN CA EXAMINATIONS



**Ms. Magesha Raajendran**  
2023–2024



**Ms. Subhi Dharshini**  
2024–2025

We are proud to share that our alumni, Ms. Magesha Raajendran, from the 2023–2024 passed-out batch, has successfully cleared the CA Foundation and Intermediate examinations in her first attempt. Her achievement reflects her perseverance, discipline, and strong dedication towards her dream of becoming a Chartered Accountant.

We are proud to share that our alumni, Ms. Subhi Dharshini, from the 2024–2025 passed-out batch, has secured a distinction in the CA Foundation Examination. Her achievement reflects her dedication and hard work.





# GOLD GLORY AT ASMITA KHELO INDIA PENCAK SILAT CHAMPIONSHIP



We are delighted to share that B. Akshitha of Grade 7-2 (Pralhadha) won the Gold Medal and a cash prize of ₹8,000 in the Tunggal event (Pre-Junior Category) at the Asmita Khelo India Pencak Silat South Zone Major League, held at Alappuzha, Kerala on 27th & 28th February 2026. We congratulate her on this proud achievement and wish her continued success.



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# CELEBRATING THE CHILD



*Every child is a story of wonder celebrate their journey, not just their milestones.*

**Our school proudly recognizes one student from each grade as Child of the Month for their all-round excellence. The selection is based on qualities like leadership, compassion, academic performance, sportsmanship, and responsibility. This initiative celebrates students who inspire others through their positive attitude and actions.**



# Handwriting Excellence Recognition

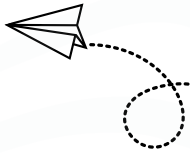


To encourage neatness and effective written communication, our learners actively participate in handwriting practice sessions supported by the Rorito initiative. Each month, learners who demonstrate exceptional improvement and clarity in handwriting are recognized and honoured during the school assembly. This recognition not only celebrates their effort and consistency but also motivates others to develop this essential skill. Through this initiative, we aim to instill discipline, patience, and pride in presentation among our learners.





# *A Joyful House Visit* **Learning Beyond the Classroom**



As part of our experiential learning program, our kindergarten children participated in a joyful House Visit hosted by a volunteer parent. The host child and family warmly welcomed the children and Acharyas, beginning the visit with a beautiful prayer time.

This was followed by a cheerful circle time, where children, parents, and elders introduced themselves and interacted happily. The children then explored the house and the host child's favorite places, such as the garden and special corners. Everyone enjoyed healthy snacks prepared by the parent and a fun toy-sharing time, where children played together while learning to share and follow instructions. The visit concluded with a small token of gratitude by gifted with photo frame prepared by the children for the host child and parent. This meaningful experience helped children develop important social skills, confidence, and connections beyond the classroom.





# Parents Feedback



## **B. CHITRA**

Beginners parent of Deeksha

Namaste Mam,

I'm Chitra, mother of Deeksha from beginners Thulir.

We were so much excited for the past one week to welcome my daughter's school friends to our home today. I'm so surprised while they sing their devotional prayer song with clear voice. House visit is very helpful for the parents to know how our child's interaction with their classmates. House visit gives the opportunity to expose their daily hobbies and sharing habit to their friends.

Children can learn the hospitality through this house visit activities. I specially thanks to CVM Principal mam and Uma Acharya for giving this memories.

I am so much interested to welcome them again to our home for upcoming years. Atlast I want to say one Thirukural to the students

"அகனமர்ந்து செய்யாள் உறையும் முகனமர்ந்து  
நல்விருந்து ஒம்புவான் இல்."

Everybody should follow this.

Thank you



## **R. M. BHARATHI BBA**

PP1 Parent of Magilini



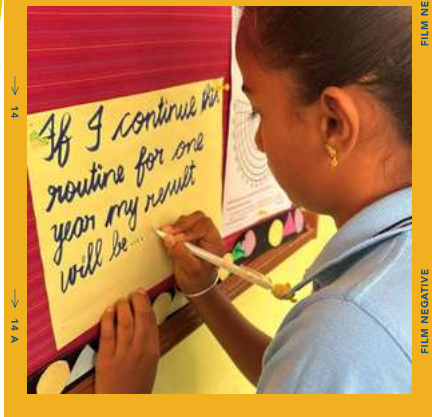
Thankyou for the school management for arranging house visit to our home. We had a great experience that kids enjoyed in our home. Its a different concept that kids can learn and adopt to the new atmospehere. My family had a great time with you all and felt happy about the kids. Thank you. Bharathi, PP1 Magilini Parent Mam



# Morning Conglom - "Your Time, Your Results"



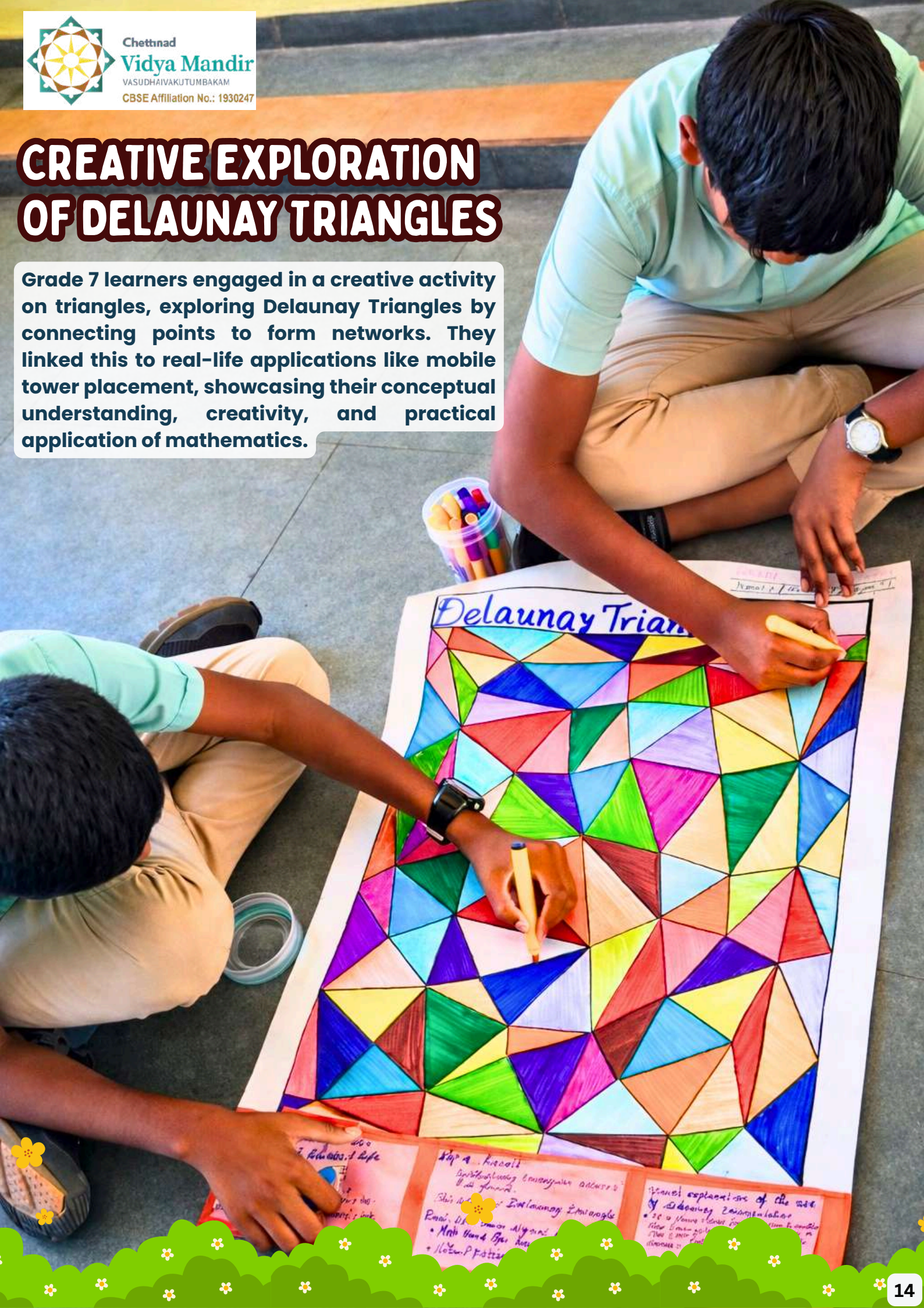
This week's Morning Conglom for Grades 3, 4 and 5 began with a key stage session on "Today's time shapes tomorrow's results." Through the Big Rocks, Pebbles and Sand activity, learners understood the importance of prioritizing what truly matters—health, studies, family and values. Learners then took up a Growth Challenge, choosing one positive habit to practise consistently and reflecting on how small daily actions lead to meaningful growth. The session concluded with learners creating their own result formula:  $\text{Result} = \text{Time Invested} \times \text{Consistency} \times \text{Effort}$ .





# CREATIVE EXPLORATION OF DELAUNAY TRIANGLES

Grade 7 learners engaged in a creative activity on triangles, exploring Delaunay Triangles by connecting points to form networks. They linked this to real-life applications like mobile tower placement, showcasing their conceptual understanding, creativity, and practical application of mathematics.



Delaunay Triangles

Step 4 - Result  
Distribution of towers across  
the ground.  
This is a Delaunay Triangle  
Real life application  
• Mobile tower placement  
• Urban Planning

Visual explanation of the use  
of Delaunay Triangles  
• To place towers in a network  
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• To place towers in a network



*"Connecting points, creating real-world solutions."*

**Delaunay Triangulation :  
From dots to real life**

**Step 1 :** Start with points  
Plot random points

**Step 2 :** Connect nearest points  
Join dots to form triangles

**Step 3 : Rule**  
No dots should lie inside another triangle's area.

**Step 4 : Result**  
A strong triangular network is formed.  
This is called Delaunay triangle

**Real-life uses :**

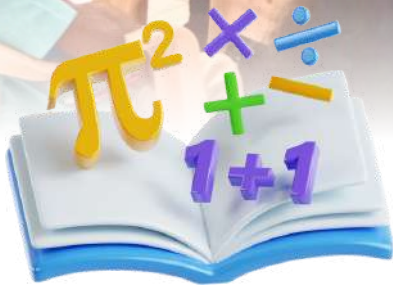
- Mobile tower signal planning
- Maps and Gps area planning
- Nature patterns

**Visual explanation of the use of Delaunay triangulation**

- If a phone moves from one area to another this triangulation help the system to decide - which tower should take over the signal next.



## **VISUALIZING ZEROES: A DYNAMIC APPROACH TO LEARNING MATHEMATICS**



Learning Mathematics became dynamic and engaging as students explored the geometrical meaning of zeroes using GeoGebra. By visualizing graphs in real time, learners discovered that zeroes are the points where the graph cuts the x-axis. This AV-based approach transformed abstract ideas into clear, meaningful understanding while fostering curiosity and active participation. The session concluded with learners actively summarising their understanding—articulating that zeroes occur where  $y = 0$  and recognizing how graphs validate algebraic solutions. This reflective closure strengthened conceptual clarity and ensured that learning was both meaningful and retained.



### **Dance Club:**

The Dance Club enhanced learners' fitness, rhythm, coordination, and creativity through structured sessions that included warm-ups, rhythmic activities, and choreographed practices. Learners explored classical dance, Zumba, and creative movements while also practicing the school anthem. The club promoted confidence, teamwork, discipline, and holistic development.

### **Chess Club:**

The Chess Club developed learners' strategic thinking, logical reasoning, and concentration through structured lessons and practice games. Learners progressed from understanding basic rules to applying tactics and checkmate strategies. The club fostered sportsmanship, critical thinking, and a focused learning environment.

### **Coding Club:**

The Coding Club engaged learners in designing games using MakeCode Arcade, making coding interactive and meaningful. Through hands-on learning and peer collaboration, learners strengthened analytical thinking, creativity, and problem-solving skills. The club promoted teamwork and a positive attitude towards technology.

### **Young Authors' Club:**

The Young Authors' Club encouraged learners to explore various writing forms such as stories, poems, and comic strips. It nurtured creativity, confidence, and self-expression while enhancing language skills. The club helped learners develop a love for writing and appreciate its power.







# Expedition

## Exploring Beyond Classrooms: A Memorable Learning Journey

Our Grade 5 learners enjoyed an enriching educational tour filled with real-world learning experiences. From exploring marine life at the Malampuzha Aquarium to the scenic ropeway ride at the Malampuzha Dam Ropeway, every moment blended fun with learning. Visits to the Thrissur Zoo and Museum, Snake Park, and the Thumboormuzhi Hanging Bridge deepened their understanding of wildlife, conservation, and engineering. The unique experience at Snow Storm and the natural beauty of Vazhachal Waterfalls and Athirappilly Waterfalls made the trip memorable. The tour fostered curiosity, teamwork, and experiential learning. Appreciation to our learners for their enthusiasm and discipline throughout the journey.





## EMPOWERING PARENTS FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS ORIENTATION AND PTM

The Parent Orientation and PTM for Grade 10 and 12 was conducted on 7th March 2026. The parents were oriented on upcoming plans for Grade 10 and 12, including slip tests, portion completion, unit tests, pre-board exams, dual board exams, on-screen marking, and other details by the coordinators. The principal clearly communicated expectations from parents and acharyas. The Vice Principal wrapped up the session, informing parents about the daily checks they should make. Finally, parents received the report cards from the Class Acharyas.



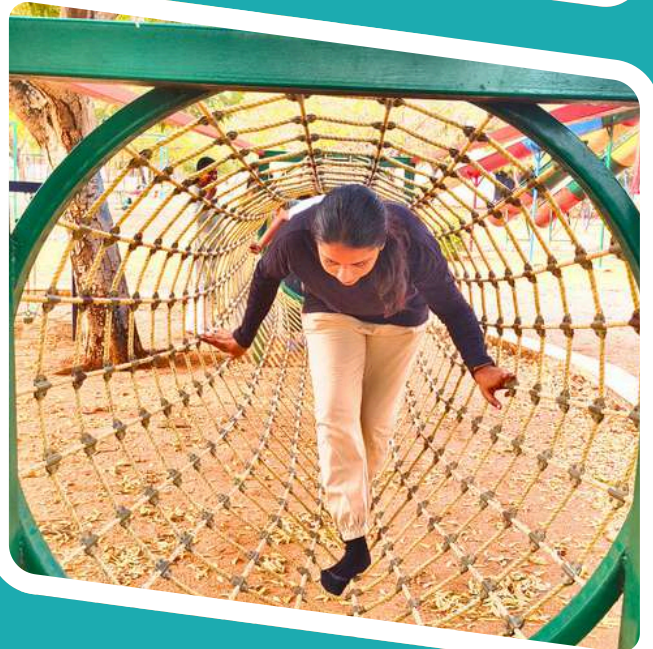




# ZUMBA SESSION

Chettinad Vidya Mandir celebrated International Women's Day with great enthusiasm, extending warm wishes to all women. A lively Zumba session was organized on campus, beginning with jogging and a Natte walk as a warm-up, followed by energetic dance movements. The campus was filled with positivity and excitement as participants enjoyed the music and togetherness. The event beautifully celebrated the spirit, strength, and energy of women, making it a joyful and memorable occasion.







## Connecting with Nature: Inspiring Early Years Learning

As part of the Vikasa program for aspiring early years teachers, a session on nature-based learning highlighted its role in holistic child development and practical classroom integration. Participants engaged in a nature walk, creative collage-making, and reflected on insights from Last Child in the Woods, understanding the impact of nature on creativity, problem-solving, and environmental awareness. The day concluded with an engaging storytelling session, inspiring educators to bring nature into their teaching practices.



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# VIKASA

# 2026





As part of our **VIKASA program**, a session on Art for Children was successfully conducted for our educators. The session highlighted how art is not just an activity, but a powerful medium for children to express emotions, develop creativity, and build essential life skills. Through engaging hands-on experiences like drawing, colouring, and clay modelling, participants explored the role of art in enhancing focus, coordination, and imaginative thinking in children. The session also emphasized the importance of providing a safe and open environment where every child's expression is valued, rather than focusing on perfection. Such initiatives under VIKASA continue to empower our educators with meaningful strategies to support holistic child development.





**Vikasa**, a certified foundation course by Chettinad Education and Services, empowers parents and aspiring educators to create joyful learning experiences for young learners. The course, designed for those wanting to deepen their understanding of parenting or teaching, includes sessions like "The Power of Play" at Chettinad Vidya Mandir, Karur. This session explored understanding play, incorporating it into learning, and strategies to enable play





## The Magic of Storytelling: Nurturing Curious Minds

Ms. Mangalam from Coimbatore captivated them with a storytelling session, weaving a tale that transported them to a world of imagination. Through her narrative, they explored the essential components of storytelling - character development, plot, setting, and emotional connection. They discovered how storytelling fosters language skills, creativity, and empathy in children, while strengthening brain connections. The session highlighted storytelling's role in holistic development, enhancing cognitive, social, and emotional growth. They left inspired to harness the power of storytelling in their own teaching practices, nurturing young minds and sparking a love for learning.





## ***Collaborative Learning in Action: Empowering Classroom Practices***

**Chettinad Vidya Mandir Acharyas had a session on Collaborative Learning and its subtopics. Acharyas from each department presented a topic, sharing how conceptual learning can be effectively brought into the classroom through collaborative practices. The session encouraged the exchange of ideas and strategies among teachers. The key concepts were further reiterated and guided by our Academic Mentor, Ms. Geetha Subramanian.**





# EMPOWERING YOUNG VOICES FOR JUSTICE AND HUMAN DIGNITY

When young minds unite, they create a world of dignity, freedom, and hope.

## Tips and strategies for effective dialogue



Everyone enters the dialogue as



Dialogue is as much about listen



You are here to learn more about



Dialogue involves being generou



Build on what you hear to reach a deeper dialogue.



**Generation Global organized a conference where our middle school learners connected with Indonesian peers. Together, they explored human trafficking's impact on communities and the importance of human dignity. Through discussions on forced labor and child trafficking, they highlighted the need for safety and respect. The students teamed up to brainstorm youth-led actions – social media campaigns, NGO partnerships, and more – to support victims and spread awareness. This exchange sparked inspiration to promote justice, freedom, and a life free from fear or exploitation.**





## Experiential Learning Tour to Vagamon, Kochi, and Athirapally

From 1–5 March 2026, 47 learners of Grades 9 and 11 went on an educational tour to Vagamon, Kochi, and Athirapally, accompanied by acharyas. The itinerary included a Jeep Safari and Pine Forest visit in Vagamon, exploration of Dutch Palace, Water Metro, and Marine Drive boating in Kochi, and a visit to the scenic Athirapally Waterfalls and Thumboormuzhi Bridge. Learners also enjoyed activities such as a campfire and a visit to Snow Storm Park. The tour provided experiential learning through exposure to geography, heritage, culture, and urban infrastructure. The trip was well-organized and supervised, ensuring safety, engagement, and meaningful learning for all learners.



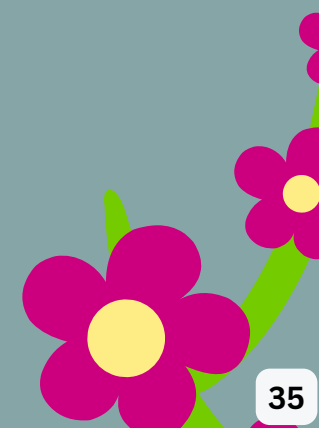


*"Exploring nature, culture, and heritage, our learners turned every moment into a journey of discovery."*



# A Heartfelt Farewell: Celebrating Unity, and Memories

The hostel farewell for our Grade 12 learners was organized with great care and dedication by the wardens. The programme, from the warm reception to the dinner arrangements, reflected clear planning and well-structured execution. A highlight of the evening was witnessing the hidden talents of our learners. Students who had never been on stage came forward confidently and performed remarkably well, showcasing their true potential. Despite the short time available, the agenda was set and executed at a high standard, with each segment flowing smoothly through effective coordination. The event beautifully reflected unity, emotional bonding, and teamwork. The sense of togetherness among learners and wardens made the evening meaningful and memorable. Overall, the hostel farewell was a wonderful celebration, leaving behind cherished memories as the learners move forward in their journey.





# CULMINATION 2026

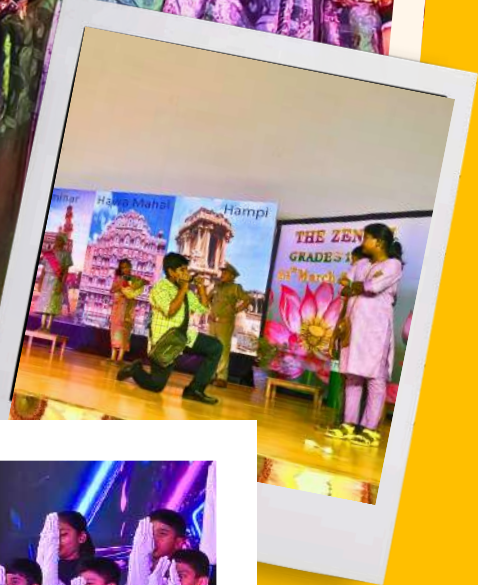
Chettinad Vidya Mandir, Karur, proudly hosted a two-day Culmination event on March 24th and 25th, 2026, celebrating the academic and extracurricular journey of its learners. The event showcased holistic growth across all levels—from primary to high school—highlighting achievements in academics, leadership, responsibility, and compassion. The celebration began with an inspiring address by the Principal, Ms. Vijayalakshmi, setting a meaningful tone for the occasion. Parents enthusiastically explored vibrant displays of learners' artwork and the Heritage Museum, which beautifully presented India's rich cultural legacy. The event concluded on a high note, honouring learners' efforts and reinforcing a strong culture of appreciation, pride, and continuous growth within the school community.





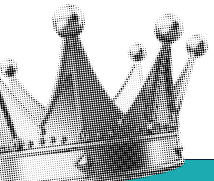


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# GRADUATION DAY



Chettinad Vidya Mandir celebrated Ascend 2026, the Early Years culmination and graduation ceremony, with great enthusiasm in the school auditorium, marking a special milestone for young learners. The event began with a prayer and lamp lighting, followed by a welcome address and an inspiring speech by the Chief Guest. The cultural program featured engaging performances by students, along with a heartfelt parent testimonial. The highlight was the Graduation Ceremony, where the young graduates were felicitated. The event concluded with a vote of thanks and a joyful selfie session, reflecting the school's commitment to holistic and joyful learning.



**HAPPY**  
 Graduation







# DINAMALAR

# EXPO



**Dinamalar conducted an expo across various locations, where our admin staff and facilities team proudly represented our school, effectively communicating our ethos and values to the wider community. Their dedicated efforts, clear communication, and warm approach created a strong and positive impression among the visitors. They showcased not only our academic strengths but also the culture, vision, and holistic development we stand for. Through their sincere engagement, they built meaningful connections and enhanced the visibility and reputation of our institution across different regions. The expo was successfully conducted in **Madurai, Trichy, and Salem**, and the upcoming expos are scheduled to take place in **Dindigul and Tirupur**.**





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# ART WORKSHOP

Learners of Grades 3 to 8 participated in a creative Art Workshop where they explored activities like pebble painting, paper collage, ice-cream stick craft, and paper cutting. Using simple materials, the learners created beautiful and innovative artworks. The workshop provided a wonderful opportunity for them to express their creativity, enhance their artistic skills, and enjoy hands-on learning. The session concluded with a display of their colourful and imaginative creations.





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# VARNAJALAM



The Art Workshop has created a remarkable contribution for Varnajalam, showcasing creativity, dedication, and artistic excellence. Their effort has truly added vibrant value and brought the spirit of the event to life. Every piece reflects the imagination and hard work of our learners, guided beautifully by the acharyas. The colours, concepts, and presentation stand as a testimony to their talent and teamwork. This wonderful creation not only enhances the visual appeal of Varnajalam but also leaves a lasting impression on everyone who witnesses it





## *Purposeful Birthdays: Spreading Knowledge and Green Joy*



*Smile!*  
*B-*

At our school, birthdays are more than celebrations—they are moments of sharing, gratitude, and responsibility. Many learners, like Pratheeksha Sree of Grade IV – Shaakunthalam, mark their special day by donating books or gifting saplings, nurturing knowledge and nature. Through such thoughtful acts, our children grow in character, compassion, and a commitment to a greener, sustainable future.



# Student Corner



**Y. Madhulekaa of Grade 8-2 (Indrasena) is a talented artist with excellent drawing skills. She observes keenly and recreates her ideas with neatness and precision. She excels in pencil art and painting, working with patience and strong focus. Her drawings reflect clarity of thought, creativity, and good hand skills. She also beautifully decorates classroom boards.**





# ACHARYA'S CORNER

## MAKING TIME FOR MY HOBBIES

### Love

Love is a whisper in the night,  
A quiet star, a steady light.  
It holds your hand when roads are long,  
And turns your weakness into strong.  
It feels your tears before they fall,  
And stands beside you through it all.  
It blooms in hearts that choose to give,  
And teaches fragile dreams to live.  
In every breath, in all we do,  
Love is the truest part of you.

### When Music Speaks of Love

When music begins, the world grows still,  
Like love unfolding at its will.  
It touches places words can't find,  
Softly healing the weary mind.  
It carries whispers of hearts that care,  
Filling the silent, empty air.  
In broken souls, it plants a flame,  
Calling each tender hope by name.  
Where melody and love both starts,  
They build their home inside the heart.

By  
Renuka S





# கோடையே வருக!



MOHAN KUMAR. S - DEPARTMENT OF TAMIL

மஞ்சள் வெயில் கோடையே !!  
வெப்பம் நிலைகண்டு தாங்காது  
நுங்கு, வெள்ளரி தின்றுண்ண  
கோடையே, நீ வருக! வருக!  
நண்பர்களுடன் சேர்ந்து  
மலையின் வீழும் அருவியில்  
குளித்து மகிழும் இனிமைக்கு  
கோடையே, நீ வருக! வருக!  
ஒருமாத விடுமுறையில்  
தாத்தா பாட்டி  
ஊருக்குச் சென்று மகிழ  
கோடையே, நீ வருக ! வருக !  
சித்திரைத் திருவிழாவில்  
இராட்டினமும் மிட்டாய்  
கடைகளுமாய் வரிசைக்கட்ட  
கோடையே, நீ வருக ! வருக !  
கோடையில் நீர்க்கொடை  
அளிக்கும் சான்றோரின்  
சேவைக்காக  
கோடையே, நீ வருக ! வருக !



By  
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