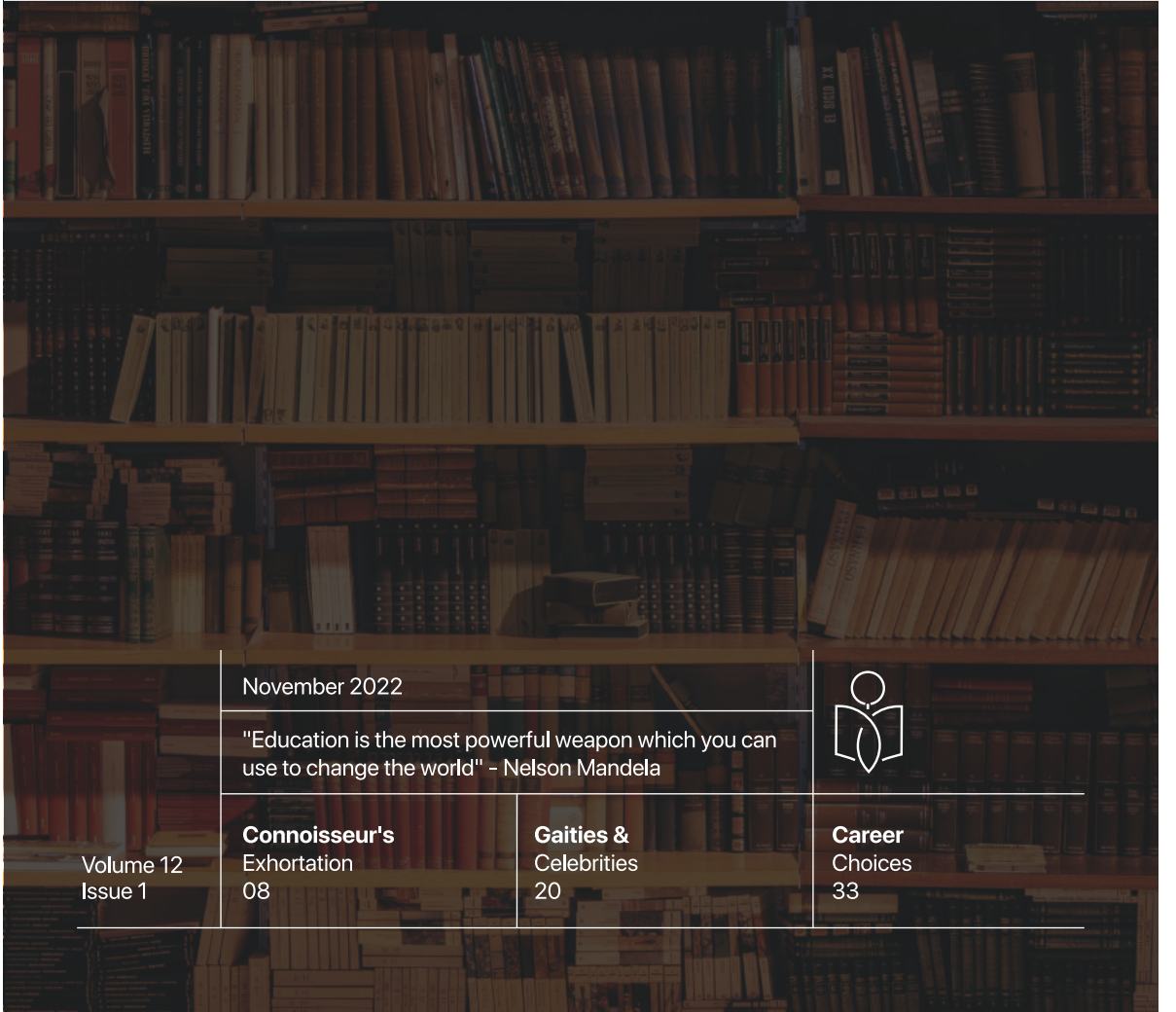




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"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" - Nelson Mandela



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The Editor

Dear Readers, Greetings from the Editor's Desk!

Profoundly happy to be the new editor of our newsletter Yagna, newly named as "Arinool" with the theme "Quality Education". QMIS looks out for newer opportunities in every phase. Yes! I emphasize the word "New" here because, we as the QMIS family started to witness, embody and experience the newness in all walks of QMIS' paths ahead.

We are soaring and roaring with newer avenues and to spell a few like QMIS family getting extended to THENI, a prominent academic excellence benchmark which has acquired National, State, and District Ranks in Grade 10 & Grade 12 results, and the list goes on. All these are possible only when you work towards your set vision and goals, and we never fail to do so at any moment, as every stakeholder of Queen Mira breathes the philosophy and values as a destined mantra.

Dr. Beena Joice Marimuthu

**Consultant - Learning and Organisational
Development & Counseling Psychologist**

Ever since the inception of QMIS, the institution has not compromised to date i.e. holistic approach to build quality education in order to create tomorrow's leaders. It is still the same. I would call this - MD's visionary statement. How come? He envisioned in 2010 that there would be a dearth for "Quality-People, Process, and Paths" and thus he determined to establish QMIS at Madurai to act as a catalyst in resolving the same problem by providing quality students to mend people, process, and paths. Readers, believe us, we are doing it religiously right now.

We, as the change makers and history creators, have started to speak through our actions from the moment of CIS Accreditation till the Academic Excellence Mark of 2022. You have got to wait and watch for many more accolades to embellish our paths with successful milestones. Whoever you are, never miss the journey with us because our vision is huge, and quality is 200% assured. We work not to meet expectations but to exceed them.

Wishing you all a
"Quality" Personal &
Professional Life!



Message From The Director Academics

Dear Readers,

Congratulations to Arinool which has evolved from our parent magazine YAGNA and stepping into its 12th year. Thanks to the Almighty for giving us the support to publish it without any break in between. I congratulate the new Student and Staff editorial team for walking the extra mile in making this magazine happen. The new face of our Yagna has only changed its name, but the spirit of the content is retained. Arinool is a book that will allow you to get to know the campus and events. Besides the regular website update, this magazine comes to your doorstep in three months.

QMIS believes in happy schooling and takes learning beyond books and the classroom all through their schooling. "We at QMIS believe in ensuring the well-being of body, mind, and soul of every individual by instilling steady growth where they emerge as change makers." Every activity right from Students' Assembly till After School Activity - ASA is fueled by Q's Philosophy where B-Fit functions as a prime tool to inculcate the same. Everyday fitness classes with enough opportunities for a holistic experience in the academics and other co-curricular activities productively engage every learner in QMIS. The school focuses on holistic education taking due care of the emotional aspect, and academics are placed as the spine of the program.

Sujatha Gupta
The Director Academics

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Message From The Director Academics

Weightage of the activities vary as they move to higher grades, but the learning remains the same. When most of the institutions were focusing on the toppers only, QMIS focused on every individual learner. That's how the school average rose from 75% to 85%. Constant improvement in the students' performance is evident in the board exam results. Along with the overall average, which was in a high accord, this year team has made the school proud by securing the district first, state third, and national sixth rank in the Grade X board results.

21st-century learning skills are integrated into their day-to-day activities. The STEAM classes, student-driven learning program, and RHAPSODY to integrate music into the concepts of learning have all brought in a paradigm shift in their learning program. Einstein+ enhances students' IQ guaranteeing a happy assessment delineating toward happy schooling to nurture the curiosity for continuous learning.

Thirukural acts pivotal in integrating the values that take place in day-to-day activity at QMIS. Children are also prepared for a sustainable future by making them understand their responsibilities to the world through the Global citizenship committee's activities, IDS (International Dimension in School) activities, and the SDG's (Sustainable Development Goals) integrated lesson plans. The tech-savvy are also protected through the digital citizenship committee. The health and safety committee continues to take care of the physical, emotional, and social well-being through various awareness programs.

With a dedicated team of teachers, well-developed programs, and an aesthetic and ergonomic ambiance, the success rate of every learner is guaranteed. This Arinool gives you just a glimpse of your child's learning world. The world is so vast than these words. Travel into your child's learning world and write to us for any feedback.



We at QMIS believe in ensuring the well-being of body, mind, and soul of every individual by instilling steady growth where they emerge as change makers.

Counselor's Instinct

Counselors are the remedial teachers for schools, we aim to give a complete education by fulfilling all emotional and behavioral requirements. In today's ever changing environment school students face problems in educational, social, behavioral, personal & vocational aspects. The unfortunate break that the Covid pandemic brought in the educational system has instilled various challenges in students' minds. Those obstacles were rightly identified sorted out by our counselor. Hence, we interviewed our own school counselor Dr. Dharani a Counseling Psychologist who encompasses a broad range of culturally-informed and culturally-sensitive practices to help students and people improve their well-being, prevent and alleviate distress, resolve crisis, and increase their ability to function better in their lives. Let's hear from her, the significance and correlation between counseling and quality education.

01 **Henry: In this vast education field what up to you is the significance of a counselor?**

Counseling plays a vital role in the education sector. At present we are in a digital era, everything is at the click of a mouse. So, students are exposed to both positive and negative effects. Counseling helps to understand students' needs and capabilities and direct them in a positive direction. Mainly it addresses the emotional, social, and behavioral needs of the student and helps to face the demands and challenges with confidence. It also directs to choose the best option for their career. Overall, giving more importance to psychological well-being to succeed in life.

02 **Henry: What is the role of counseling in today's world, before and after the pandemic?**

Before the pandemic people rarely recognized counseling and it was stigmatized as only people with mental illness would go for counseling. But after the pandemic, people started to encourage counseling as they realized how counseling helped during pandemic times in reducing immense distress, facing challenges, and uncertainty, and generating realistic hope. Counseling is brought into the limelight after the pandemic.

03 **Henry: What is the first and foremost thing you investigate before counseling a special child?**

Gather data regarding the child through the interaction with the child's microsystem (persons in immediate interaction with the child's surroundings), how the special child is behaving, and with the mesosystem (interaction with the child, teacher, and parent). I also observe the child's functions before counseling him/her.

Counselor's Instinct

04 Henry: How do you earn the trust of the students you counsel?

Maintaining a positive rapport with the child is important. Giving positive regard to the child is also vital. Certain other aspects such as being an active listener, being non-judgmental, showing emphatic understanding, and strongly maintaining confidentiality are highly essential in earning the trust of students.

05 Henry: How do you justify that counseling will be the right supplement in bringing proper quality & holistic education?

Holistic education addresses the child's physical, emotional, social, moral, psychological, and academic needs as a whole component through counseling emphasizing safe environment for the students. Counseling helps to face the demands in a positive way and gain insight into their issues and find an appropriate solution for them.

06 Henry: How will you make a kid come out of his comfort zone and make him socialize?

The Comfort Zone is one's habitual way of accommodating only a few friends and not many. They have a fear to move forward and thus no growth will happen in this zone. A frog put in hot water will immediately jump out of it. Whereas when put in cold water with heat applied gradually it will not sense the change happening.

Similarly, what makes them live in a comfort zone is the fear of what others might think about them and if they will get rejected by other people. As a counselor, I make them understand these are assumptions and are not facts. I also make them come out of it by taking small steps to bring confidence.

Ex: Make one friend at a time and taste the difference. Magic happens when one acquires a new learning skill and gets happiness out of it. That brings confidence in them to achieve more and now they will be in a growth zone to be successful by finding the meaning and purpose in life.



Counselor's Instinct

07 **Viveka: How important is it for a child to find the right crowd? Role of friendship & how to choose them?**

Friendship enriches life in many ways by providing the child with happiness & joy. It encourages healthy behavior by providing emotional support during tough times like failure. Friendship gives confidence and helps to reduce stress.

For finding the right crowd, mould yourself into the best version of yourself. Then look for a person who understands you, who shares your feeling, and is always ready to render shoulder when you cry. A peer who supports you emotionally, reinforces your values, and motivates you, helps you in healthy decision-making, and who acts as a protector. He / She must be loyal and must be one who encourages you and respects you.

08 **Henry: Is stress a necessity for a child to perform better?**

Usually, stress is an unpleasant feeling that we experience physically and mentally. But if you view stress as your companion, things will change.

Moderate stress is needed to perform better. In fact, it motivates us and allows us to be proactive enhancing our learning skills, improves focus, and brings productivity.

09 **Viveka: What will be the right age of a child to choose his/her career in your perspective?**

In India, by the time students enter 10th standard there is pressure building to choose a career. At this age, you have little experience and don't know what you will be getting in yourself. It is like choosing a menu in a restaurant. You peep into the next table and order for yourself. These dishes may look awesome, but until you try, you will never know whether you like them or not. You can switch career at any age if you broaden the horizon. Believe in your skills and talents.

Connoisseur's Exhortation

Ms. JENNI THOMPSON

Born in Australia, Ms. Jenni Thompson, her efforts as a teacher and as an Evaluation Officer of CIS working in unison with its members have culminated together offering new things that will help the students to learn with pleasure and incorporating international mindedness. Enjoying her 71 years of the journey she still guides educational institutions to develop high-quality teaching and learning and meeting international standards. She is now a notable friend of our school by being our school's advisory Board Member. Conversation with her accentuates how self-inspired, self-confident and self-paced Ms. Jenni Thompson has been throughout her personal and professional life. Know her better from this interview by Sakthi Kaavya, which exhibits her inspirational career progress and how she captivated and converted every single opportunity to successful outcomes.



01 What did your parents want you to become?

Every parent wants the best for their child. My mother wanted me to work in a Bank or Pharmacy, which she thought was a more consistent and secure job. When I told her that I wanted to pursue teaching, she was initially not OK with my choice but gradually accepted it.

02 Please share how you got into this field and your initial experience.

I started my career as a Primary School Teacher in Saudi Arabia. It was through that school I got introduced to the Council of International Schools. Unlike the current scenario, back then opportunities were less for women. Gender differences were much more prevalent in those days. Single men were given priority in placements. Men were paid 20% extra salary compared to women of the same cadre. It was very difficult to get a promotion. So, it was not easy.

Connoisseur's Exhortation

03 **Do you think it's time to change educational materials like books to gadgets?**

I wouldn't specifically say 'yes.' I have seen kindergarten students carrying their iPads to school. They have a whiteboard attached to their desks. They note it down and take a snap of it in their iPads. Throughout my life I am used to 'writing.' There is a direct connection between the brain and the hand. Personally, I will struggle if we go completely paperless.

04 **What is your opinion on integrating AI into our education?**

It will support the teaching-learning process to a great extent and extend the boundaries of a classroom.

05 **What was your most successful moment and what did you sacrifice to achieve it?**

To me, a successful moment is when I got my Promotion at school, and it was the choice of the Staff Board. Another successful moment is when I got my master's degree. I had to sacrifice my personal time for this success. Every day from 04:00 am to 06:00 am, I will prepare for the master's degree along with my career and family commitments.

Of course, it was hard to balance friends, family, work, and studies. When I wanted to focus on my studies, my friends understood that I could not spend more time with them. It was very interesting and exciting to reconnect with friends after 20 years.

06 **How are you so passionate, and keep yourself active?**

Apart from professional pursuits, I keep myself engaged through a lot of volunteering programs that support empowering women and children. "You should keep learning till you die." I am currently learning Spanish and wanted to do a course in Carpentry as well. My hobbies are the restoration of furniture and sewing. Alongside, I like to write cards and send messages to my friends.

07 **What is your advice for the students' community?**

You can be lucky or fortunate but to be successful you need to work hard. Trust your instincts. Don't give up and keep going. Make the best use of the skills you possess. It is a shame, if you have a talent and don't use it. You need to pass it on. I follow this principle "If you don't use it, you lose it."

You should manage your time. I was successful because I was more organized and had better time management. Something unexpected will always be there, so this will always help to plan the unexpected.

Child Health And Safety Committee

Say No to Touch

The well-being and welfare of children should always be our focus

Todd Tiahart

The session "Say no to touch" on 13.06.2022 for Graders KG to 5 was organized by QMIS's Health & Safety Committee with an objective of spreading awareness and educating children about good and bad touch. The interactive session was conducted by Dr. Dharani, School Counselor to empower young children to report any abuse, apprehension, or fear that they may have to report immediately to the parents or to other adults the child may feel safe with. Dr. Dharani concluded the session with a piece of advice that they are the owner of their body and they have to safeguard them. She further assured the students that the doors to her room would always be open for any child who wishes to come up and discuss any issue with her.



13th June

Blood Donation Camp

Giving is not just about making a donation. It is about making a difference.

Kathy Calvin

A Blood Donation Camp was organized by the Health & Safety Committee at QMIS Campus on June 25, 2022 (Saturday) for the parents and staff, to educate the children about the significance of blood donation. A Medical team comprising nursing staff and assistants from Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai was present with the required arrangements for the camp. Before Donors could donate blood, medical screening test was conducted to check for eligibility. Donors were provided with refreshments and certificates as a token of gratitude and appreciation.



25th June

Child Health And Safety Committee

Health Camp

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure

Henry de Bracton

An Eye Checkup camp was held in the school for two days on 22nd and 23rd of July, organized by the Health & Safety Committee. A team of Eye specialists from Vasan Eye Care, Madurai had come for the check up and the camp was advantageous for the students as they got an opportunity to know more about various aspects of eye care. The doctors had brought well-equipped eye examination tools to examine the students. They also spoke to the students about how to increase awareness and improve access to eye healthcare services. The objective of this event was to spread awareness of eye disorders, their early detection, and detect refractive errors and eye ailments among school children. Around 850 members including the staff and students at QMIS benefitted from the camp.



22nd & 23rd July

HSC Activity

I am Growing

QMIS' Health and Safety Committee organized a session on the topic "I am Growing" for graders 2 to 6 on 05.08.2022. The session was handled by Ms. Geethamani. K, MPT Physiotherapist (Cardio-Respiratory). She educated the children on general hygiene, dental hygiene, posture, biological clock, and exercises to stay healthy. She concluded the session by stating a quote 'Being healthy is a success that many people forget to celebrate.' On the same day, the children also had a session handled by Dr. Poornima MBBS, MD for girls from grades 5 and 6 to learn more about puberty health. She created awareness about hormonal changes and feature changes that happen between 12 and 15 years. She advised them not to get panic with all these changes as it is a natural process that takes place in the body. She advised them to accept the changes positively.

Jainool Fatima Alameen

Coordinator
KG

Mission Accomplished



01

Science Club

The students are engaged in Think lab activities, pertaining to the science experiments improving their practical understanding of the concept and enhancing their application skills. Think lab helps the students gain hands-on experiences with respect to advanced learning in Science Education.



02

Pop Corn Club

Popcorn club extends the platform for our children to convert their aesthetic ideas into a film by working on a movie script and learning about the fundamentals of filmmaking. Students have started their preparatory work by doing research and gathering information. Let's wait for the visual treat!



03

Heritage Club

Introduced our traditional handicrafts to our children by explaining tangible, intangible, and natural heritage. Students were amazed to see our handicrafts, which spiked their interests and tapped their artistic potential. Heritage club sowed the seeds for students' physical, social, and cognitive development.



04

Erudite Club

The Erudite Club provided an opportunity for the students to experience a real-life theatrical drama by witnessing the play "Macbeth" at The American College. Picture Interpretation, Group Discussion, and Film Review were the various activities organised by the club to enrich the students' linguistic skills.



05

Adventure Club

On July 23rd, the students from grades 7 to 12 were taken to Kuttupatti in the Natham district for trekking, accompanied by the staff members, covering a distance of 14 km. On the 30th of July, grades 3 to 6 students were taken to Karanthamalai, where they had great fun. 168 students were accompanied by 23 staff members covering the 5 km distance.



06

Agaram Club

On the 16th of July, Agaram Club organized a special programme to celebrate the birthday of a renowned Tamil writer and poet, Kaviperarasu Vairamuthu. The Agaram Club gave an insight into the lives of Tamil people with regard to Akam and Puram. Students were delighted to experience the beauty of Tamil literature & Thirukural.

Field Trip To Thirumalai Nayakar Mahal

KG department kids were taken on their edutainment field trip to Madurai's very renowned monument 'The Thirumalai Nayakar Mahal.' The main intention of the field trip was to make the children aware of such wonderful structures present in India. This monument is an excellent example of the fusion of Indo-Islamic architecture with intricate detailing. They were spellbound when they got to know about the lifestyle of the people who lived hundred years ago. Monuments like Thirumala Nayakar Mahal enable children to understand the visions, values, and morals of visionaries that were an inspiration to millions and still are.

Jainool Fatima Alameen

Coordinator
KG

Farm Visit

On 19 August 2022, the enthusiastic children of our KG department visited the nearby 'Kodikulam Farm.' The whole atmosphere of the field trip was filled with enthusiasm, cheerfulness, inquisitiveness, and curiosity. The main intention of this field trip was to introduce the importance and essentiality of farming and how it plays a major role in our daily life. The children were inspired to know that the farmers must work so hard not only for their well-being but also for the entire human society.



Field Trip

Thirumalai Nayakar Mahal



Farm Visit

Kodikulam Farm



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All monuments
are preserved
in the mind as
memories

Sixth Sense

Quality Education - The need of the hour

Today's parents google everything and anything to find the best schools. For instance, a biryani lover will not only search for more quantity but also for quality, which includes certain features like the aroma, texture, color, and flavour of the biryani, and they will ensure that they are not compromised at any point. Likewise, while hunting for the best schools - the quality of education, nowadays parents are not merely satisfied with a plate of academics' excellence; rather, they want the child to be provided with a balanced pyramid of several components that will bring out the best in the child. A child spends the majority of his / her hours at school, thus it becomes the primary responsibility of every school to meet their needs.

Schools that focus on academic excellence will be successful only in producing more bookworms who may be well versed, but when it comes to the discussion of holistic development, certainly, they will be deprived of the second part of education called fitness.

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As said by Swami Vivekananda, a country can have a great comeback even after several discriminations, wars, or battles if the country is rich in human resources, and we are indeed blessed to be citizens of India as its present strength is the youth.



Sixth Sense

The scenario of children studying grades 10 and 12 obviously means they will have to miss out on the best cocurricular activities when they will be on a military parade ride all the time. Most of them would be deprived of their regular physical training classes, and they would be busy with their own assessments and special classes. The NEP Policy ensures and emphasizes the need for education in a play-based method and focuses more on interpersonal development activities.

At this juncture, it is an esteem moment to introduce QMIS as a model school that is far ahead in all aspects, located at the banks of Vaigai in the Temple City—Madurai, which has proved itself by receiving the crown in the global arena. QMIS is the first ever CBSE school in the world to have been granted the CIS (Council of International Schools) accreditation for the delivery of "High-quality learning", "Global citizenship" and "Excellent maintenance of international safety standards".

QMIS takes ownership of every child and envisions them as tomorrow's leaders of the world. The school facilitates opportunities that enhance ethical, social, intellectual, and creative competencies both inside and

outside the classroom. QMIS fosters shared partnerships between students, families, and all stakeholders in the QMIS family. Our Chairman, Dr. C. Chandran, has stated that every student at QMIS will be a change-maker in society because the school lives on this philosophy and reverberates around it to focus on the well-being of the body, mind, and soul of every single QMIS person.

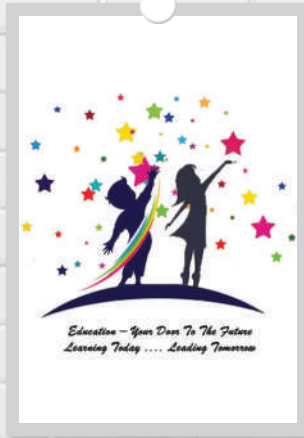
QMIS has created yet another history that is also capable of creating everything that it visualizes, and it's proven here by witnessing one of our dreams to exhibit our academic excellence to all our stakeholders. Yes, Grade 10 scores are positioned as District First, State Third, and National Sixth on the scoreboard. Hold on! Many more laurels and accolades are on the way because of our multifaceted activities, which enhance the kids' readiness for the competitive world physically, psychologically, and intellectually. We are privileged to be associated with QMIS because it guarantees steadfast growth as it works towards quality in all aspects.

Pandiselvi Murugan
TGT - Science

Harappan Scripts



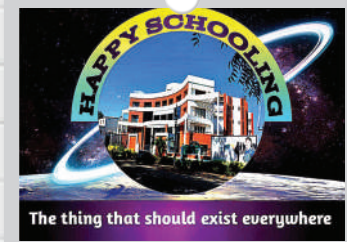
Prajan S
6B



Joshika P
6B



Yathin V
8B



Someshwar V
8B



Nirobika R
8A



Dheeksha Devi Karthik
7A



Tharakeswar M
7B



Rohan Krishna C
6C



Trailblazer

Fun Day - No bag Day | 24th June

What we learn with pleasure
we never forget

Alfred Mercier

Fun Day was organized by QMIS for the graders 1 & 2 on 24.06.2022 to get an opportunity to experience the best learning through various fun activities. Playhouse tents were set on the ground to emphasize the significance of socializing and started the day with tent activity to impart the same. Students were taken to the new technical construction area of Q's Sick Bay to create a learning platform with respect to the Construction.

Ms. Josephine Anne Sheebha, Joint Director of QMIS explained the structure and the framework of the building. Kids eagerly listened to all the information about the aspects of construction and interacted well. To create practical learning of the same, every student was given a space to do the craft activity and was taught to make a paper tent using color sheets, ice sticks, and glue to prepare a paper tent by themselves. Post lunch, Digital Citizenship Committee conducted a session on 'Digital Access' handled by Ms. Sathya Priya. And, the day ended with a cooking activity.

Fieldtrip to a supermarket

Primary Graders 1 to 3 of QMIS were taken for a field trip to DMart on 19.08.2022. This trip was planned to educate the children with respect to shopping etiquette, paying money, and receiving the balance. Children explored the supermarket and purchased things with the money they brought.

Our kiddiewinks stood in the queue, paid money, and received the balance and bill. Few of them who purchased candies tried to understand the expiry date as well. They also relished the yummy popcorns and ice cream. After completing the shopping, they returned to school with the things they purchased.

Jainool Fatima Alameen

Coordinator
KG

Fun Day - No bag Day | 15th July

Water is the driving force of all nature

Leonardo da Vinci

Our theme for the July month fun day was "Caring and sharing." As leaders of tomorrow, it is significant to emphasize the necessity of protecting our environment. As an initiation, the staff of the junior school planned for a rally on the topic "Clean water and Sanitation" focusing on SD goal 6. A profound focus was to make the students understand the reason to ensure a clean and stable water supply and effective water sanitation for all people by the year 2030. Kiddiewinks used some pluck cards, and handouts with slogans and visited all the classrooms. Thus, they had wonderful learning about safe drinking water and hygiene.

Sharing is a fine balance between respecting ownership and being considerate of others. We planned to show gratitude to our QMIS support team. Children also shared their lunch with them and started with the noble gesture of caring.

Kids were surprised to see the classroom arrangements in a theatre effect. The movie "Boss Baby" was played, and the students watched it with fun and popcorn. Thus, everyone had a great experiential learning day along with the lovely kids.

A Trailblazer is someone that can overcome different challenges and isn't afraid to do it.

International Dimension

Lifelines of National Economy

IDS - International Dimension in Schools activities were conducted to embed International awareness and Global citizenship in the students through various curricular activities. Students of Grades KG1 and KG2 were involved in the topic "Lifelines of the National Economy". To identify different modes of transport and to list out the ways to enhance transportation in our country, children explored the different modes of transport in few chosen countries - India, the UAE, China, and Singapore.

Parents of KG were taught about the activities and asked to prepare the kids for all the activities and competitions. Conducted a classroom activity on "Shaping a transport" where the kids created the best mode of transport of each specified country using different mathematical geometrical shapes like India - Railways, Singapore - Roadways, UAE - Airways, and China - Waterways. The little ones participated in an assembly activity where they had a role play of having a conversation with the Transport Minister of our School Parliament to take the role of Transport Minister of India.



Gaities & Celebrities

Independence Day

QMIS is known for its unique innovative ideas driven by commendable efforts in making them happen. Team QMIS marked the 75th Independence Day with gaiety and alacrity as the entire celebration comprised of sharp 75 mins of cultural and historical programs which stirred every soul.

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The culmination of this program was to hoist our National Flag high in the sky at the stroke of 12 am, August 15th. This embracing moment has created a record in Indian history as this is the first time ever in 75 years, after our National Flag was hoisted at 12 am on 15th August, 1947.

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The entire school ambience was adorned with lights of tricolour, creating a nationalistic essence. With the theme of “Nation First, Always First” declared by our honorable Prime Minister, Mr. Narendra Modi, the entire school blazed their sermons and performance which ignited the patriotic spirit and brought the memories of great leaders who sacrificed their own lives to give us this freedom. The event was set in motion on a virtual platform which was addressed by many parents and others, about how QMIS inculcates the value of Freedom in India in the young minds by accepting the duties of each citizen by themselves. A touch of happy schooling on the nation's biggest day was showcased in QMIS.

Cogni Quiz – Grand Finale

To sharpen the intellectual minds of the staff, QMIS introduced the exemplified platform named Cogni Q (Quiz) – a fun and effective way to ensure that staff members actively participate to gain maximum knowledge and confidence. These competitions motivate and encourage teachers to put their best foot forward by developing the habit of reading newspapers daily. With a series of interesting episodes, Cogni Q achieved its grand finale, which was driven and hosted by Dr. Augustus Dodd, Correspondent – Grace Kennett Hospital Madurai, with the utmost fun and enthusiasm. A total of seven teams geared up for the final battle and the winners overall bagged a cash prize of Rs.15000. Cogni Q was a hallowed event in QMIS, breaking away from the basic rote learning in the school education system.

NCC Maiden Batch

The National Cadet Corps in India is a voluntary organization which recruits cadets from high schools, colleges, and universities all over India. The Cadets are given basic military training in small arms and parades. Due to the pandemic break in the last two years, QMIS's maiden batch of NCC students was observed in this academic year 2022 – 2023. With a total strength of 18 volunteers, students underwent a severe training program in Idayapatti, Tamil Nadu. This session trained the students mentally, emotionally, and physically, among which two students were selected for the National Republic Day Parade. The selected cadets will participate in “The National Republic Day Parade” to be held on January 26th in New Delhi. This maiden batch of NCC stands as a pride of QMIS.



Fresh Thoughts

How are we educated at QMIS?

Education is a need for anyone, who wants to become the leader of tomorrow. It's value will only be known when we attain higher standards in life. We are provided with quality education. It is not only about scoring good marks, but also making learning fun, exciting, and also knowledge enriching. It should be about understanding a child's needs along with putting them on the right path. Quality education also involves having holistic learning. It's about equality and bringing out the students' talents. Not everyone is blessed with quality education so we should value this opportunity. Here at QMIS, everyone is respected, valued, and always given a chance which makes quality education 100% valid.

Dhiya Dharshini S

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It's about equality and bringing out
the students' talents.

Quality Education

What is quality education? Getting good marks?
Having expensive books?

Well, yes and no. Quality education includes ensuring the well-being of the soul and body of the student. Quality education is an essential for every student. It should be a requirement for everyone. Quality education is what ensures a good future for the student's life and career.

Evangelin Susan

9A

Fresh Thoughts

A Happy Student's Note

I'm here to share my dream come true moments in my new school. I always dreamt of studying in a school sharing my vision. Having studied in various schools I have a lot of experience (Not in a good way). I was always identified as a smart kid in my family. Having understood my true potential my parents always tried to put me in a good school but every time when I was admitted to a new school I always prove that their decision was wrong. Some way or the other I make them regret that that school wasn't enough for me to develop myself. Must have been God who finally decided to help us...I got admission in QMIS along with my niece.

The very first moment I entered the campus I thought "Oh! My goodness this place is so awesome...this is where I belong to." I am kind of a girl who is ready to do any kind of task and the school has never failed to satisfy my desires right from academics to sports and all kinds of activities I was gifted with a number of opportunities that were once denied for me in the other schools where I studied. The standees of my seniors who had achieved in the board exams have now become my next target. My parents are overwhelmed with happiness on seeing me progressing in all dimensions. Wishing for more successful years at QMIS.

Shivadharshini S
9B

This is proof of the tagline
"Holistic Education"

All about Grade 10

I am Riya, currently studying in Grade 11 and my experience in grade 10 is indescribable. It was filled with lots of twists and turns, that made it even more memorable. The stereotypical society says that once you reach 10th we as students have to forget about everything except studies. Now here comes one of the aspects of QMIS, which makes it unique, we were never compelled to study all time. Instead we were encouraged to excel in all activities. This is proof of the tagline "Holistic Education".

We were never stressed out and given full freedom to express our doubts and concerns. A major thanks to be given to all our grade 10 teachers because as students we face grade 10 only once, but they must undergo that stress every year, and yet they manage to handle and teach everything with a smile. We were never denied of our BFIT classes and that's why we succeeded. Overall, my grade 10 journey was a memorable and treasurable experience that I would cherish forever.

Riya Jasmine
11A2

Fresh Thoughts

My life-changing experience of Grade 10

"Life isn't a matter of milestones, but of moments."

- Rose Kennedy

This quote holds true, as my experience in Grade 10 not only helped in achieving good results but also helped to create some amazing memories. Grade 10 has not only created memories, but also given some lessons that one can learn from life. Initially, when I was in Grade 10, my expectations were all study and no play, continuous stretch of assignments, tests, and so on. But the scenario in QMIS was completely different where I played games that I haven't tried in the previous years, showcased my talents during functions held in school, and had some everlasting memories with my friends.

In the initial days of my school life at QMIS, I didn't have many friends but now I have good friends who will stand by me through my highs and lows. All this combined helped me achieve results that I did not expect. Whenever I fell ill or couldn't do anything due to my health, the motivation of doing well in exams, helped me overcome the fear of staying unwell and helped me prepare for the hardest of challenges that I faced during 10th Grade. Overall, I can say that 10th Grade not only helped me to achieve good results but also create memories that I can never forget.

Aashiga

11A1

Teacher Incharge : **Ms Paulin Sharmila**

Student Incharge : **Harshidh Mithran 9A**

"Life isn't a matter of milestones, but of moments."
- Rose Kennedy



Session on **STEAM**



Tell me and I forget.
Teach me and I remember.
Involve me and I learn.

Benjamin Franklin

The “Differentiated Learning” session by Dr. Sudha Govindswamy started with a brainstorming session that led every teacher to explore different learning styles and how teachers have to meet these criteria upfront. Student Engagement is a prime duty of all teachers to ensure that every child attains the learning curve for the planned concepts. Appropriate engagement activities like worksheets, real-time examples, indulging in HOTS (Higher Order Thinking Skills) questions, problem-solving and critical thinking act highly supportive for the super-leading children. The session broke down the clear path of realizing heterogeneous and homogeneous learners in a classroom.

Learner's Column

MIS believes in fostering 21st century skills in our leaders of tomorrow. To nurture a successful learner, 'Professional Development Sessions' on STEAM & 'Differentiated Learning' were organized on 13th July 2022 which was conducted by Dr. Sudha Govindswamy, an Associate Director, Council of International Schools and also a renowned academician. She demonstrated the core concepts of STEAM critical thinking, collaboration, creativity, and communication through an activity.

We inculcate the four C's: through STEAM Education. STEAM, a multidisciplinary approach aims to spark an interest, helps children to be lifelong learners, and inculcates a love of the arts and sciences in children from an early age. She created a student-centered learning environment and made the teachers understand the significance of STEAM class.

Pandiselvi Murugan
TGT- Science

Travelogue

The greatest legacy we can leave our children is happy memories.
Og Mandino



Srinika
KG2A

Dubai is a city of skyscrapers, ports, and beaches, where big business takes place alongside sun-seeking tourism. This city to be explored once in a life time. We traveled and stayed to celebrate 2020 Christmas and 2021 New year which is the best time to visit. The temperature during the day was around 20degree and at night it was 10deg. We stayed in the Jumeirah Lake towers; we were surrounded by skyscrapers and lake views. We visited the world's tallest skyscraper, Burj Khalifa, we went to the 128th floor and saw a beautiful view of Dubai and we went to an underwater aquarium on the ground floor. In Frame tower, we walked on a glass structure above 150m in height. In Miracle Garden and Butterfly gardens, we spent time and played with butterflies. Then we visited the Dolphinarium for a dolphin show. On Desert safari, we rode a quad bike and sand-bashed, then had a camp at night in the middle of the desert at night. Finally, we spent our New Year's Eve in a Cruise with dinner. One of the most things we liked in Dubai is shopping, we bought so many souvenirs, traditional and handmade goods on our return.



Dhanya S
8A

Hi, here I am going to share my traveling experience with you for the travelogue column of Ever since COVID hit all over the world, we never really had a chance to escape from our homes. After all the struggles, COVID gradually faded away, eventually, we had a chance to visit mother nature. For our destination, we choose MCKINNEY FALLS, AUSTIN, TEXAS. When we got there, we first went to go see the humongous lake. The lake was really stunning as the sunlight glistened on the water's surface. We saw some people fishing and someone even caught 3 feet fish! After that, we decided to go for a walk around the park. Although the sun was shining brightly, it felt quite chill outside thus we had to wear our jackets. Overall, we had a tremendous experience, and we hope to visit again soon. Thank you for reading my memories about my adventure and I hope you have a memorable trip too in the days ahead!

Travelogue



Tejasvinii Chakkaravarthy
KG2

I Tejasvinii Chakkaravarthy of KG-2, love my family. We love to travel to several places. Here we enjoyed the natural beauty of Ooty. It is in the Western Ghats Mountains of South India. I visited Rose garden, went Boating in the Lake and visited Tea Estates. I traveled by Mountain Steam Train which pass through the mountains and many more places and I enjoyed it a lot.

We joined with them. Elders enjoyed going for a walk on the dam experiencing the breeze, and water nature, Children climbed trees, walked in the water flow, rolled on the grass, and enjoyed. Adults started exploring different kinds of trees flowers and grasses. We played on swings and slides, and some rested well and listened to the music. In the evening we went boating and enjoyed the glorious sunset. Then we returned home with good memories.



Jaya Khumaran S
KG1



Tharshan A
KG1

Very often we go for a picnic, and this May we went to Vaigai Dam. Beautiful place to enjoy and an amazing place to explore. A group of 10 families participated in the picnic.

On May 19 2022 we started our 9 hours journey to Wayanad by car. We started our journey in the morning at 6:00 am and reached Wayanad by 4 pm. The climate was cool with a light drizzle. We first visited Banasura Sagar Dam which is the largest dam in India and then went speed boating in the Dam. After we trekked to the top of Banasuramala Meenmutty Waterfalls. We went zip lining and then we trekked for 1 hour to reach the top of Edakkal caves. Returned home with memories to rejoice.

Connexions

Ms. Jenni Thompson,

Early Childhood Expert, Australia, Former School Support and Evaluation Officer, CIS, Leiden, Netherlands, and a pertinent Advisory Board Member of QMIS - Visit

Talent Night - A unique platform to exhibit the talents & skills of children and parents at QMIS campus.

Gaities & Celebrities

- Independence day celebration - Nations biggest day celebrated at QMIS with blaze of patriotism.
- Cogni Q
- NCC - Maiden Batch of QMIS

“School is a building which has four walls with tomorrow inside.” – Lon Watters

Parents Teachers Conference - QMIS plans meticulously to have a regular teacher - parents meet to discuss what is being taught and how the student is progressing.



Amazing Facts

The Firefox logo isn't a fox...

Mozilla Firefox's logo is a red panda and not a fox. You might not think it makes sense with the word "fox" being in the name, but a very little-known fact is that the red panda's nickname is "firefox."



Wikipedia is run by thousands of bots

Most of us are aware that Wikipedia is a crowd-sourced encyclopaedia. There are around 2456 bot tasks approved to carry out maintenance on the pages.



The first computer mouse was made from wood.

The very first computer mouse was made by Doug Engelbart in 1964 from wood and was rectangular in shape.



The most expensive book ever purchased was sold for \$30.8 million.

It was Codex Leicester by Leonardo Da Vinci, and it was purchased by Bill Gates, according to Business Insider.



World's largest school by Guinness Book of World Records

The City Montessori School in Lucknow, India, is the largest school in the world in terms of number of students, with more than 32,000 students.



Impressive, Longstanding, and still in operation holding the Title "Oldest"

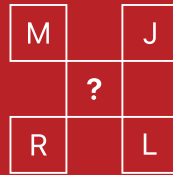
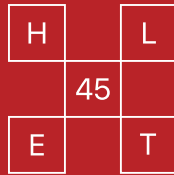
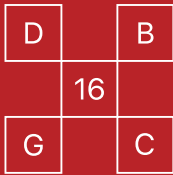
World's oldest school is in Canterbury, England. The King's School, as it is named, was founded in 597 AD.



Cognitive Sizzlers

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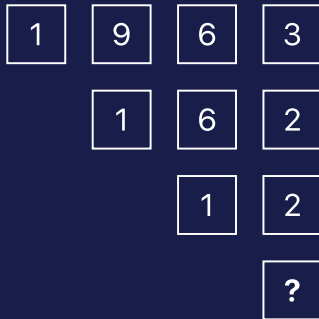
Which number replaces the question mark?



Hint : Explanation A to Z

02

Which number replaces the question mark?



Hint : Multiply the first row numbers with each other to get the second-row listed numbers as your answer. Continue the same for the following rows.
 $1 \times 9 \times 6 \times 3 = 162$ $1 \times 6 \times 2 = 12$ $1 \times 2 = 2$

03

To open this safe, you must replace the question marks with the correct figures. You can find this figure by determining the pattern behind the numbers shown.



Hint : They're arranged in groups of two-digit numbers, all ending in 7 and ascending in both rows.

Cognitive Sizzlers

04

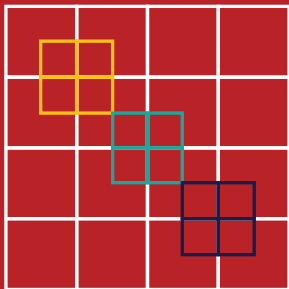
Which pins must be knocked over to score exactly 100 points?



Hint : There are three!

05

How many squares are there in this figure?



A) 44

B) 45

C) 46

D) 50

Answer : B

06

Following the same logic, crack this mathematical puzzle?

If **8801 = 5**

5261 = 1

9632 = 2

6381 = 3

6321 = ?

A) 4

B) 2

C) 1

D) 3

Hint : The logic here is the number of circles in each 4 digit number mentioned.
Answer : C

Agaram



தமிழ்

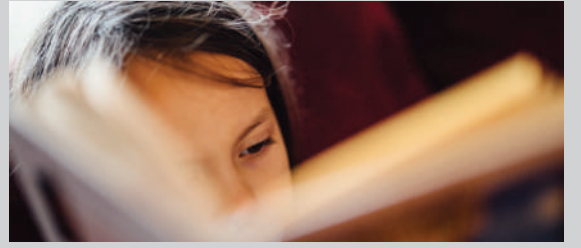
உலகத்தரக் கல்வியை நோக்கித் தடம் பதிக்கும் பள்ளிகள்!

தரமான கல்வி என்பது பற்றிய விழிப்புணர்வு மக்களிடம் தற்போது அதிகரித்து வருகின்றது. முன்பெல்லாம் கல்வி என்பது புத்தகத்தில் உள்ள பாடத்தை நன்கு கற்றுக் கொண்டு தேர்வில் நல்ல மதிப்பெண் பெறுவது என்று இருந்தது. ஆனால் இன்று மாணவர்களின் மொழித்திறன், பிற கலைகளின் மீதுள்ள ஈடுபாடு, பேசும் திறன், உடல் ஆரோக்கியம், மனநிலை, சூழலுக்கு ஏற்ப செயல்படும் திறன் என அனைத்தையும் ஒருங்கிணைத்து பெறப்படும் கல்வியே தரமானதாக கருதப்படுகிறது. காலமாற்றத்திற்கு ஏற்றவாறு கல்வி முறையும் மேம்படுத்தப்படுவது மிகவும் அவசியம்.

தரமான கல்வி என்பது மாணவர்களின் ஒட்டுமொத்த வளர்ச்சியை உறுதி செய்வதாகவும், அவர்களின் அனுபவம் மூலமாக அறிவு பெறுவதாகவும் இருக்க வேண்டும் எனவும் **தேசிய பாடத்திட்டக் கட்டமைப்பு 2015** வலியுறுத்தி உள்ளது. கல்வி ஆலோசகர்களின் வழிகாட்டுதலோடு உலகத் தரம் மிக்க ஒருங்கிணைந்த கல்வி முறை பல பள்ளிகளில் இன்று வெற்றிகரமாகச் செயல்படுத்தப்பட்டு வருகிறது. உலகை மாற்றும் சிறந்த ஆயுதம் கல்வி. தரமான கல்வி கற்கும் குழந்தைகள் நாளைய இந்தியாவின் சிறந்த குடிமகனாக மட்டுமல்ல உலகின் சிறந்த குடிமகனாகவும் விளங்குவர் என்பதில் ஐயம் ஒன்றுமில்லை.

திருமதி. இந்திரா

அகரம் ஒருங்கிணைப்பாளர்
குயின் மீரா சர்வதேசப் பள்ளி.



French

Quality Education Fosters Quality Life

Quality Education is the foundation for human development as it reflects completeness in all aspects. It is a wider approach than mere formal education. Through this, life becomes prosperous and meaningful. It is one of the blessings of life that creates better-learned individuals where quality education makes better-educated individuals. The word 'Quality' means 'Worthy' which has 'Positivity' in it and thus 'Quality Education' means, 'the education that gives quality to Life', or we can say education is itself for life.

For instance, UNICEF (2000) discusses five dimensions of quality education, "healthy learners; conducive environments; relevant curriculum; child-friendly pedagogy; and useful outcomes". All these elements contribute in giving quality education system thereby enabling an indispensable right for students for effective learning. It improves health, reduces poverty, fosters economic prosperity, and changes attitudes to empower women especially. The elements of successful learning such as quality curricula, efficient leaders, well-qualified and conscientious teachers, motivated learners, supportive parents, and abundant resources are the core components that determine the quality of education in the country. The future of the country depends on today's youth. Having access to quality education has been tacitly understood as the right of the learner.

Pradeep Christopher J

Teacher - French



Japanese Holistic Education System

There are several factors in the Japanese education system that make the world envy. In Japanese schools, the students don't take any exams until they reach the age of 10. The goal for the first 3 years of school is not to judge the child's knowledge or learning but to establish their character. Children are taught to respect other people and to be gentle to animals and nature. They also learn how to be generous, compassionate, and empathetic. Besides this, pupils are taught qualities like grit, self-control, and justice.

Clearly, respect for our learning environment is essential, and vibrant classroom displays and well-ordered classrooms all play their part. The Japanese education system does its best to ensure that the students eat healthy and balanced meals. Japanese schools provide a standardized menu for lunch. After-school workshops are very popular in Japan. The extra-curricular provision allows pupils to flourish holistically. Apart from traditional subjects, Japanese students also learn Japanese Calligraphy and Poetry which enhances the quality of education in Japanese schools.

Seethalakshmi Sitaraman
Teacher - Japanese



Hindi गुणवत्तापूर्ण शिक्षा

ऐसी कोई करें पढ़ाई

ऐसी कोई करें पढ़ाई, जिससे कोई ना जी चुराए ।
नई-नई हों बातें उसमें, सारी बातें मन को भाएँ ।।

बोझ हमें क्यों लगे पढ़ाई, मन कभी भी टिक ना पाए।
कितना कुछ भी याद करें हम, फुर्र से गायब हो जाए ।

दे कोई ऐसा ज्ञान हमें भी, मन की गाँठें खुलती जाएँ।
जिज्ञासा हो शान्त सभी की, भीतर का तम मिटता जाए ।।

मिलकर ऐसी करें पढ़ाई, सबका मन ललचाता जाए ।
फिर कुछ करेंगे जग की खातिर, सबका घर रोशन हो जाए ।।

Ms. Ramalakshmi
Teacher - Hindi



A movement in education that seeks to engage all aspects of the learner, including mind, body, and spirit.

Career Choices

Dear Readers,

Happy to connect with you all once again to guide your career through this page!

I often noticed during the birthday celebration at school assembly most of you say that you are opting to pursue IAS, IPS & IFS. So, I thought let me give a brief intro on the proceedings of appearing in the Union Public Service Commission Examinations (UPSC).

The Civil Services Examination is conducted by UPSC to recruit suitable candidates for Civil Services including IAS, IPS, IFS, and other allied services. The exams are held in three stages namely **Preliminary Examination, Mains Exam, and Personality Test or Interview**. To have an edge over your peers, it is important to have a robust preparation strategy that requires a detailed understanding of the UPSC syllabus.

The applicant must be an Indian national within the **age bracket of 21-32 years** to appear for the UPSC exam and should have completed an undergraduate degree from a recognized University.

UPSC examination pattern is always dynamic as the syllabus, subjects, and pattern may change, by the time the students attain the age of 21, when they become eligible to appear in the exam.

"If opportunity doesn't knock, build a door."
– Milton Berle

When can I start my journey for UPSC preparations?

It is good to prepare only the basics at the age of 16 and once you complete your Grade 10 Board Examinations you can start rigorously. This age supports you to choose optional subjects in IAS exams. This deducts your stress level and equips you to manage your time as well. High probabilities are found to crack it in the very first attempt. Reading Newspapers regularly can be more beneficial in all dimensions than books in the early stage.

IAS – Is it a cake walk? Or experience more challenges?

It does experience profound challenges, one must dedicate a lot of quality time and effort to learning the comprehensive syllabus. Sometimes you may get demotivated when you hear bitter experiences shared by the earlier attempters. Multiple attempts and revisions can be a formidable task during the preparation and may tend to deviate to different career paths.

Benediction after UPSC:

- It brings to your life a perfect and disciplined structure.
- You can serve the people with the power of knowledge and analysis.
- Contributing more towards nation-building is strengthened.
- Reading, understanding, and writing skills improve.
- Ability of time management adds to goodwill.
- It improves good communication skills.
- You can become a knowledge hub.

Contributed by

S. Kalpana Karthik

Global Career Counselor, QMIS

With the above, let's connect in the forthcoming issue with more of insights on the IAS, IFS, and IPS careers.

Junior Journalist

QMIS exposes its students to holistic development circling physical, mental, emotional, and academic well-being. We interviewed a young, marvelous, and exceptional educationalist - who has shown his excellence in the educational sector for almost a decade and above. Yes, he is our beloved Managing Director of QMIS, Mr. Abinath Chandran.

The interview we had with him was very informational and motivational as well. With this valuable interaction, we learnt 'How education has evolved over the past 3 decades,' 'How holistic development helps a child in all ways,' and many more...

01 Pragatheeshvaran: Sir, a question to you is that, when all schools and academic establishments follow the habitual/monotonous approach of making their students centered only on academics, how did you believe in holistic development and also produce marvelous outcomes using it?

During our school days, we were provided with many opportunities. We used some and neglected most of the opportunities. So, when I had to go to Chennai for my higher studies after Grade 12, I developed an inferiority complex after looking at peers of my age being highly equipped with good English speaking skills and other talents, good dressing, etc. So, when I thought of starting a school, I thought that it should teach kids not only studies but also other factors that keep them equipped to live by themselves after their schooling is over.

02 Divina: Schooling involves both students and teachers. Is our institution providing incentives or rewards to teachers, as it gives a great way to ensure that they stay motivated?

Incentives are given to teachers for sure, but want to share two things over here. In our initial stages when only Ms. Sujatha (Director Academics), Ms. Sheebha (Joint Director Admin), and I were there, not even a water bottle was sponsored. This condition was with us till 2017. Since 2018 we started to witness a gradual improvement and during the pandemic when the whole world was under lockdown and many employees were being laid-off and their salaries facing cuts, we never laid off a single employee, we also paid them in full, and kept our staff satisfied. We ensure Happy Schooling in all dimensions.

03 Pragatheeshvaran: Sir, according to you what is success and what is failure?

Success is like a journey. When a person doesn't even try to put an effort or doesn't work then it is a failure. When I wanted to start a school, according to me success was a fully built school building; then after the school was built, success was the quality of the school; then after the school achieved a good quality, success was the sports achievement of the school. Hence success is a never-ending journey. Talking about failure, when a person put in full-effort, hard work, concentration, and perseverance and still doesn't get good results then it's nothing but fate. Whereas when a person doesn't even try to put in the effort or doesn't think about hard work then it's a failure. This is the difference between fate and failure.

04 Divina: QMIS has a lot of calibers that the world hasn't seen yet. What are the other steps that QMIS is trying to project its mightiness to this world?

It's the student community here in QMIS that is going to reach great heights in the future. When you guys achieve great success then people will ask for sure, where your foundation was built. So, in another 5 years through all the students of Queen Mira excelling in various fields, the world would understand the mightiness of our school.

05 Pragatheeshvaran: Sir, at a very young age you are a successful educationist and Managing Director. In a span of 12 years of your career, you would have gained a lot of experience and challenges at the same time. What were were the hurdles and obstacles that you faced in your career as an educationalist?

Literally everything was an obstacle when I was into the work of starting an institution. No support from banks, friends, the government, etc. During those days it was only Ms. Sujatha and Ms. Sheebha who took care of everything in the school. Staff didn't support us, financially we weren't aided, parents didn't support us and even if there were some cooperative parents, other people were influencing them and made them unsupportive too. We had to come across a lot of hurdles to give great outcomes.

06 Divina: Sir, you highly value Thirukural and everyone in Queen Mira does too. Why did you think of integrating Thirukural as a part of our studies?

We were thinking of inculcating good values in the student community, for that we read and researched a lot of books grade-wise. But then we realized there is one book that is full of values and it is not meant for particularly any one or two graders, but for everyone, and that was Thirukural.

07 **Pragatheeshvaran: Sir, every parent plays a prime role in the success of their children. In that way I am sure that Dr. Chandran's role as a father of you is very vital to your success. So sir, which of his footprints did you follow to shine as a young and marvelous educationist?**

One of the most important things I have learned from my father is hard work. He always insists that we have to keep moving and busy. I have also learned a lot from Vairamuthu Sir. He is the person who is equivalent to my father, so from him, I've learned two vital things - punctuality and perfection.

08 **Divina: We have a "No-lack" campus. Why is such importance given to the campus?**

A person will select a book to read by seeing its cover. So if people have to come to us, we have to be pleasing and agreeable, and that's why the campus is given so much importance. After selecting the book, you read it and you may not like the content. Similarly, even if the campus is attractive, the quality of the people and the education inside the campus matter.



Teacher Incharge : **Paulin Sharmila R**
Student Incharge : **Pragatheeshvaran 11A2**
Divina Gabriel 11A2
Harshidh Mithran 9A

Sports

Yoga Day

International Yoga Day was celebrated at QMIS on 21st June to raise awareness on the benefits of Yoga . Under the guidance of Yoga instructor Prakash, warmups and simple asanas were performed by students enthusiastically



Ananya S 6C

Ananya has won the third prize in Table Tennis match which was conducted by Tamizhaga Table Tennis Association – Chennai.



Jaithran P 6A

Jaithran has won the Best Wicket Keeper Award in the South Zone Under 14 Category cricket match organized by Salem Cricket Academy and Rotary Club of Salem Hill city.

Jaithran holds third position in the Best Fielder and Best Wicket Keeper category.



Arul Prakash N 8A

Arul Prakash has won the first prize in the 1st Starwarz Open Fide Rated Chess Tournament, Cochin, Kerala, organized by BYJU'S.

Arul Prakash got second place in MDCA-Boys in celebration of the 44th Fide Chess Olympiad Selection Tournament.



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