

Annual Report 2021-2022

Carmel Teresa School though it is a small beginning it has distinguished itself as a leading institution for its uniqueness; yes. It is growing steadily from a tiny seed to a mighty tree. It gives great opportunity for the students to widen their horizons with deep knowledge, quest for learning, discipline and family atmosphere.

For us a project without God's blessing is like embarking on a journey full of uncertainties. With the nation-wide lockdown due to the Covid-19 the re-opening of the school for the academic year 2021-22 was really a challenge. But God's grace and your cooperation we could complete the academic year successfully.

As we approach the last term of this academic year, I take this opportunity to thank Almighty God for His abundant blessings and guidance. I can with all honesty say that we did our best as we had planned and I am proud of our students and teachers who, focused on the holistic development of the students, strove hard to make them better humans. I take this opportunity to thank Sr. Chris and her councilors especially Sr. Grace Rose for challenging us to cop up with the science of the time.

As a preparation for the academic year 2021-2022, there was a two day online Teacher in service workshop organized for all the teachers old and new on May 23rd and 24th 2021. The academic year 2021-22 began on June 8th with a general virtual orientation for the parents of the primary classes. The chief guest of the event was Dr. Arun B Nair, an international speaker. It was an informational and educational workshop in which Mr. Arun highlighted all dimensions of an individual and gave adequate guidelines about how to be a good parent and how to listen and understand their children. Then later on June 22nd and 29th of 2021, the teacher of each class had organized an online Parent/Teacher Orientation for the parents of the children in her care and explained to them the curriculum, expectations, and the discipline policies.

Carmel Teresa school family comprises of 485 energetic and affectionate children, 17 well trained, dedicated and creative teaching staff and 15 kind, compassionate and supportive non-teaching staff.

In the beginning it was hard for all of us to convince the children that the school was going to be the second home where they would be formed spiritually, psychologically, emotionally and physically. With tremendous patience and commitment, the teachers helped them gain a new outlook. Today, when I look back I see the incredible changes that have taken place in each child.


Our school embraces national and cultural diversities. We began our daily activities with the School Assembly, praising and thanking God for everything, and with yoga especially opportunities to express themselves by giving the thought for the day.

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All the skills gained through the year were displayed when the children confidently stood before the audience (online) during various occasions. Students have shown remarkable progress in academics this year.

I would like to give you a brief glimpse of the activities and competitions held during 2021-22. The purpose of these activities was to provide opportunities for the students to be involved in the life of the school and to help them tap their potential to grow into well rounded human beings.

- Though classes were online, we missed no activities and celebrations. Festivals of all religions were celebrated, highlighting the significance of each festival. The children were thus made aware of the rich diversity of religion and culture in our country and learnt to appreciate and respect those other than their own.
- Every child is special and precious at Carmel campus. To make their faces light up with joy on their birthdays, the teachers recognized each child's uniqueness and wished them blessings and greetings.
- Drawing and colouring competitions were held for all the children on August 13th . It was very interesting to watch the little fingers doing wonders with their pencils and crayons. An elocution competition was also held for classes 1 to 3rd and grades 4th to 7th an essay competition.
- Carmel family celebrated Independence and Kannada Rajoytsva Days with a special assembly. The teachers emphasized the importance of the day and the significance of being a free country. The students were excited and enthusiastically participated in the celebrations which included speeches by the winners of the elocution competition and display of models prepared by the students.
- The children celebrated Teacher's day on Tuesday 5th September, with great joy and fervor. Children of Grade 7, prepared a surprised programme for the teachers in the school. The celebration began with words of appreciation and love from the students for their teachers. There were games and activities hosted by the students, who made every effort to make this day a happy one for the teachers.
- Ethnic Day was celebrated to mark Onam and Diwali. Children were requested to were asked to wear sporting their traditional dress, and presented themselves as some of the personalities of our Indian History.
- Children's Day was celebrated with much fun and gaiety. To have an exposure, we requested the parents to bring their Children to the school. It was not mandatory but a good number of children came to the school for the first time. They came in their best dress and the teachers indeed did their utmost to make this day a memorable one for the children by organizing different activities.
- The various the co-curricular and extra-curricular activities held for primary classes are:
 - Yoga
 - Karate: our children had an opportunity to attend the seminar with international coaches. Abacus


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- Show and Tell based on colours
- Drawing and colouring
- Story Telling,
- Elocution
- Fancy dress competition
- Handwriting
- Story writing
- and Spelling Bee. Some of these which I have already highlighted in this report, were held precisely to enhance the teaching and learning process and to mirror the academic curriculum.

None of these activities and programs would have been possible without the support and cooperation of the parents and commitment of the whole school community – the teachers, and the students, and I take this opportunity to record my sincere appreciation and heartfelt thanks to the parents and teachers.

The two Parent Orientation, and Parent -Teacher conferences after the Term exams held online were the opportunities provided to the parents to build a rapport with the teachers and to support their children in their learning experiences. At every PTM parents had shared their feedback which was very encouraging and enriching.

Our children are spiritually prepared for the coming of Jesus on Christmas day. Each day children and everyone in this campus are asked to do some kind deeds. Our Christmas tree ornaments symbolize their good acts.

I am happy to inform you that in the following academic year 2021-22 Carmel Teresa School will have up to the 8th standard and will be applying for CBSE. Please inform your friends and do encourage them to enroll their children in these classes.

A Big thank you to our Sr. Chris and counselors for initiating Carmel Teresa, Special thanks to Sr. Grace Rose, general councilor for education who worked round the clock at the initial period preparing documents, getting permissions, setting up classrooms and seeing to the minute details of the humble beginning of a school. My Thanks also to Sr. Karen CSST for dealing with the account for the school year 2021-22, to our Local manager Sr. Mabel and all the sisters at St. Teresa's Novitiate for their support and valuable suggestions.

We have a teaching and non-teaching staff, capable, enthusiastic, just and fair, effective, loving, concerned and patient and who help the children develop a passion for learning and who most importantly, have a genuine affinity with the children and treat them with empathy and respect. To the parents of the children, thank you for your interest, and constant support in our endeavors.

There is a very joyous, positive, safe atmosphere in our school and our students are happy to come to school. A successful school works together and Carmel School strives for this.

Thank you to our wonderful children of Carmel family from whom we learn something every day. Activities and workshops yet to be held from January to March:

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- Medical checkup and self defense day
- Open house
- Play Day

Success is possible only when we work together and so I am sure we will achieve greater heights and Carmel will shine with greater brilliance.

I am sure this institution will always continue to strive for the Integral growth of the children in all dimensions, and our priority will always be to give good value based education especially human formation that they may become God fearing and socially responsible citizens. This is our charism which has been given to us by our foundress Servant of God Mother Teresa of St. Rose of Lima.

Finally, I can proudly tell you how blessed we are that we follow the footsteps of our visionary Foundress mother Teresa of St. Rose of Lima, whose words echoes ever louder in our minds and hearts ' Forward daughters , forward

Wish you the gift of Christmas: joy, love and peace and a blessed and grace filled New Year 2022. Have a peaceful evening! God bless you!

Thank you!

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