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## 1. Racial Harmony Day

Our pupils had a fun and yummy Racial Harmony Day this year. Games related to food kicked off the day and amid shouts of 'Jiayou', pupils competed to make the most number of satay sticks, sort ingredients for pizza and form shapes with sandwiches.



After the exciting and rowdy session, some pupils had a try in making sandwiches and Chinese 'tang yuan' – glutinous rice flour made into small balls and cooked in sweet soup (sugar water). They were also introduced to some Malay kuehs and the Indian thosai (South Indian pancake).





We were surprised by the enthusiasm of the pupils during food tasting. Most of them were willing to try the different kinds of food and the most popular dish was the Chinese tang yuan. The celebration ended with dance and songs.



## **2. A Day as a Dee Jay @ Symphony 92.4 FM**

Our pupils visited the radio station on 05 May 2011. They took turns to visit 3 studios, of which two are the main studio and editing studio of 92.4 FM. A quiz was given after they had learnt about the different components that made up a studio. Most of the pupils were more familiar with the Chinese radio stations and some were quite excited to see 'Aunty Lucy'.

This was followed by a segment on Traffic Watch in which the pupils got to see live videos of the road condition in different parts of Singapore and learnt about things such as traffic jam, accidents and number of 'live camera' in Singapore.

Finally, it was show time for our pupils as they did their own recording by introducing themselves and wishing Singapore a Happy Birthday! The DJ of the day was our little playgroup boy who sang the whole song of 'Twinkle Twinkle Little Star'.



On 08 August 2011, everyone came in red and white in celebration of National Day. Our pupils sang and danced to the tunes of local favourite songs such as Rasa Sayang and Chan Mali Chan. Let's unite and make our beloved country a better place for our future generation. Happy Birthday, Singapore! (Watch video below).





### 3. Video Presentation of K2 Projects – Cultural Learning

Following the exhibition of the K2 projects in May, our pupils put up a video presentation of what they have learnt about the different countries - Japan, Vietnam, India, China, Mongolia and Russia.

After the first video taking, the pupils got to view their own presentation as well as that of other classes. They were fascinated and excited to see themselves on video and looked very much forward to the second video shoot with confidence and enthusiasm. The second presentation has also been completed and the videos are attached below.



### 4. Pupils-In-Action!







## 5. Holiday Camp

The three days' holiday camp was packed with fun-filled and interesting activities to engage the children. On the last day of the camp, we visited a dairy farm where the children learnt more about goats. This was followed by a tour in the mushroom farm where fresh mushrooms and mushroom soup were served. The children just could not wait to visit the farms again!





## 6. Parental Workshops

A talk on "How to prepare children for Primary Education" was held on 16 June 2011. Topics such as selection of primary schools, ways to help children get ready for primary school were touched on. We were glad to know from parents' feedback that the talk has helped to clear many of their queries.

Following the good feedback, a second talk titled 'Discover Children's Learning Habits' was held on 30 July 2011. The speaker stressed on the importance of creating a learning environment at home and allowing the child to learn according to his interest.



## 7. Guidance of Oral and Dental Care

Students from Temasek Junior College presented a talk on oral and dental care for the K2 pupils on 11 August 2011. The aim is to encourage them to continue their good oral hygiene habits that they had cultivated in K1. With animation, a tooth brushing song and some hands on practices, our pupils learnt to be responsible for their oral health and improve their dental care techniques.



## 8. Racial Harmony Celebration – Blk 915

Our teachers and pupils came dressed in traditional costumes on Racial Harmony Day. Various activities related to different races were prepared for our pupils. There was a paper cutting activity (originating from Chinese culture) in which Chen Lao Shi explained and demonstrated to the pupils on the technique of cutting papers to create patterns. Teacher Nadia and Teacher Amy then taught the pupils on the process of henna making from leaves to powder to paste and how henna is commonly used in Malay and India weddings.

The pupils had fun producing their own paper cutting and getting themselves tattooed using the henna after the explanation. It was an interesting celebration which had enhanced their understanding and respect for the culture of others.





## 9. National Day Celebration – Blk 915

Our school celebrated National Day on Monday, 8 August 2011. The teachers had prepared 3 games for the children in different rooms (Potato Race Relay at the assembly area, Golf Ball Spoon Relay at the K2 class and solving puzzles at the K1 and Nursery classes) for a competition to be held between the pupils from morning session and afternoon session.

The celebration began with an assembly discussing on the importance of National Day, followed by a briefing on the event of the day. The pupils from different levels then took turns to play and compete in different rooms. The winner was announced after their final challenge. Everybody enjoyed themselves and looked forward to another celebration like this!

At the end of the celebration, children and teachers sang the National Day songs with high spirit and joy! All children then received their National Day gifts from the school and they loved it!



## 10. At the Learning Corners – Blk 915



Children learn and discover things effectively through real experiences and observations. At the Science Corner, they were able to have a better understanding of the life cycle of the frog by observing the different stages it goes through. At the same time, children gained more knowledge on the life cycle of other animals through books, games and other activities prepared by the teachers.

At the Maths Corner, children were engaged with the activities provided on different concepts to promote their problem solving and creative thinking skills. Therefore, there were lots of hands on materials for them to manipulate with it. At the same they learnt through play.

Future engineers at the Construction Corner.



At the Computer Corner,  
our IT Programmers at work!



For the last five weeks of Term 3, the teachers set up a 'Sports and Games' Corner for the pupils to play. Besides learning to participate in the different types of sports like golf, badminton, bowling etc, they also learnt to play several types of card and board games like snake and ladder, chess, snap etc.

Children were able to experience how the games are played. It has helped them to understand better for the topic 'Sports and Games' they learnt in class.



## **11. Vision Screening Programme – Blk 915**

Vision screening was conducted at our centre on 22 July 2011 by nurses from the Health Promotion Board. The nurses also gave a talk on the good eye care habits.



## **12. Pupils-in-Action! – Blk 915**

